

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1117  
ANSWERED ON 08.02.2021**

**TOURISM PROJECTS APPROVED IN TELANGANA**

**1117. SHRI ANUMULA REVANTH REDDY:**

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

- (a) the details of the Tourism Projects approved, sanctioned and executed in each of the identified Tourism Circuits in the State of Telangana during the last five years including the current year, year-wise;**
- (b) the details of the Tourism Projects completed so far and the time by which the remaining projects are likely to be completed;**
- (c) the reasons for the delay in completion of the pending projects;**
- (d) the details of funds allocated, released and utilised for the development of tourism sector in the state during the said period, year-wise; and**
- (e) whether the State Government of Telangana has submitted any project proposal to the Government and if so, the details thereof along with the present status of ongoing projects in the state of Telangana?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)  
(SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL)**

**(a) to (e): Development and promotion of Tourism is primarily the responsibility of the State Governments / UT Administrations. However, the Ministry of Tourism under 'Swadesh Darshan' scheme is developing thematic circuits in the country in planned and prioritized manner in order to develop tourism infrastructure at multiple destinations. As of now fifteen thematic circuits have been identified under this scheme for development namely; North-East,**

**Buddhist, Himalayan, Coastal, Krishna, Desert, Tribal, Eco, Wildlife, Rural, Spiritual, Ramayana, Heritage, Sufi and Tirthankar. The Ministry of Tourism has sanctioned 3 projects in the State of Telangana which are under different stages of implementation. The list of the projects sanctioned under Swadesh Darshan in the State of Telangana is annexed.**

**Sanctioning of new projects under Swadesh Darshan scheme is under review.**

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**ANNEXURE****STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1117 ANSWERED ON 08.02.2021 REGARDING TOURISM PROJECTS APPROVED IN TELANGANA****THE DETAILS OF PROJECTS SANCTIONED IN TELANGANA UNDER SWADESH DARSHAN****(Amt. in Cr.)**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Theme/Year of Sanction</b>	<b>Name of the Project</b>	<b>Sanction Amount</b>	<b>Release Amount</b>	<b>Utilised Amount</b>
<b>1.</b>	<b>Eco Circuit 2015- 16</b>	<b>Development of Circuit in Mahaboobnagar districts (Somasila, Singotam, Kadalaivanam, Akkamahadevi, Egalanpanta, Farahabad, Uma Maheshwaram, Mallelatheertham)</b>	<b>91.62</b>	<b>87.05</b>	<b>77.45</b>
<b>2.</b>	<b>Tribal Circuit 2016- 17</b>	<b>Development of Mulugu-Laknavaram-Medavaram- Tadvai-Damaravi- Mallur-Bogatha Waterfalls.</b>	<b>79.87</b>	<b>75.88</b>	<b>69.90</b>
<b>3.</b>	<b>Heritage Circuit 2017-18</b>	<b>Development of Qutub Shahi Heritage Park- Paigah Tombs- Hayat Bakshi Mosque- Raymond's Tomb</b>	<b>96.90</b>	<b>70.61</b>	<b>45.30</b>

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