

**Development of tourist places of M.P.**

†3841. DR. VIJAYLAXMI SADHO: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) the year-wise details of foreign as well as Indian tourists who have visited Madhya Pradesh during the last three years;

(b) the year-wise and site-wise details of the funds given for the development of infrastructure at various tourist sites in Madhya Pradesh during the last three years; and

(c) the details of new steps being taken by Government to develop tourist spots of Madhya Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK): (a) The number of Foreign Tourist Visits (FTVs) and Domestic Tourist Visits (DTV's) to the State of Madhya Pradesh during 2011, 2012 and 2013 is given below:

Year	FTVs	DTV's
2011	2,69,559	4,41,19,820
2012	2,75,930	5,31,97,209
2013	2,80,333	6,31,10,709

(b) The details of tourism projects sanctioned to the State of Madhya Pradesh during 2011-12, 2012-13 and 2013-14 are given in Statement-I (*See* below).

(c) A list of Tourism Circuits/Destinations prioritized by the Ministry of Tourism in consultation with the State Government of Madhya Pradesh for development during 2014-15 is given in Statement-II.

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

**Statement-I**

*Details of funds given for the development of infrastructure at various tourist sites in Madhya Pradesh during last three years*

(₹ in lakhs)					
Sl. No.	Name of projects	Amount Sanctioned	Amount Released	UC Received	UC pending
1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Eleventh Five Year Plan</b>					
<b>2011-12</b>					
1.	Development of Way side facilities on National/State Highways as a tourist circuit in Madhya Pradesh	755.29	604.23	604.23	0.00
2.	Integrated Development of Vindhya Region (Rewa and Singroli Districts) as a tourist Circuit in Madhya Pradesh	798.00	638.40	638.40	0.00
3.	Destination Development of Chambal Circuit (Sheopur, Morena & Bhind Districts) as a Tourist Circuit in Madhya Pradesh	710.00	568.00	568.00	0.00
4.	Destination Development of Dewas (Phase II) in Madhya Pradesh.	379.42	303.53	303.53	0.00
5.	Destination Development of Mandsaur in Madhya Pradesh	447.48	357.98	357.98	0.00
6.	Integrated Development of Bhopal Phase-II (Distt. Bhopal) as a Tourist Destination in Madhya Pradesh	450.46	360.37	355.57	4.80
7.	Celebration of World Tourism Day, Event Sharad Utsav and Mandu Festival in Madhya Pradesh	27.25	27.25	27.25	0.00
TOTAL		3567.90	2859.76	2854.96	4.80

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1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Twelfth Five Year Plan</b>					
<b>2012-13</b>					
1.	Development of Ujjain as a tourist destination in Madhya Pradesh	420.80	336.70	190.00	146.70
2.	Integrated Development of wayside amenities at various locations as circuits in Madhya Pradesh	763.61	610.89	271.80	339.09
3.	Development of Khandwa (Distt. Khandwa) as a tourist destination in Madhya Pradesh	444.67	355.73	355.70	0.03
4.	Integrated Development of Bhimbetka -Bhojpur- and Ashapuri as tourist circuit in Madhya Pradesh	721.35	577.08	150.00	427.08
5.	Development of Jabalpur as Mega Circuit in MP	4937.10	2468.55	2050.00	418.55
6.	CFA for Development of Narmada Circuit (Phase-III), in MP	798.00	159.60	187.20	0.00
7.	CFA for Development of Buddhist Circuit (Sonari, Satdhara and Mural Khurd etc.) in MP	794.84	158.97	160.00	0.00
8.	CFA for Development of Wayside Amenities for Jabalpur, Hoshangabad & Rewa Division in MP	759.00	151.80	154.45	0.00
9.	CFA for Development of Chhindwara as a Circuit in MP	799.29	159.85	0.00	159.85
10.	CFA for Development of Wayside Amenities for Bhopal, Indore and Ujjain Division in MP (Part-I)	759.00	151.80	0.00	151.80
11.	CFA for Dest. Development of Khargone, Distt. Khargone in MP	484.82	96.96	133.00	0.00
12.	Destination Development of Chanderi in MP	473.48	94.70	160.00	0.00
13.	CFA for Development of Wayside Amenities for Gwalior, Chamal and Sagar Division in MP(Part-II)	759.00	151.80	0.00	151.80

