

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
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NATIONAL TOURISM PROMOTION BOARD
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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to set up a `National Tourism Promotion Board` with fundings from both the Government and the private sector to step up tourist inflows; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SMT. RENUKA CHOWDHURY)

(a) and (b): The issue of setting up of a National Tourism Promotion Board has been examined in the past but no final decision could be taken. The issue is being re- examined.