

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.†1  
ANSWERED ON 30.11.2015**

**BASIC AMENITIES/FACILITIES TO TOURISTS**

**†1. SHRI SADASHIV LOKHANDE:**

**Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has allocated funds to the State Government of Maharashtra to provide basic amenities to the tourists participating in Kumbh Mela organised in Nasik, Maharashtra;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether allocation has also been made for providing drinking water and other basic amenities to the tourists visiting Shirdi and Shani Singnapur in Ahmednagar district of Maharashtra; and**
- (d) if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)  
(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)**

**(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. The Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, Government of India had reportedly released Rs.100.00 crores during 2014-15 for the Kumbh Mela held in Nasik, Maharashtra.**

**(c): No, Madam.**

**(d): Does not arise in view of (c) above.**

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