

**Statement***[Translation]**Number of Sub-Regional Offices, States-wise***Nirvana Sthali of Sant Kabir Das**

Sl. No.	Name of States/ Regions	No. of SROs
1.	Andhra Pradesh	5
2.	Bihar	4
3.	Gujarat	4
4.	Haryana	2
5.	Karnataka	4
6.	Kerala	3
7.	Madhya Pradesh	4
8.	Maharashtra	6
9.	North Eastern Region	3
10.	Orissa	1
11.	Punjab	3
12.	Rajasthan	3
13.	Tamil Nadu	6
14.	Uttar Pradesh	8
15.	West Bengal	5
Total		61

405. SHRI INDRAJEET MISHRA : Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are contemplating to develop Maghar which is 'Nirvana Sthali of Sant Kabir Das', as a tourist spot; and

(b) if so, the funds allocated in this regard during the current financial year?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRI OMAK APANG) : (a) and (b) Development of Tourist places is primarily the responsibility of the State Governments/U.T. Administrations. Ministry of Tourism, however, provides financial Assistance for the specific projects identified in consultation with them based on their merits and availability of funds. The Government of Uttar Pradesh has already taken steps to develop Maghar as a tourist spot. The following works have been completed by the State Government with a total cost of Rs. 16.45 lakhs during the last 5-6 years:—

1. Construction of Ghats.
2. Construction of Yatri Chhadak
3. Construction of Toilets.

**Child Labour**

406. SHRI RAMPAL UPADHYAY :  
SHRI SURENDRA PRASAD YADAV  
(JAHANABAD) :  
SHRI MULLAPALLY RAMACHANDRAN :

Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether the number of child labour force is likely to be trippled by the year 2000, as per an assessment made by the Planning Commission; and

(b) if so, the action proposed to be taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR (DR. SATYANARAYAN JATIYA) : (a) and (b) As per information received Planning Commission has made no assessment regarding the number of child labour force in the Ninth Plan.