



GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA  
DEPARTMENT OF ARCHAEOLOGY, MUSEUMS  
AND HERITAGE, MYSURU

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ANNUAL REPORT



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Mysuru – 570010

**ARCHAEOLOGY, MUSEUMS AND HERITAGE DEPARTMENT**  
**ANNUAL REPORT 2018-19**

**Preamble:**

The Directorate of Archaeology and Museums which was established in the year 1885 has been merged with Department of Archaeology, Museums and Heritage vide **Government order No. KASAMVAPRA 10 KMU 2012 dated 23-2-2012**. The Commissioner has been appointed as the head of the Department after re-structuring of the Department.

In **Government Order No.KASAMVA/234/KMU/2014 dated 13-03-2015** the word *Prachayvastu* in Kannada is termed as *Puratathva* and thus the name of the Department is called as Department of Archaeology, Museums and Heritage.

The Department is rendering service in the field of **Art & Culture**, All its activities have been taken up under **plan head**.

The fundamental functions of the Department include Archaeological Explorations, Excavations, Conservation of Ancient Monuments, Study of early Coins, Publication of academic and research books, Development and maintenance of Museums and organizing Cultural and Educational activities etc. All these activities have been organized in a systematic manner and also implemented by the Department.

The Department has been preserving invaluable ancient sculptures, stone edicts, coins, copper plates, etc., in the departmental Museums for the sake of posterity.

The Department has been carrying out the conservation and developmental works relating to the heritage buildings in six heritage areas because of their historical background namely: Mysore, Srirangapatna, Bidar, Gulbarga, Bijapur and Kittur during 2004. Besides 14 more heritage areas i.e. Sannathi, Nagavi, Kamatagi, Badami, Aihole, Bangalore, Lakkundi, Banavasi, Talakadu, Balligavi, Belur,

Halebeedu, Malkhedra, Melukote, have been declared as Heritage areas on par with the budget speech for the year 2012-13. The documentation and integrated management plan of all the 20 heritage cites consisting of ancient monuments and buildings has been completed with inventorying prior to carrying out conservation of all these relics.

The department has in its administrative jurisdiction 5 offices of Deputy Director at Mysore (Heritage), Gulbarga, Bengaluru, Dharwad and Kamalapur (Hampi). There are about 16 Government Museums in places like Bangalore, Chitradurga, Shimoga, Mysore, Srirangapatna, Hassan, Madikeri, Mangalore, Kittur, Gadag, Gulbarga, Raichur, Basavakalyana, Hoovinahadagali and Sculpture Gallery at Athani. There is an Venkatappa Art Gallery at Bangalore.

### 1. Staff position :

Group	No.of post sanctioned	No.of post filled	Male	Female	Vacant post
A	12	5	04	01	7
B	07	06	04	02	01
C	84	44	29	15	40
D	116	42	29	13	74
<b>Total</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>122</b>

### 2. Additional Charge:

- 1) In Government Notification No.Ka.sam.va./59/KMU/2018 dated 13/12/2018 Dr. R.Gopal, Director (Museum), Government Museum and Venkatappa Art Gallery, Bengaluru, is placed in additional charge against the vacant post of the Director (Archaeology) at the Commissioner Office, Mysuru.
- 2) As per the Government order No. KASAMVA 40KMU2018 dated 19/03/2018 Sri. S.M. Poojari, Archaeological conservation Engineer is placed in additional charge of Deputy Director, Bengaluru Division, Bengaluru.
- 3) As per the Government order No. KASAMVA 56KMU2017dated:24.06.2017 Dr.S.K.Vasudev, Archaeological conservation Engineer is placed in additional charge of Deputy Director, Kamalapur (Hampi).

