

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.†3514
ANSWERED ON 08.08.2016**

CONSTRUCTION OF TOURIST RESORTS

†3514. DR. MANOJ RAJORIA:

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of tourist resorts run by the Government in the country;**
- (b) the details thereof, State-wise including Rajasthan;**
- (c) the total amount allocated/utilised for the construction of said resorts State/UT-wise; and**
- (d) the number of resorts approved/constructed during the last three years and current year; State-wise?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)

(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)

(a) & (b): Construction and operation of tourist resorts is primarily a private sector activity. However, India Tourism Development Corporation (ITDC), a Public Sector Undertaking under the administrative control of the Ministry of Tourism, operates a tourist resort, Hotel Pondicherry Ashok, Puducherry, a Joint Venture between ITDC and Pondicherry Industrial Promotion Development Investment Corporation Ltd.

(c): At present there is no scheme in the Ministry of Tourism for construction of resorts.

(d): Does not arise.
