

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE
RAJYA SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. *214
ANSWERED ON 20.03.2025**

CONSERVATION OF ANCIENT MONUMENTS IN ODISHA

***214. SHRI NIRANJAN BISHI:**

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) undertakes the conservation, preservation, protection and maintenance of protected monuments across the country, including Odisha, irrespective of dynasty, age or otherwise and the funds allocated and expenditure incurred thereon during the last three years;
- (b) the number of temples and other monuments renovated in Odisha in the last three years; and
- (c) the total amount sanctioned for conservation and renovation projects in Odisha during the last three years?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF CULTURE AND TOURISM
(SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)

- (a) A statement is laid on the table of the House.
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- (c)

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (c) OF THE
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- (a) There are total 3698 centrally protected monuments/sites in the country under the jurisdiction of Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) including to
(c) 81 in the State of Odisha, irrespective of dynasty, age, or otherwise. The conservation, preservation, protection and maintenance of these centrally protected monuments/sites which includes temples and other monuments is a regular process and is taken up as per the requirement and availability of resources. The details of funds allocated and expenditure incurred on these monuments during the last three years including Odisha is given at Annexure –I.

The details of total amount sanctioned for conservation and renovation projects in Odisha during the last three years are given below:

(Amount Rs. in Crore)

S. No.	Year	Allocation
1.	2021-22	8.23
2.	2022-23	13.18
3.	2023-24	12.29

Annexure-I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) to (c) OF THE RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.214 FOR 20.03.2025.

DETAILS OF ALLOCATION & EXPENDITURE INCURRED FOR CONSERVATION, PRESERVATION AND

ENVIRONMENTAL DEVELOPMENT OF PROTECTED MONUMENTS DURING THE LAST THREE YEARS.

(Amount Rs. in Crore)

Sl. No.	Name of State/UT	Circle / Branch	2021-22		2022-23		2023-24	
			Allocation	Expenditure	Allocation	Expenditure	Allocation	Expenditure
1.	Uttar Pradesh	Agra	19.35	19.35	21.27	21.15	23.52	23.52
		Jhansi	4.15	4.15	7.00	7.00	5.82	5.82
		Lucknow	10.44	10.44	19.03	19.03	16.93	16.93
		Sarnath	5.50	5.50	10.15	10.15	11.32	11.32
		Meerut	2.80	2.80	6.20	6.20	7.95	7.95
2.	Maharashtra	Aurangabad	8.00	7.99	18.70	18.70	26.80	26.80
		Mumbai	12.00	12.00	15.35	15.35	15.56	15.56
		Nagpur	4.50	4.50	5.00	4.99	10.18	10.18
3.	Karnataka	Bangalore	9.75	9.75	19.85	19.85	17.34	17.34
		Hampi	8.00	8.00	10.00	10.00	12.25	12.25
		Dharwad	7.32	7.32	10.08	10.08	9.57	9.57
4.	Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal	11.50	11.50	14.90	14.90	17.22	17.22
		Jabalpur	4.75	4.75	8.00	8.00	9.27	9.27
5.	Odisha	Bhubaneswar /Puri	8.23	8.23	13.18	13.17	12.29	12.29
6.	West Bengal,	Kolkata	7.67	7.57	10.16	10.16	9.10	9.10
7.	Sikkim	Raiganj	5.00	5.00	7.00	7.00	8.00	8.00
8.	Tamil Nadu, Puducherry (UT)	Chennai	8.00	8.00	11.45	11.45	12.95	12.95
	Tamil Nadu	Trichy	4.00	4.0	8.50	8.50	9.55	9.55
9.	Punjab	Chandigarh	1.50	1.50	6.53	6.53	11.00	11.00
	Harvana							
10	Himachal Pradesh	Shimla	1.15	1.15	8.90	8.90	5.00	5.00
11.	Delhi(NCT)	Delhi	19.10	19.08	30.50	30.35	36.14	36.14
12.	Goa	Goa	7.00	7.00	10.45	10.45	9.90	9.90
13.	Assam	Guwahati	3.30	3.30	7.44	7.44	8.78	8.78
	Meghalaya							
	Nagaland							
	Arunachal Pradesh							
14.	Manipur	Aizawl	1.25	1.25	2.00	2.00	1.29	1.29
	Mizoram							
	Tripura							
15.	Rajasthan	Jaipur	7.53	7.53	10.28	10.28	12.75	12.75
		Jodhpur	4.50	4.50	7.65	7.65	10.65	10.65

16.	Telangana	Hyderabad	7.00	6.80	15.50	15.50	14.38	14.38
17.	Andhra Pradesh	Amravati	5.75	5.75	11.60	11.60	14.70	14.70
18.	Bihar	Patna	3.35	3.35	9.00	9.00	16.00	16.00
19.	Jammu & Kashmir (UT)	Srinagar	2.55	2.55	6.11	6.03	7.17	7.17
20.	Ladakh (UT)	Mini Circle Leh	0.43	0.43	1.92	1.92	3.50	3.50
21.	Kerala	Thrissure	6.82	6.82	7.50	7.50	7.09	7.09
22.	Gujarat Daman & Diu (UT)	Vadodara	8.00	8.00	11.00	11.00	12.00	12.00
	Gujarat	Rajkot	2.50	2.50	3.09	3.09	2.50	2.50
23.	Uttarakhand	Dehradun	3.75	3.75	4.85	4.85	5.42	5.42
24.	Chhattisgarh	Raipur	4.78	4.78	7.50	7.50	5.94	5.94
25.	Jharkhand	Ranchi	1.18	1.16	2.00	2.00	2.15	2.15
		Chemical	6.51	6.48	9.91	9.89	8.36	8.36
		Horticultural Activity (All India)	19.33	19.32	--	--	--	--
		DG Office	11.74	11.73	3.15	2.77	13.19	13.19
		Reserve	0.02	0.00	--	--	--	--
		Total	270.00	269.57	392.71	391.93	443.53	443.53