- 4) As per the Government order No. KASAMVA 81KMU2018dated:23.06.2018 Dr. S.K.Vasudev, Archaeological conservation Engineer is placed in additional charge of Deputy Director, Dharwad.
- 5) As per the Government order No. KASAMVA 91 KMU 2015 dated 29/05/2015 D.Shivappa, Assistant Director, Government Museum, Kalaburaghi and as per the Government order No. KASAMVA 38 KMU 2017 dated 22/04/2017 he has been placed against the vacant post of additional charge of the Deputy Director, Kalaburaghi.
- 6) As per the Official Memorandum No:Pusampa:EST.1:ka.sam.13.Bidugade Aadesha:2018-19 Dated:25.07.2018 Sri.S.M.Poojari, Archaeological Conservation Engineer (South Zone), has been placed in additional charge of the Archaeological Conservation Engineer (Heritage).

### **3. Promotion details:**

1. 4 Curators has been promoted to Assistant Director.
2. 1 First Division Assistant, 2 Stenographer cum Clerk has been promoted to Office Superintendent.
3. 1 Assistant Curator has been promoted to Curator.
4. 3 Second Division Assistant has been promoted to First Division Assistant.
5. 1 Typist cum Clerk has been promoted to Stenographer cum Clerk.
6. 16 Group 'D' has been promoted to Attender.

### **4. Cadre and Recruitment Rules:**

The Department of Archaeology & Museums has got its own Cadre and Recruitment Rules vide Government notification No. ITY 67 KMU 86 dated 28-2-1992. Suitable proposal is being submitted to Government to get revised C & R in view of the re-structuring of the Department of Archaeology, Museums and Heritage. As per the decision taken in the meeting in connection with the Cadre and Recruitement Rules of this Department on 13.04.2018 at the Government level, a suitable proposal for the ammendments has been submitted to Government. As per G.O number Ka.sam.va 76 KMU 2018 dated:20.06.2018 a revised C and R will submitted Government shortly.

### **5. Acts and Rules :**

The Department has the following Acts and Rules

1. The Karnataka Ancient and Historical Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Act, 1961 and Rules 1965.
2. The Karnataka Treasure Trove Act 1962 and Rules 1963.

## 6. Budget :

### Detailsof Budget and Expenditure During 2018-19

(Rs. In Lakh)

Sl. No	Head of Account	Budget allotted for the year 2018-19	Released budget amount for the year 2018-19	Expenditure for the year 2018-19	Percentage on released budget
1	2205-00-102-0-78 The Sahyadri Heritage Development Authority	12.00	12.00	12.00	100%
2	2205-00-102-0-79 The Chalukya's Heritage Area Management Authority	50.00	25.00	25.00	100%
3	2205-00-102-1-92 Development of Lakkundi Authority	50.00	0.00	0.00	0%
4	2205-00-103-0-01 Department of Archaeology, Museums and Heritage	909.00	909.00	918.37	101%
5	2205-00-102-0-79 Development of Hampi Authority	30.00	30.00	30.00	100%
6	2205-00-103-0-21 Commissioner, Heritage	1003.00	1001.50	1014.71	101%
7	2205-00-102-0-79 Sankriti Sangrahalaya	25.00	12.50	12.50	100%
8	2205-00-107-0-01 Development of museums	313.00	313.00	294.15	94%
9	2205-00-107-0-02 Enforcement of Antiquities and Art Treasures Act 1972	3.00	1.50	0.00	0%
10	4202-04-101-0-02 (Capital expenditure) Archaeology and Museums	353.00	176.50	125.69	71%
<b>Total</b>		<b>2748.00</b>	<b>2481.00</b>	<b>2432.42</b>	<b>98%</b>

## 7. On-going plan schemes:

The Government has accorded approval for on-going scheme under Annual Plan, 2018-19 in G.O. No. KASAMVA 92 KMU 2018 Dated: 01.08.2018. Provision for grant of Rs.2748.00 lakh has been made for on-going plan scheme out of which there is an expenditure of Rs.2432.42 lakhs with an achievement of progress of 98%.

