Written Answers to

(₹ in crore)

Sl.	Scheme/Sanction	Project	Amount
No.	Year		Sanctioned
1.	Swadesh Darshan 2014-15	Development of Coastal Circuit in Kakinada Hope Island Konaseema	69.83
2.	Swadesh Darshan 2015-16	Development of Coastal Tourism Circuit in Sri Potti Sriramalu Nellore	59.70
3.	Swadesh Darshan 2017-18	Development of Buddhist Circuit: Shalihundam-Thotlakonda-Bavikonda-Bojjanakonda-Amravati-Anupu	52.34
4.	PRASHAD 2015-16	Development of Amaravati Town, Guntur District as a Tourist Destination	28.36
5.	PRASHAD 2017-18	Development of Srisailam Temple	47.45

- (c) Submission of proposals by State Governments/UT Administrations under the scheme is a continuous process and projects are sanctioned subject to availability of funds, submission of suitable detailed project reports, adherence to scheme guidelines and utilization of funds released earlier.
- (d) Swadesh Darshan Scheme is a 100% centrally funded Scheme (Central Sector Scheme) of Ministry of Tourism.

## Augmenting facilities at important tourist sites in the country

†2396. MS. SAROJ PANDEY: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any plan has been implemented to augment facilities at important tourist sites of the country during the last three years; and
  - (b) if so, the names of such tourist sites and the amount spent on these?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRI K. J. ALPHONS): (a) and (b) The Ministry under its schemes of Swadesh Darshan-Integrated development of theme based tourist circuits and PRASHAD-National Mission on Pilgrimage Rejuvenation and Spiritual, Heritage Augmentation Drive provides central financial assistance to State Governments/UT Administrations/Central Agencies for development of tourism infrastructure in the country with an objective to develop/upgrade tourist facilities to enhance visitor experience.

The details of the projects sanctioned under the above Schemes in the country are given in the Statement.

<sup>†</sup> Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Statement

The State/UT-wise details of projects sanctioned under Swadesh Darshan and PRASHAD schemes

## Swadesh Darshan Scheme

S1.	State/UT	Circuit	Project	Am
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1	2	3	4	5
203	14-15			
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	North-East Circuit	Development of Mega Circuit at Bhalukpong-Bomdila and Tawang in Arunachal Pradesh.	49.7
2.	Andhra Pradesh	Coastal Circuit	Development of Kakinada Hope Island Konaseema as World Class Coastal and Eco Tourism Circuit in Andhra Pradesh	69.8
			Total	119
20	15-16			
3.	Manipur	North-East Circuit	Development of Tourist Circuit in Manipur: Imphal-Moirang-Khongjom-Moreh.	89.€
4.	Sikkim	North-East Circuit	Development of Tourist Circuit linking Rangpo (entry)-Rorathang-Aritar-Phadamchen-Nathang-Sherathang-Tsongmo-Gangtok-Phodong-Mangan-Lachung-Yumthang-Lachen-Thangu-Gurudongmer-Mangan-Gangtok-TuminLingee-Singtam (Exit) in Sikkim.	

5.	Uttarakhand	Eco Circuit	Integrated Development of Eco-Tourism, Adventure Sports, Associated Tourism	80.3
			related Infrastructure for Development of Tehri Lake and Surroundings as	
			New Destination-District Tehri, Uttarakhand.	
6.	Rajasthan	Desert	Development of Sambhar Lake Town and Other Destinations in Rajasthan	63.9
		Circuit	under Desert Circuit.	
7.	Nagaland	Tribal	Development of Tribal Circuit Peren-Kohima-Wokha, Nagaland	97.3
		Circuit		
8.	Madhya Pradesh	Wildlife	Development of Wildlife Circuit at Panna-Mukundpur-Sanjay-Dubri-	92.2
		Circuit	Bandhavgarh-Kanha-Mukki-Pench in Madhya Pradesh.	
9.	Andhra Pradesh	Coastal	Development of Coastal Tourism Circuit in Sri Potti Sriramalu Nellore under	59.7
		Circuit	Swadesh Darshan Scheme in Andhra Pradesh.	
10.	Telangana	Eco Circuit	Integrated Development of Eco Tourism Circuit in Mahaboobnagar district,	91.6
			Telangana.	
11.	Kerala	Eco Circuit	Development of Pathanamthitta-Gavi-Vagamon-Thekkady as Eco Tourism	90.0
			Circuit in Idduki and Pathanamthitta Districts in Kerala.	
12.	Mizoram	North East	Integrated Development of New Eco Tourism under Swadesh Darshan-North	94.9
		Circuit	East Circuit at Thenzawl and South Zote, District Serchhip and Reiek, Mizoram.	
13.	Assam	Wildlife	Development of Manas-Probitora-Nameri-Kaziranga-Dibru-Saikhowa as Wildlife	95.6
		Circuit	Circuit in Assam.	
14.	Puducherry	Coastal	Development of Union Territory of Puducherry as Tourist Circuit under	85.2
		Circuit	Swadesh Darshan Scheme (Coastal Circuit)	

