

The following projects have been sanctioned for Development of tourist Circuits at Manas National park and Orang National Park in Assam:

(1) Circuit Development of Manas-Guwahati-Kaziranga, for an amount of Rs. 781.00 lakh in 2005-06.

(2) Integrated Development of Tourism Circuit, Orang-Tezpur-Bhalukpong-Biswanth Chariali-Gohpur Circuit for an amount Rs. 798.00 lakh in 2006-07

(b) to (d) Revenue collection from the above two National parks for last three years in as follows:

	<i>(Rs. in lakh)</i>		
	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
(1) Manas National Park	9,01,634/-	13,02,870/-	3,61,640/-
(2) Orang National Park	1,45,500/-	1,35,520/-	2,74,315/-

Revenue collection in Manas National Park decreased in 2006-07 due to breach of the bridge and bad road condition connecting the Park from Barpeta Road.

Eco-Tourism in Karnataka

1992. SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government of Karnataka has proposed development of Magadi Fort (Bangalore), integrated development of coastal circuit and Eco-tourism projects in Karnataka; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and Government's response thereto?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM (SHRIMATI AMBIKA SONI): (a) and (b) A project proposal for development of Magadi Fort was received from the State Government. Since the project was not as per guidelines of the scheme hence it was not sanctioned.

The details of the projects sanctioned for Karnataka during the 10th Five Year Plan is given in the Statement (*See below*) which includes the projects sanctioned for integrated development of coastal circuit and Eco-tourism projects in Karnataka.

During the current financial year, the following projects have been sanctioned for the State of Karnataka:

Sl. No.	Name of the project	Amount sanctioned <i>(Rs. in lakh)</i>
1.	Development of Eco-Tourism-Setting up of Jungel Camps and Trails	322.21
2.	Development of Eco-sites at Talacauvery, Gopinatham, Bhagwati and Settinadi	380.26
3.	Integrated development of tourist circuit on Bijapur-Bidar-Gulbarga	640.97

Statement**The Details of the Projects Sanctioned for Karnataka During 10th Plan****(Rs. In Lakh)**

SL No.	Name of the Project	Amount Sanctioned
1	2	3
2002-03		
1.	Bangalore Art Festival	15.00
2.	Beugle Rock Garden	140.00
3.	Development of Om Beach	100.00
4.	Development of Tagore Beach	197.49
5.	Development of Hampi	506.10
6.	Development of Kokkare Bellur, Mandya District	50.00
Total		908.59
2003-04		
1.	Providing floodlighting at Hoyasala Temple at Halebid	61.04
2.	Sound and light at Hampi	176.00
3.	Hampi Festival	15.00
4.	Karavali Festival in Utar kannada	5.00
5.	Installation of Handy Audio Reach Kit at Elur, Hassan	11.46
6.	IT equipments for Jungle Lodge and Resorts	9.70
7.	Construction of Minor Nodes at Hampi (Hampi Chitradurga Bangalore Circuit-2003-04)	307.01
8.	Destination Development of Coorg	483.77
9.	Purchase of IT infrastructure for KSTDC.	15.80
10.	Coorg Golf Links (CGL) project at Virajpet, Karnataka (Feasibility study)	3.00
11.	Development of Bannerghatta Biological Park near Bangalore	500.00
12.	Karnataka Luxury Train	785.00
13.	Development of Rural Tourism at Village Banavasi, Uttara Kananda Dist.	50.00
14.	Development of Attiveri Bird Sanctuary	60.00
15.	Roral Tourism project in Anegundi, dist. Koppal	50.00
16.	Rural Tourism projects in Coorg	50.00
Total		2582.78

1	2	3
2004-05		
1.	Karnataka Heritage Hunt-2004	8.33
2.	Celebration of Hampi Festival	5.00
3.	Celebration of Kadambotasave Festival at Banvasi	6.75
4.	Setting up of Mini Convention Centre at Bangalore-Feasibility Report-LRG	2.00
5.	Integrated Development of Badami-Aihole-Pattadakal-Mahakoota Circuit in North Karnataka	800.00
6.	Integrated Development of Melkote-Belur-Halebid-Shravanabelagola Circuit in South Karnataka	798.50
7.	Development of Chickmagalore Wilderness Bhadra	202.48
8.	Expansion of Eco-Tourism Activity-Feasibility Report	15.00
9.	Infrastructure and Destination Development of Bandipur Tiger Reserve	195.70
10.	Integrated Development of Chitradurga Fort	353.00
11.	Coorg Golf Links (CGL) Coorg Golf Tourism Project at Virajpet	53.00
12.	Village Banavasi, distt. Ultra Kannada	20.00
TOTAL :		2459.76
2005-06		
1.	Destination Development of Jog Fall in Shimoga	462.52
2.	Destination Development of Mysore in Karnataka	353.89
3.	Integrated Development of Tourism Circuit on Mangalore-Ullal-Udupi-Kollur-Honnar-Murudeshwara-Kundapur-Gokarna	698.00
4.	Development of Golf Club at Chikmagalur, Karnataka under LRG project	120.00
5.	Celebration of Bangalore Habba 2005	15.00
6.	Hampi Festival 2005-06	5.00
7.	IT infrastructure for Eco-tourism by M/s Jungle Lodges & Resorts	53.39
8.	GOI-UNDP Endogenous Project at Village Anegundi, District Koppal	20.00
TOTAL		1727.70
2006-07		
1.	CFA for Destination Development of Linganamakki Garden at Jog Falls	494.98
2.	Integrated Development of Wilderness Tourism Circuit	226.88
3.	Development of Muthyalamadu (Part Valley) near Bangalore	293.81
4.	Beautification of Baro Sadhanakeri Park, Bharwad City	308.22
TOTAL		1323.89
GRAND TOTAL		9002.72