

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1234
ANSWERED ON 02.05.2016**

ESTABLISHMENT OF FOOD CRAFT INSTITUTE

1234. SHRI NISHIKANT DUBEY:

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal for establishing Food Craft Institute in Deoghar (Jharkhand);**
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and**
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)

(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)

(a), (b) & (c): Establishment of Food Craft Institutes (FCIs) falls within the purview of the respective State Government/Union Territory Administration. The Ministry of Tourism (MOT) grants Central Financial Assistance (CFA) upto a ceiling of Rs.7.50 crores for establishment of a Food Craft Institute (FCI) subject to availability of funds and adherence to the terms and conditions of the relevant scheme guidelines. The MOT had received a proposal for Grant of CFA from the State Government of Jharkhand for establishment of FCI in Deoghar (Jharkhand) in January, 2012. However, the requisite documents were not furnished by the State Government despite MOT's requests for the same. No fresh proposal has been received from the State Government of Jharkhand thereafter.