1	2	3	4	5
15.	Arunachal Pradesh	North East Circuit	Integrated Development of New Adventure Tourism in Arunachal Pradesh	97.1
16.	Tripura	North East Circuit	Development of North East Circuit : Agartala-Sipahijala-Melaghar-Udaipur-Amarpur-Tirthamukh-Mandirghat-Dumboor-Narikel Kunja-Gandachara-Ambassa in Tripura	99.5
17.	West Bengal	Coastal Circuit	Development of Beach Circuit: Udaipur-Digha-Shankarpur-Tajpur-Mandarmani-Fraserganj-Bakkhlai-Henry Island in West Bengal	85.3
18.	Chhattisgarh	Tribal Circuit	Development of Tribal Tourism Circuit in Jashpur-Kunkuri-Mainpat-Ambikapur-Maheshpur-Ratanpur-Kurdar-Sarodadadar Gangrel-Kondagaon-Nathyanawagaon-Jagdalpur Chitrakoot-Tirthgarh in Chhattisgarh.	99.9
19.	Maharashtra	Coastal Circuit	Development of Sindhudurg Coastal Circuit in Maharashtra under Swadesh Darshan Scheme.	82.1
			Total	1503.
201	6-17			
20.	Goa	Coastal Circuit	Development of Coastal Circuit (Sinquerim-Baga, Anjuna-Vagator, Morjim-Keri, Aguada Fort and Aguada Jail) in Goa.	99.9
21.	Jammu and Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourism Infrastructure Projects in the State of Jammu and Kashmir.	82.9
22.	Telangana	Tribal Circuit	Integrated Development of Mulugu-Laknavaram-Medavaram-Tadvai-Damaravi-Mallur-Bogatha Waterfalls as Tribal Circuit in Telangana.	84.4

23.	Meghalaya	North East Circuit	Development of Umium (Lake View), U Lum Sohpetbneng Mawdiangdiang-Orchid Lake Resort, Meghalaya.	99.1
24.	Madhya Pradesh	Buddhist Circuit	Development of Buddhist Circuit in Sanchi-Satna-Rewa-Mandsaur-Dhar in Madhya Pradesh.	74.9
25.	Kerala	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Sabarimala-Erumeli-Pampa-Sannidhanam as a Spiritual Circuit in District Pathanamthitta, Kerala.	99.9
26.	Karnataka	Coastal Circuit	Development of Coastal Circuit in Dakshin Kannada Dist, Uttar Kannada Distt. and Udupi Dist in Karnataka.	95.6
27.	Manipur	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Spiritual Circuit-Shri Govindajee Temple, Shri Bijoy Govindajee Temple-Shri Gopinath Temple-Shri Bungshibodon Temple-Shri Kaina Temple, Manipur.	53.8
28.	Gujarat	Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit in Ahmedabad-Rajkot-Porbandar-Bardoli-Dandi in Gujarat.	93.4
29.	Haryana	Krishna Circuit	Development of Tourism Infrastructures at places related to Mahabharata in Kurukshetra, Haryana.	97.3
30.	Rajasthan	Krishna Circuit	Integrated Development of Govind Dev ji temple (Jaipur), Khatu Shyam Ji (Sikar) and Nathdwara (Rajsamand) in Rajasthan.	91.4
31.	Sikkim	North East Circuit	Development of Tourist Circuit Linking Singtam-Maka-Temi-Bermoik Tokel-Phongia-Namchi-Jorthang-Okharey-Sombaria-Daramdin-Jorethang-Melli (Exit) in Sikkim.	95.3