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14.	Destination Development of Sironj, Dist. Vidisha in MP	440.79	88.16	230.00	0.00
15.	Dev. of Mega Circuit Bundelkhand comprising Chhatarpur, Damoh, Sagar, Panna and Tikamgarh in MP	3600.00	720.00	896.00	0.00
16.	Dev. of Ujjain Mega Circuit in MP	4000.00	800.00	1200.00	0.00
17.	CFA for Bhagoria Utsav during 2011-12	9.00	9.00	0.00	9.00
18.	CFA for World Tourism Day (Event) in Madhya Pradesh	15.00	15.00	0.00	15.00
19.	CFA for Burhanpur Utsav, Burhanpur in Madhya Pradesh	4.75	4.75	0.00	4.75
20.	CFA for Sharad Utsav, Jabalpur in Madhya Pradesh	5.25	5.25	0.00	5.25
	TOTAL	20989.75	7116.59	6138.15	1828.90
	<b>2013-14</b>				
1.	CFA for Fair and Festival in the State of Madhya Pradesh during 2013-14	33.00	33.00	33.00	0.00
2.	CFA for Fair and Festivals in the State of Madhya Pradesh during 2012-13	25.00	25.00	0.00	25.00
3.	Dev. of Panchmarhi (Matkuli- Pipariya and Suhagpur) as Tourist Circuit in Madhya Pradesh	767.02	153.40	0.00	153.40
4.	Circuit Dev. of Vindhya Circuit Phase-II in MP	724.50	144.90	50.00	94.90
5.	Destination Development of Nemawar in MP	481.77	96.35	96.50	0.00
6.	Development of Bhopal as a Mega Circuit in MP	4616.85	923.37	0.00	923.37
7.	Development Indore as a Mega Destination in MP	2387.61	477.52	277.31	200.21
8.	Destination Development of Nurabad (Morena) in MP	492.95	98.59	0.00	98.59
9.	Destination Development of Nagod Maihar Part-II Satna in MP	492.59	98.51	166.60	0.00
	TOTAL	10021.29	2050.64	623.41	1495.47

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**Statement-II***List of Prioritized Projects for the year 2014-15*

Sl. No.	Name of the Projects
<b>PIDDC Projects:</b>	
1.	Mega Circuit Development Project-Rewa
2.	Mega Destination Development Project-Gwalior
3.	Circuit development Datia
4.	Facility development for renewable energy
5.	Circuit development Shajapur-Agar
6.	Destination development-Jhabua
7.	Destination development -Alirajpur
8.	FCI Ujjain & Khajuraho (Resubmitted)
<b>Fairs &amp; Festivals:</b>	
(World Tourism Day (Bhopal), Bhagoria Utsav (Alirajpur), Nimar Utsav (Mafeshwar), Sharad Utsav (Mandu), Ramayan Mahotsav (Chitrakoot)).	

**Development of roads to tourist destinations in Jammu and Kashmir**

3842. SHRI G.N. RATANPURI: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether tourism in Jammu and Kashmir (J&K) can get boost by developing the quality of roads to existing and new destinations in the State;

(b) whether Government would consider a major programme of development of roads to tourist destinations in J&K; and

(c) whether Government would intervene to regulate airfares to Srinagar during peak tourist season and ensure that no arbitrary fares are charged?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK): (a) As per J&K Government, tourism sector is the backbone of the economy of J&K State. The development and upgradation of roads leading to existing and new destinations can give boost to the tourism industry in J&K State.

(b) Ministry of Tourism extends Central Financial Assistance (CFA) for improving last mile connectivity to tourist destinations. As per the State Government of J&K, the State Government has taken up a massive programme of development and upgradation of road infrastructure in J&K State particularly the National Highways.