#### **8. Seminars, Archaeological photographic exhibitions & functions:**

1. On the occasion of “*Kodagu Pravasi Uthsava 2019*” dated from 11.01.2019 to 13.01.2019 organised a photographic exhibition.
2. International Museum Day was celebrated in all the Government Museums under this Department on 18.05.2018 on the eve of “*International Museum Day*”. In this context, a special type of innovative programme entitled “*Museums on Wheels*” was sponsored for public in Mysuru. In this programme around 10 to 12 museums in Mysuru visited with publics and Resource persons and more than 50 students, Senior Citizens and Women are also participated in this programme.
3. On the occasion of the “*Dasara 2018*” in the corridor of the office at Mysuru, photographic exhibition was arranged on the Monuments and Historical temples in the line drawings as an awareness programme to the students/public/researchers.
4. On the occasion of “*Maagi Uthsava 2018*” rare photographs of Mysuru Wodeyars Royal dynasty were exhibited in the premises of Mysuru Palace.
5. Two days seminar was arranged from 16.02.2019 to 17.02.2019 on “*Rajashree Nalvadi Krishnaraja Wodeyara Jeevana Mathu Sadhane*”. The Minister of Kannada and Culture and also the Minister Incharge of the Mysuru district were present to inaugurate the function. Hundreds of students, researchers and scholars participated in this seminar. More than 40 papers were presented in the seminar.

6. The 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Seminar was arranged on the “*Studies of Vijayanagara*” at Hampi from 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2019 to 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2019 on the occasion of world famous Hampi celebrations. More than 45 scholars presented their papers on Vijayanagara Studies. That apart more than 150-200 students and researchers were present.
7. A state level workshop on Epigraphy was arranged in collaboration with Karnataka University, Dharwad from 14.03.2019 to 15.03.2019 for 2 days in the auditorium of Karnataka University, Dharwad. Training was imparted to the research aspirants in the subject of Epigraphy.

#### **9. Publications released by the department during the year 2018 and 2019.**

01. Archaeological Excavations at TALAKAD 2006-2010, Volume-II.
02. Buddhist Art and Culture in Karnataka - India.

#### **10. Research Publications launched by the department:**

1. Chamarajanagara Jilleya Ithihasa mathu Purathathva.
2. Karnatakada Vasthu sangrahalayagalallina Chithrakale.

#### **11. Details of Research on Antiquities:**

1. An ancient Veeragal found nearby Kaveri river shore in Dubare of Somavarapet taluk, Kodagu district was transported to Madikeri Museum on 26.02.2019.




#### **12. Excavation report:**

- a. In the year 2018-19 an excavation was conducted at Talakadu, T.Narasipura taluk, Mysuru district under the guidance of Prof. M.N.Krishnamurthy, Former professor, (Faculty of Archaeology), University of Mysuru, Mysuru and Director (Archaeology), Department of Archaeology, Museums and Heritage. An Archaeological Antiques were found in this excavation site.
- b. In the year 2018-19 an excavation is being carried out in the precincts of Nobleman quarters at Hampi under the guidance of Dr.C.S.Vasudevan, Professor, History and Archaeology, Hampi Kannada Vishwavidyalaya, Vidyaranya in the presence of Dr.S.K.Vasudeva, Deputy Director (I/c) and Dr.Manjanayaka.R, Archaeological Assistant. The excavation is under progress.



**13. Heritage walk in traditional dress/heritage cycle ride/heritage tanga ride for couples:**

- On the eve of Dasara celebrations 2018 heritage walk in traditional dress on 11.10.2018, heritage cycle ride on 12.10.2018 and heritage tanga ride for couples on 13.10.2018 were arranged by this department. The tourists, publics and various college students in connection with imparting awareness about the tangible heritage buildings which are historically and artistically important. More than 700 members were present on this special occasion held for three days.
- During the current financial year on the occasion of Dasara festivities a new programme titled “**Selfie with Heritage Building**” was sponsored to give first-hand information to the present day youths and also senior citizens about heritage buildings in Mysuru city. Three prizes were distributed to the winners of the competition based on quality three selfie photos carrying a prize of Rs.3000/- for first prize, Rs.2000/- for second prize and Rs.1000/- for third prize.

