

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:53
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NATURAL FALLS AT KURTHALAM IN TAMIL NADU
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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware of beautiful Natural Falls at Kurthalam in Tirunelveli district in Tamil Nadu;
- (b) if so, whether the Government has any plan to develop this place as a tourist site;
- (c) if so, whether the Government proposes to develop this site through ITDC; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d): No project proposal for development of Natural Falls at Kurthalam in Tirunelveli District has been received from the Government of Tamil Nadu by the Ministry of Tourism. However, projects for construction of Tourist Lodge at Courtallam (1993-94) for Rs.39.00 lakhs and National Health Centre at Courtallam(1998-99) for Rs.10.00 lakhs have been sanctioned.