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32.	Madhya Pradesh	Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit (Gwalior-Orchha-Khajuraho-Chanderi-Bhimbetka-Mandu) Madhya Pradesh	99.1
33.	Kerala	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Sree Padmanabha Arnamula-Sabrimala-as a Spiritual Circuit in Kerala	92.4
34.	Bihar	Tirthankar Circuit	Development of Jain Circuit: Vaishali-Arrah-Masad-Patna-Rajgir-Pawapuri-Champapuri as Spiritual Circuit in Bihar.	52.3
35.	Bihar	Spiritual Circuit	Integrated Development of Kanwaria Route: Sultanganj-Dharmshala-Deoghar under Spiritual circuit in Bihar.	52.3
36.	Odisha	Coastal Circuit	Development of Gopalpur, Barkul, Satapada and Tampara as Coastal circuit in Odisha.	76.4
37.	Nagaland	Tribal Circuit	Development of Tribal circuit (Mokokchung-Tuensang-Mon) in Nagaland	99.6
38.	Uttarakhand	Heritage Circuit	Integrated Development of Heritage Circuit in Kumaon Region-Katarmal-Jogeshwar-Baijnath-Devidhura in Uttarakhand.	81.9
39.	Jammu and Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities at Jammu-Rajouri-Shopian-Pulwama under Himalayan Circuit theme in J&K.	96.3
40.	Jammu and Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities under the Construction of Assets in lieu of those Destroyed in Floods in 2014 under PM Development Package for J&K	98.1

41.	Jammu and Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist facilities at Mantalai-Sudhmahadev-Patnitop under Himalayan Circuit Theme in J&K.	97.8
42.	Jammu and Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities at Anantnag-Kishtwar-Pahalgam-Daksum-Ranjit Sagar Dam under Himalayan Circuit Theme in J&K.	96.3
43.	Jammu and Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities at Gulmarg-Baramulla-Kupwara-Leh Circuit under Himalayan Circuit Theme in J&K.	96.9
44.	Uttar Pradesh	Buddhist Circuit	Development of Buddhist Circuit-Srawasti, Kushinagar and Kapilvastu in Uttar Pradesh.	99.9
45.	Uttar Pradesh	Ramayana Circuit	Development of Chitrakoot and Shringverpur as Ramayana Circuit in Uttar Pradesh	69.4
46.	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	Coastal Circuit	Development of Coastal Circuit (Long Island-Ross Smith Island-Neil Island-Havelock Island-Baratang Island-Port Blair) in Andaman and Nicobar under Coastal thematic circuit of Swadesh Darshan Scheme.	42.1
47.	Tamil Nadu	Coastal Circuit	Development of Coastal Circuit (Chennai-Mamamallapuram-Rameshwaram-Manpadu-Kanyakumari) in Tamil Nadu under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	99.9
48.	Uttar Pradesh	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Spiritual Circuit (Shahjahanpur-Basti-Ahar-Aligharh-Kasgunj-Sarosi-Pratapgarh-Unnao-Kaushambi-Mirzapur-Gorakpur-Kairana-Doamriyagunj-Bagpat-Barabanki-Azamgarh)	76.0
49.	Uttar Pradesh	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Spiritual Circuit-II(Bijnor-Meerut-Kanpur-Kanpur Dehat-Banda-Ghazipur-Salempur-Ghosi-Balia-Ambedkar Nagar-Aligarh-Fatehpur-Deoria-Mahoba-Sonbhadra-Chandauli-Mishrikh-Bhadohi) in Uttar Pradesh under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	63.7