Sl No	Name of Participant	Place secured	Selfie with heritage building
1	Meghana J Banumaiah	First	
2	Kalihundi Shivakumar	Second	
3	Savitha.B.R	Third	

- During 2018-19 personnel from Administrative Training Institute/State Urban Development Institute/Postal Training Institute/Trainees from Mysuru Police Academy/Bank Officers/Corporates from Municipality/Students from High Schools and Colleges/Foreign students studying in various colleges/Tourists/ Foreign Tourists/ District Level Officers participated in all the 20 Heritage walk programmes.

1. Heritage Walk in Traditional Dress	-	01
2. Heritage Cycling	-	01
3. Heritage tanga ride	-	01
4. <u>Heritage Walk</u>	-	<u>20</u>



**Total** \_\_\_\_\_ - **23**

Total 23 programmes organised by the department.

**14. Heritage Club:**

A grant of Rs.9,85,000.00 has been released to 20 government colleges and 26 private aided colleges (Total 46 colleges) who have established Heritage Clubs for the purpose of creation of awareness about tangible, intangible and natural heritage of our land among the college students in the year 2018-19.

**15. Prachyaprajne:**

During 2014-15 in the budget speech vide para 253 announcement had been made on *PrachyaPrajne* which has been implemented and continued in the year 2018-19.

The Karnataka State had been under the reign of many royal dynasties that had left behind many relics especially in the form of ancient monuments. To provide first-hand information about these ancient monuments, Art, Culture, Literature and Architectural styles to the high school students, a special program entitled *PrachyaPrajne* had been organized at Mysuru by the Department in association with the Department of Public Instruction, District Administration, Kannada, Culture and Information and Public relations. Local City Corporation, City Municipality, Taluk Administration, the programs implemented during 2014-15 is continued in the year 2018-19 and also an expenditure of Rs.29,50,000.00 has been incurred for such programs in 23 districts through Deputy Director of Department of Public Instruction.

**16. Heritage Art Camp:**

During the financial year 2018-19 a grant of Rs.5.00lakhs was released to Assistant Curator, Government Museum, Kittur to conduct an Intangible Art Camp from dated:07.03.2019 to 11.03.2019 at Rani Channamma Fort premises, Kittur. In this camp 17 senior Artists and 3 Junior artists participated.

**17. Seminar:**

During the financial year 2018-19 the seminars was conducted to preserve the rich heritage in the state in the form of ancient monuments, temples and their vivid styles, art, grandeur, paintings and their varieties, heritage forms like

tangible, intangible, natural and handing over all these cultural/heritage wealth to the future generation. Besides this, seminars facilitate exchange of ideas and research relating to heritage among the fraternity of students and renowned scholars as a communicative bridge. The seminars were conducted in the colleges as below:

	<b>Officers</b>	<b>Colleges</b>	<b>Programmes</b>
1	Deputy Director (I/c) Department of Archaeology, Museums and Heritage, near Bayalu Rangamandir, College Road, Dharwad.	Principal, Sri Shivayogi Murugendra Swamiji Arts, Science and Commerce College, Athani.	Two days State Level Seminar about <b>“Karnataka Nataka Parampare”</b>
2	Assistant Director, Department of Archaeology, Museums and Heritage, Shivappanayaka palace premises, near Kote Anjaneya Swamy temple, Shimoga- 577202.	Principal, Vijaya Mahanthesha Krupaposhitha S.R.Vasthrad Arts, Science and Vijaya Shankarappa Bellihala Commerce College, Hunagunda- 587118, Bagalkote.	Two days National Level Seminar about <b>“Aithihasika Smarakagala Vaividyathe Mathu Samrakshane”</b>
3	Deputy Director (Heritage) Department of Archaeology, Museums and Heritage, Mysuru.	Principal, P.R.M Vijaya First Grade College, Gopalapura road, T.Narasipura-571121, Mysuru district.	Two days seminar about <b>“Amurtha Parampare”</b>
4	Curator, Department of Archaeology, Museums and Heritage, Basavakalyana.	Principal, Akkamahadevi Women College, Bidar-585401.	Two days National Level Seminar about <b>“Bidar jilleya Vasthushilpa Shaili”</b>

