

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTIONNO.1487
ANSWERED ON 09.02.2026

PROTECTION AND DEVELOPMENT OF KABIR MATHS IN BIHAR

1487. SHRI MANOJ KUMAR:

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that Kabir Acharya Gaddi Lakshmipur Bagicha, Rosera and Kabir Vachvanshiya Acharya Gaddi Mahadev Math, Rosera located in Samastipur district in Bihar are 300–400 year old monasteries with a rich spiritual, religious and cultural heritage;
- (b) whether, due to the absence of adequate protection by the Government, many acres of land, including main temples valued at approximately 500 crore have been illegally transferred by land mafias with the alleged involvement of the local administration;
- (c) if so, the details of the steps taken/being taken by the Government for the protection, restoration and development of these important Kabir Maths, and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether the Government intends to provide tourist and pilgrim facilities such as clean drinking water, toilets, guest houses and community halls at these Maths in order to promote religious and cultural tourism in Bihar; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF CULTURE AND TOURISM
(SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)

- (a) Yes, Kabir Acharya Gaddi Lakshmipur Bagicha, Rosera and Kabir Vachvanshiya Acharya Gaddi Mahadev Math, Rosera located in district Samastipur, Bihar are registered with Bihar State Board of Religious Trusts.
- (b)& (c) As per the information received from District Administration, Samastipur, Bihar, there is no involvement of any local administration in transfer of land.
- (d)& (e) As per information received, Bihar State Board of Religious Trusts is committed to the promotion of religious and cultural tourism in Bihar, recognizing the historic and spiritual significance of various Maths across the State. The State Government has taken steps to ensure the availability of basic amenities such as clean drinking water, sanitation facilities (toilets), guest houses and community halls at prominent Maths under various schemes of the Tourism Department, Government of Bihar.
