

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM AND CULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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PROTECTED MONUMENTS/MUSEUMS IN KARNATAKA

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Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the name of monuments/museums conserved by the Archaeological Survey of India in the State of Karnataka, location-wise;
- (b) the amount spent and released on maintenance of each monument and museum during the each of the last three years and proposed for 2003-2004;
- (c) whether the maintenance being provided by ASI in these monuments/museums is satisfactory; and
- (d) if not, the steps taken by the Union Government in this regard ?

Answer

MINISTER FOR TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI JAGMOHAN)

- (a) A list of centrally protected monuments including those in the state of Karnataka is available in Parliament Library.
- (b), (c) &(d) The expenditure incurred monument /museums wise in the state of Karnataka for maintenance and structural repair as well as provision for 2003-2004 are as per annexure I and II respectively. The conservation of monuments, which is a continuous process, is taken up as per archaeological norms depending on availability of resources.