## 18. N.S.S Programme:

A programme of cleansing historical monuments/heritage buildings and also publicity taken over with co-ordination of below three Universities  
 (1) Co-ordinator, Gulbarga University, Kalaburgi,  
 (2) Co-ordinator, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi,  
 (3) Co-ordinator, Kannada University, Vidyaranya, Hampi.

**19. World Heritage Day:**

“A World Heritage Day” was celebrated on 18.04.2018 by watering saplings by the Commissioner, Archaeology, Museums and Heritage, in the presence of Departmental officers and staff.

**20. World Heritage Week:**

On the occasion of World Heritage week Photographic exhibition of Heritage buildings at Bengaluru, Traditional Sports and competition of Rangoli and at Balligavi and Shimoga along with Seminar On “Intangible Heritage”, and sponsoring the competition of *Prachyaprajne*, Heritage Walk in Talakadu. Museums and Heritage Buildings on Wheels in Gulbarga. Heritage Walk in Lakkundi, Seminar in Kittur etc were conducted.

**21. Heritage Committee:**

**The details of the continuation of Heritage Area Development and experts committee.**

Sl No	Details of the Committee	Government Order No.	Period	
			From	To
1	Mysuru Heritage Area Development Experts Committee	KASAMVA 150 KMU 2017 Bengaluru, Dated 13.09.2017	01.04.2017	31.03.2022
2	Srirangapattana Heritage Area Development Experts Committee	KASAMVA 37 KMU 2016 Bengaluru, Dated 26.04.2018 Corrigendum No:KASAMVA 89 KMU 2018 Bengaluru, Dated 19.07.2018	01.04.2018	31.03.2020
3	Gulbarga Heritage Area Development Experts Committee	KASAMVAPRA 390 KMU 2012 Bengaluru, Dated 06.04.2013.	From 22.01.2013 to next 2 years	
4	Bidar Heritage Area Development Experts Committee	KASAMVA 238 KMU 2016 Bengaluru, Dated 01.03.2017	From 10.12.2016 to next 2 years	

5	Kittur Heritage Area Development Experts Committee	KASAMVA 18 KMU 2015 Bengaluru, Dated 03.09.2015	From 09.12.2014 to next 2 years	
6	Vijayapura Heritage Area Development Experts Committee	KASAMVA 115 KMU 2016 Bengaluru, Dated 26.04.2017 Corrigendum No:KASAMVA 38 KMU 2018 Bengaluru, Dated 19.07.2018	02.04.2018	01.04.2020
7	Bengaluru City Heritage Area Development – Constitution of Experts Committee	Amendment proposals of committee members list has send to the government.	-	-

## 22. Re-Printing of Heritage Series:

- “Mysuru Varnachitrakale” (One thousand books).
- Kitturu - Kannada/English (One thousand books each).
- Srirangapattana - Kannada/English (One thousand books each).

## 23. Public Grievances:

The Department is receiving requests in the form of grievances from public/individuals and institutions concerning about conservation of monuments. They are being looked into on priority basis keeping in view of the budgetary allocations.

## 24. Right to Information Act:

Right to Information applications received as follows:

Year	No of applications received directly.	Applications transferred to the office from government/ other agencies.	Applications transferred from the Sub-offices.	Total no of Applications for which reply has been furnished by Sub-offices	Total No of application received
April 2018 to March 2019	49	07	03	06	65

## 25. Conservation of Works:

The conservation works are being taken up through various head of account by the department by inviting e-tenders, after obtaining approval from the Technical Advisory Committee and KUIDFC, Bangalore. During the current year the following conservation works had been carried out.

