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title : The Minister of State in the Ministry of Tourism laid the statement regarding status of implementation of the recommendations in 126th Report of Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture on action taken by the Government on the recommendations/observations contained in 119th Report of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2007-08) Demand No. 92 pertaining to Ministry of Tourism.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRI SULTAN AHMED): Madam, I beg to lay the Statement on the status of implementation of Recommendations contained in the 126th Report of Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture in pursuance of the direction of the Hon. Speaker, Lok Sabha which reads as under: -

"That Minister concerned shall make once in six months a statement in the House regarding the status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Reports of Lok Sabha with regard to his Ministry."

The Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture presented the 126th Report of the Committee on Action Taken by the Government on the Recommendations/Observations of the Committee contained in its One Hundred Nineteenth Report on Demands for Grants (2007-08) of Ministry of Tourism. The Committee considered and adopted the report at its meeting held on 2nd November, 2007. The Report was presented to the Rajya Sabha on 20.11.2007 and also laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha on 20.11.2007.

Madam Speaker, in its Report, the Standing Committee made 22 Recommendations in all. Out of 22 Recommendations made by the Committee, this Ministry has accepted 10 Recommendations, 10 Recommendations partially accepted, one was examined and it was not found feasible to accept the same and

* Laid on the Table and also placed in Library See No. LT-510/15/09

in respect of one Recommendation, no action was called for by the Ministry. The Action Taken Report on Recommendations of the Committee has been furnished to the Rajya Sabha Secretariat *vide* Ministry of Tourism's O.M. dated 24.3.2008.

I also lay on the Table of the House the present status of implementation of each recommendation as Annexure.