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To,

Sri S.C. Mondal  
Under Secretary, M.II  
Ministry of Culture,  
Shastri Bhavan  
New Delhi – 110 001

Sub: LSDY no. 2520 for 01.08.2022 regarding setting up of Science Centres and Innovation Hubs in Uttar Pradesh

Ref: Your e-mail dated 26.07.2022

Sir,

With reference to above, I am directed to furnish below materials for framing of appropriate reply to LSDY no. 2520 for 01.08.2022 regarding setting up of Science Centres and Innovation Hubs in the country and Uttar Pradesh: -

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(a)	the details of the Science Cities, Science Centres and Innovation Hubs set up so far throughout the country under the Scheme for Promotion of Culture of Science(SPOCS) aimed at promoting science culture;	Science Cities, Science Centres and Innovation Hubs set up by NCSM in different parts of the Country and handed over to respective State Govts. under Scheme for Promotion of Culture of Science(SPOCS) for promoting a culture of science is listed at Annexure 'A'. -
(b)	the details of the funds allocated and utilized till date under this scheme;	The details of the funds allocated and utilized till date under the said scheme is listed at Annexure- 'B'.
(c)	whether more number of such Science Cities, Science Centers and Innovation Hubs are proposed to be set up in other States including Uttar Pradesh under this scheme?	Yes. The no. of Science Cities, Science Centres and Innovation Hubs that are proposed to be set up by NCSM is listed at Annexure- 'C'. Science Centres are setup in the country through

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		<p>National Council of Science Museums (NCSM) to promote a culture of Science based on the proposals received from different State Govts. /UTs with commitments of encumbrance free land, sharing of cost of the project (capital &amp; corpus) and commitment for operation, manpower and management of the project etc., after handing over by NCSM and with the approval of the Government as per the norms of the Scheme for Promotion of Culture of Science (SPoCS) scheme of the Ministry of Culture.</p> <p>However, no such proposal has so far been received from the State of Uttar Pradesh.</p>

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

-Sd/-

(Saibal Bose)

Controller of Administration