### 2205-00-103-0-01-059 Other Expenses

Sl No	Works details	Expenditure of 2018-19
<b>I</b>	<b>On going Works</b>	
1	CONSERVATION OF SRI VENUGOPALASWAMY TEMPLE AT BELAGALI, MYSORE DISTRICT.	2647727
2	CONSERVATION OF SRI BASAVESHWARA TEMPLE AT MAYAGONDANAHALLI, K.R.NAGAR TALUK MYSURU DISTRICT.	1631839
3	CONSERVATION OF SRI SHAMBULINGESHWARA TEMPLE AT GODDANAPURA VILLAGE, NANJAGUDU TALIK, MYSORE	486792
4	CONSERVATION OF SRI CHANNIGARAYA TEMPLE AT HADINARU VILLAGE NANJANGUD Tq MYSORE DISTRICT.	2293000
5	CONSTRUCTION OF RAJAGOPURA & GARUDAGAMBA SRI VARADHARAJASWAMY TEMPLE AT VARKOD MYSORE TALUK MYSORE DISTRICT.	1215047
7	CONSERVATION OF SRI BRAMMESWARA TEMPLE AT KIKKERI AT KR PETE TALLUK MANDYA DISTRICT.	1276000
8	CONSERVATION OF SRI ESHWARA TEMPLE AT BELLALE VILLAGE PANDAVAPURA TALUK MANDYA DISTRICT	3026752
10	CONSERVATION OF SRI DURGAPARAMESHWARI TEMPLE (TRISHULINI) AT BALAPA, SULTA TQ AND DAKSHINAKANNADA DIST.	4024831
11	CONSERVATION OF SRI JODI ANJANEYASWAMY TEMPLE AT BELAGALI, CHANNARAYAPATNA, HASSAN DISTRICT	1544697
12	CONSERVATION OF SRI VENKATARAMANA TEMPLE MADUGIRI MADUGIRI TQ AND TUMKUR DISTRICT	2438653
13	CONSERVATION OF SRI SHIVALINGESHWARA TEMPLE AT CHENNAGIRI TQ AND DAVANAGERE DISTRICT.	3167143
14	CONSERVATION OF SRI VEERABHDRASWAMY TEMPLE AT BASAVAPURA HOSNAGARA TALUK, SHIMOGA DISTRICT.	3385667
15	CONSERVATION OF AGASTHESWAR TEMPLE AT HULI SAVADATTI TQ BELGUM DIST	1592235

Sl No	Works details	Expenditure of 2018-19
16	CONSERVATION SHRI GAJESHWARA (ISHWARA) TEMPLE AT HIREHALLI BYADAGI TQ HAVERI DIST	1766594
17	CONSERVATION OF SFREE MAHANTIMATHA AT SOUNDA SHIRSHI TQ UTTARAKANNADA DIST	797522
18	CONSERVATION OF SRI KALAMESHWARA TEMPLE AT HIREMANIKATTI SHIGGAV TQ HAVERI DIST.	1415000
19	CONSERVATION OF SRI VEERABHADRESHWARA AND SHRI KHALMESHWARA TEMPLE SHIDENOORU VILLAGE IN BYADAGI TQ HAVERI DIST	2234424
20	CONSERVATION OF ESHWARA AND NARAYANA TEMPLE AT NEELAGUNDA VILLAGE GADAG TQ AND DIST	2019748
21	CONSERVATION OF HAZART SHAIK SIRAJUDDIN JUNAIDI DURGHA (SHEKROZA) IN KALABURGI TQ AND KALABURGI DIST.	800000
22	CONSERVATION OF HASAN GANU BAHAMANI SULTAN MOHMMED SHAH IST TOMB AT ALAND NAGAR KALABURGI CITY KALBURGI DIST.	2000000
23	CONSERVATION OF HAZARAT SYED SHAH CHANDA HUSAINI GOGI SHAREEF (ADIL SHAHI CHOWKANDI) AT GOGI VILLAGE SHAHAPUR TQ YADAGIRI DIST.	1000000
	<b>200- Maintenance On Going Work</b>	
24	PROVIDING AND PAINTING TO HEAD OFFICE BUILDING ACOUSTICS TO MEETING HALL, A.C., WINDOWS AND MAINTENANCE GARDEN FOR HEAD OF OFFICE PREMISES AT DASARA EXHIBITION PREMISES, MYSORE.	821550
25	MAINTAINANCE OF GRADER AT SOMESHWARA TEMPLE AT LAKSHMESHWARA SIRAHATTI TQ GADAG DIST.	326831
26	MAINTENANCE OF GARDEN INFRONT OF SHRI SIDDESHWARA TEMPLE AT MULAGUNDA IN GADAG TQ AND DIST	148000

