

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 269
ANSWERED ON 03.02.2022

SWADESH DARSHAN SCHEME IN PUDUCHERRY

269. SHRI S. SELVAGANABATHY:

Will the Minister of **TOURISM** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government of Puducherry had availed the Central Government funded Swadesh Darshan Scheme, considering the importance of tourist circuit of Puducherry;
- (b) if so, the initiatives carried out under the Scheme; and
- (c) the details of fund received and spent during the last five years under the Scheme?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

(a) to (c): The Ministry of Tourism under its Swadesh Darshan scheme has sanctioned 76 projects in different States/ Union territory administrations of the country for development of tourism infrastructure which includes 3 projects in Puducherry. The detail of projects sanctioned in Puducherry under the scheme of Swadesh Darshan is as under:

(Rs. in Crore)			
No. of Projects	Amount Sanctioned	Amount Released	Amount Utilized
3	148.31	136.69	114.4