1	2	3	4	5
50.	Uttar Pradesh	Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit(Kalinjar Fort (Banda)-MarharDham (SantKabir Nagar)-ChauriChaura, Shaheed Sthal (Fatehpur)-Mavahar Sthal (Ghosi)-Shaheed	41.5
			Smarak (Meerut) in Uttar Pradesh under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	
51.	Bihar	Buddhist	Development of Buddhist circuit-Construction of Cultural Centre at Bodhgaya,	98.
		Circuit	Bihar	
52.	Assam	Heritage	Development of Tezpur-Majuli-Sibsagar as Heritage Circuit in Assam under	98.3
		Circuit	Swadesh Darshan scheme	
53.	Himachal Pradesh	Himalayan	Integrated Development of Himalayan Circuit in Himachal Pradesh under	99.1
		Circuit	Swadesh Darshan scheme	
54.	Mizoram	Eco Circuit	Development of Eco-Adventure Circuit Aizawl-Rawpuichhip-Khawhphawp-	99.0
			Leng pui-Durt lang-Chat lang-Sakawrh muitu ait lang-Muthee-Berat lawng-Tuirial	
			Airfield-Hmuifang under Eco circuit theme of Swadesh Darshan Scheme	
55.	Rajasthan	Spiritual	Development of Spiritual Circuit-Churu (SalasarBalaji)-Jaipur (Shri Samode	93.9
		Circuit	Balaji, Ghat ke Balaji, Bandhe ke Balaji)-Alwar (Pandupole Hanumanji,	
			Bharathari)-Viratnagar (Bijak, Jainnasiya, Ambika Temple)-Bharatpur (Kaman	
			Region)-Dholpur (Muchkund)-MehandipurBalaji-Chittorgarh (Sanwaliyaji) in	
		Manager Const.	Rajasthan under Swadesh Darshan scheme	
56.	Gujarat	Heritage	Development of Heritage circuit: Vadnagar-Modhera and Patan in Gujarat	99.8
		Circuit	under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	
			Total	3192

2017-18			
57. Bihar	Rural Circuit	Development of Gandhi Circuit: Bhitiharwa-Chandrahia-Turkaulia in Bihar under Rural Circuit theme of Swadesh Darshan Scheme	44.6
58. Goa	Coastal Circuit	Development of Coastal Circuit II: Rua De Orum Creek-Don Paula-Colva-Benaulim in Goa under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	99.3
59. Gujarat	Buddhist Circuit	Development of Buddhist circuit: Junagadh-Gir Somnath-Bharuch-Kutch-Bhavnagar-Rajkot-Mehsana in Gujarat under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	35.9
60. Puducherry	Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit in Puducherry under Swadesh Darshan Scheme.	66.3
61. Puducherry	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Spiritual Circuit in Puducherry under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	40.6
62. Rajasthan	Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit (Rajsamand (Kumbhalgarh Fort)-Jaipur (Nahargarh Fort)-Alwar (BalaQuila)-Sawai Madhopur (Ranthambore Fort and Khandar Fort)-Jhalawar (Gagron Fort)-Chittorgarh (Chittorgarh Fort) Jaisalmer (Jaisalmer Fort) Hanumangarh (Kalibangan, Bhatner Fort and Gogamedi)-Jalore (Jalore Fort)-Udaipur (Pratap Gaurav Kendra)-Dholpur (Bagh-i-Nilofar and Purani Chawni)-Nagaur(Meera Bai Temple) in Rajasthan under Swadesh Darshan Scheme.	99.6
63. Telangana	Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit: Qutub Shahi Heritage Park-Paigah Tombs- Hayat Bakshi Mosque-Raymond's Tomb in Telangana under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	99.4

