

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA**

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DEVELOPMENT OF SARANG GARH AS TOURIST PLACE
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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have received any proposal from the State Government of Madhya Pradesh to convert the Sarang Garh as tourist centre;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the reaction of the Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI ANANTHKUMAR)

(a), (b) and (c): The development of tourist places is primarily undertaken by the State Governments/Union Territories. However, Ministry of Tourism provides Central financial assistance for Tourism Projects which are prioritised in consultation with the State/UT Governments every year. No proposal to convert the Sarang Garh as tourist centre has been received for prioritisation from the State Government of Madhya Pradesh.