2205-00-103-0-21 Heritage Commissioner

Sl No	Works details	Expenditure of 2018-19
	<b>2016-17 Budget Speech Programme Para No.241</b>	
1	ESTIMATE FO RTHE PROPOSED RESTORATION WORKS OF GROUP OF MONUMENT AT SIRVAL TQ SHAHAPURA DIST YADAGIRI.	6102000
2	CONSERVATION OF SRI CHAMARAJESWARA TEMPLE AT CHANARAJANAGARA, CHAMARAJANAGARA TALUK DISRICT.	5420126
	<b>Budget Speech Programme Para No.245</b>	

3	CONSERVATION OF SRI MADIVALA MACHIDEVARU GADDUGE AT DEVARAHIPPARAGI SINDAGI TQ BIJAPUR DIST.	17119000
	<b>Budget Speech Programme Para No.284</b>	
4	PREPARATION OF NOMINATION DOSSIER AND MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR ENLISTING THE MONUMENTS AND FORTS OF DECCAN SULTANATE REGION CONSISTING OF VIJAYAPURA, BIDAR AND KALBURGI IN KARNATAKA ON UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE	6365000
	<b>Budget Speech Programme Para No.285</b>	
5	CONSERVATION OF SHRI DEVARADASIMAYYA TEMPLE AT MUDANUR VILLAGE SURPUR TQ YADAGIRI DIST	1222000
6	ESTIMATE FOR THE PROPOSED RESTORATION WORKS OF THE FORT, FORTIFICATION AND BASTIONS AND INVENTORIED STRUCTURES INSIDE FORT PRECINCT AT MALKKHED FORT, MALKHED, SEDAM TQ GULBARGA DIST.	6068000
7	CONSERVATION OF SRI KALLESHWARA TEMPLE AT ARALUGUPPE, TIPPTUR TQ AND TUMKUR DISTRICT.	1801850
8	CONSERVATION OF AMIR FAKRUL-MULK GILANS TOMB AT FATHEPUR NEAR BIDAR DIST.	1469000
9	CONSERVATION OF MANTAPA NEAR AKKANA KOLA AND RESTORATION OF DAMAGE COPUND WALL OF THANGIYA KOLA AT MELUKOTE, PANDAVAPURA TQ MANDYA DISTRICT	3639407
10	CONSERVATION AND RAISING THE HEIGHT OF COMPOUND WALL OF LINGAIAHNA KOLA AT MELUKOTE, PANDAVAPURA TQ MANDYA DISTRICT	751186
11	CONSERVATION OF SURALU MANNINA ARAMANE AT UDUPI DIST & TQ	1000000
12	HERITAGE BUILDINGS REPAIRS WORKS.	579168

**2205-00-103-0-25 Culture Museum**

1	CONSERVATION OF LINGAYAT TOWN HALL IN DHARWAD CITY TQ DHARWAD DIST DHARWAD.	1250000
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1	SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF CCTV CAMERAS TO CHAMARAJA MEMORIALS GOVERNMENT MUSEUM SRIRAGANPATANA MANDYA DIST.	211466
2	SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF CCTV WATER COOLER FIRE EXTINGUISHER SIGNAGE BOARD IN GOVERNMENT MUSEUM AT GOVERNMENT MUSEUMS MADAKERI KODAGU DIST.	25260
3	ESTIMATION OF THE INSTALLATION OF CCTV WATER COOLER FIRE EXTINGUISHER SIGNAGE BOARD IN GOVERNMENT MUSEUM AT BASAVAKALYANA CITY BIDAR DIST	398106