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Bihar	Spiritual	Development of Mandar Hill and Ang Pradesh under Spiritual Circuit theme	53.
	Circuit	of Swadesh Darshan Scheme.	
Madhya Pradesh	Eco Circuit	Development of Gandhisagar Dam-Mandleshwar Dam-Omkareshwar Dam-Indira	99.
		Sagar Dam-Tawa Dam-Bargi Dam-Bheda Ghat-Bansagar Dam-Ken River under	
		Eco circuit theme of Swadesh Darshan Scheme	
Uttar Pradesh	Ramayana	Development of Ayodhya under Ramayana Circuit theme of Swadesh Darshan	133
	Circuit	Scheme.	
Andhra Pradesh	Buddhist	Development of Buddhist Circuit: Shalihundam-Thotlakonda-Bavikonda-	52.
	Circuit	Bojjanakonda-Amravati-Anupu in Andhra Pradesh under the theme of Buddhist	
		Circuit of Swadesh Darshan Scheme	
		Total	824
18-19			
Maharashtra	Spiritual	Development of Waki-Adasa-Dhapewada-Paradsingha-Chota Taj Bagh-	54.
	Circuit	Telankhandi-Girad in Maharashtra	
	Buddhist	Development of Wayside Amenities in Buddhist Circuit and Ramayana	18.
	Circuit and	Circuit: Varanasi-Gaya; Lucknow-Ayodhya-Lucknow; Gorakhpur-Kushinagar;	
	Ramayana	Kushinagar-Gaya-Kushinaga	
	Circuit		
		Total	72.
		Grand Total	571
1	Bihar  Madhya Pradesh  Uttar Pradesh	Bihar Spiritual Circuit  Madhya Pradesh Eco Circuit  Uttar Pradesh Ramayana Circuit  Andhra Pradesh Buddhist Circuit  18-19  Maharashtra Spiritual Circuit  Buddhist Circuit and Ramayana	Bihar Spiritual Development of Mandar Hill and Ang Pradesh under Spiritual Circuit theme Circuit of Swadesh Darshan Scheme.  Madhya Pradesh Eco Circuit Development of Gandhisagar Dam-Mandleshwar Dam-Omkareshwar Dam-Indira Sagar Dam-Tawa Dam-Bargi Dam-Bheda Ghat-Bansagar Dam-Ken River under Eco circuit theme of Swadesh Darshan Scheme  Uttar Pradesh Ramayana Development of Ayodhya under Ramayana Circuit theme of Swadesh Darshan Circuit Scheme.  Andhra Pradesh Buddhist Development of Buddhist Circuit: Shalihundam-Thotlakonda-Bavikonda-Circuit of Swadesh Darshan Scheme  Total  18-19  Maharashtra Spiritual Development of Waki-Adasa-Dhapewada-Paradsingha-Chota Taj Bagh-Circuit Telankhandi-Girad in Maharashtra  Buddhist Development of Wayside Amenities in Buddhist Circuit and Ramayana Circuit Varanasi-Gaya; Lucknow-Ayodhya-Lucknow; Gorakhpur-Kushinagar; Kushinagar-Gaya-Kushinaga  Circuit Total

## PRASHAD Scheme

Sl. No.	State	Project Nos.	Project	Year of Sanction	Approved Cost
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Andhra Pradesh	1.	Development of Amaravati Town, Guntur District as a Tourist Destination	2015-16	28.36
		2	Development of Srisailam Temple	2017-18	47.45
2.	Assam	3	Development of Kamakhya Temple and Pilgrimage Destination in and around Guwahati	2015-16	33.98
3.	Bihar	4	Development of basic facilities at Vishnupad temple, Gaya, Bihar	2014-15	4.27
		5	Development at Patna Sahib	2015-16	41.54
4.	Gujarat	6	Development of Dwarka	2016-17	26.23
		7	Pilgrimage amenities at Somnath	2016-17	37.44
5.	Jammu and Kashmir	8	Development at Hazratbal	2016-17	42.02
6.	Kerala	9	Development at Guruvayur Temple	2016-17	46.14
7.	Madhya Pradesh	10	Development of Omkareshwar	2017-18	40.67
8.	Maharashtra	11	Development of Trimbakeshwar	2017-18	37.81
9.	Odisha	12	Infrastructure Development at Puri, Shree Jagannath Dham-Ramachandi-Prachi River front at Deuli under Mega Circuit	2014-15	50.00

1	2	3	4	5	6
10.	Punjab	13	Development of Karuna Sagar Valmiki Sthal at Amritsar (Project Completed)	2015-16	6.45
11.	Rajasthan	14	Integrated Development of Pushkar/Ajmer	2015-16	40.44
12.	Tamil Nadu	15	Development of Kanchipuram	2016-17	16.48
		16	Development of Vellankani	2016-17	5.60
13.	Uttarakhand	17	Integrated Development of Kedarnath	2015-16	34.78
		18	Development of Infrastructure for Pilgrimage Facilitation in Badrinath Ji Dham (Uttarakhand) under PRASHAD Scheme	2018-19	39.24
14.	Uttar Pradesh	19	Development of Mathura-Vrindavan as Mega Tourist Circuit (Ph-II)	2014-15	14.93
		20	Construction of Tourist Facilitation Centre at Vrindavan, Distt. Mathura	2014-15	9.36
		21	Development of Varanasi	2015-16	20.40
		22	Cruse Tourism in River Ganga, Varanasi	2017-18	10.72
		23	Development of Varanasi Under PRASHAD Scheme-II	2017-18	62.82
15.	West Bengal	24	Development of Belur	2016-17	30.03
	V-00		Total		727.10