To,

Sri B.S. Bisht

Under Secretary to the GoI, M.II Ministry of Culture, Shastri Bhavan New Delhi – 110 001

Sub: Rajya Sabha Question Diary no. U-4870 for 06.04.2023 regarding Virtual Sikh Museum

Ref: Your e-mail dated 24.03.2023

Sir,

With reference to above, I am directed to furnish below materials for framing of appropriate reply to Rajya Sabha Question Diary no. U-4870 for O6.04.2023 regarding Virtual Sikh Museum: -

SI.	Question		Material	of NCSM for	
no.		framing of reply			
(a)	Details of Virtual	Not	known to National	Council of Science Museums	
	Experiential Museums	(NCS	M). However, it is n	nentioned that NCSM has set	
set up in the country; up Vil			p Virtual Experiential Museum with the financial		
		assistance received from the Ministry of Culture, Gov			
		of India at the following places: -			
		SI.	Particulars	Remarks	
		No.			
		1	Virtual	The museum was	
			Experiential	inaugurated by the Hon'ble	
			Museum at	Prime Minister of India on	
			Varanasi in the	19.02.2019	
			state of U.P.		
		2	Virtual	The project was completed	
			Experiential	by NCSM, in all respects	
			Museum at	and handed over to	
			Ajanta in	National Museum, Delhi on	
			National Museum,	20th February, 2020	
			New Delhi		
(b)	Whether the Ministry				
	plans to set up a	Not k	known to NCSM.		

	Virtual Experiential Museum dedicated to	
	the Sikh Community?	
(c)	If yes, the details thereof	Not applicable.
(d)	If not, the reasons therefor	Not known to NCSM.
(e)	Whether the Ministry plans to set up a	
	physical museum dedicated to the Sikh community or not? If	Not known to NCSM
	yes, the details thereof; and	
(f)	If not, the reasons therefor?	Not applicable

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
Sd/(Saibal Bose)

Controller of Administration