4	ESTIMATE OF THE INSTALETION OF CCTV WATER COOLER FIRE EXTINGUISHER SINEAGE BOARD IN GOVERNMENT MUSEUM AT KALABURGI CITY KALABURGI DIST	398106
5	INSTALLATION OF CCTV, WATER COOLER, FAIR EXTINGUISHER SIGNAGE BOARD IN GOVT MUSEUM IN ATHANI, ATHANI TQ BELGAUM DIST.	160812
6	ESTIMATE OF THE INSTALETION OF CCTV WATER COOLER FIRE EXTINGUISHER SINEAGE BOARD IN GOVERNMENT MUSEUM AT RAICHUR CITY RAICHUR DIST	350300
7	INSTALLATION OF CC TV WATER COOLER, FIRE EXTINGUISHER SIGNAGE BOARD IN GOVT MUSEUM IN GADAG DIST	263989
	<b>200-Management</b>	
8	MAINAINANCE GARDEN FOR WELLINGTON GOVERNMENT MUSEUM ITWIN ROAD MYSORE	194640
9	MENTENANCE OF GARDEN FOR SHIVAPPANAYAKA PALACE GOVERNMENT MUSEUMS, SHIMOGA DISTIRCT	717063
10	MENTENANCE OF GARDEN FOR GOVT MUSEUM IN KALABURGI DIST.	301477
11	MENTENANCE OF GARDEN and Development FOR GOVT MUSEUM IN KITTUR BAILAHONGAL TQ BELGAUM DIST.	174859
12	MENTENANCE OF GARDEN and Development for GOVT MUSEUM AT GADAG TQ AND DIST.	176056
13	REPAIR DOOR, Pedestals, WINDOWS AND SHOWCASES and OTHER DEVELOPMENT WORKS IN MUSEUMS	1390688

#### 4202-04-101-0-02 139 MAJOR WORKS

1	CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF HERITAGE COURT BUILDING AT SAVANURU TQ OF HAVERI DIST.	7115005
2	PROVIDING MEETING HALL IN COMMISSIONER OFFICE	193352
3	CONSERTVATION OF GOVERNMENT MUSEUM BUILDIG HASSAN, HASSAN DIST	2690166
4	CONSTRUCTION OF FIRST FLOOR CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENT TO EXISTIING GOVT MUSEUM AT GADAG TQ AND DIST.	49702
6	CONSTRUCTION OF COMPOUND TO NEW MAIN GATE AT GADAG MUSEUM GADAG TQ GADAG DIST.	402076
	<b>New Works</b>	
7	PROVIDING AND FIXING EXTNSION BOX, UPS AND DRINKING WATER PLANT etc., TO GOVERNMENT MUSEUM AT	194163

	MADAKERI	
8	Building MAINTAINANCE GARDEN FOR WELLINGTON GOVERNMENT MUSEUM ITWIN ROAD MYSORE.	275321
9	Development of DIWAN POORNIA MEMORIALS GOVERNMENT MUSEUM YALANDUR, CHAMARAJANAGARA	197649
10	Building MAINTENANCE OF GOVERNMENT MUSEUMS AND VENKATAPPA ART GALLERY AT BANGALORE	277977
11	PROVIDING AND POLISHING PEDSTALS AND FIXING PLYWOOD TO GOVERNMENT MUSEUMS.	69000
12	ESTIMATE FOR FIXING GRILL IN ENTRANCE GATE OF THE FORT ARCH OPENINGS IN YADAGIRI GORT YADAGIRI DIST	194296
<b>III</b>	<b>Other Programmes</b>	
13	SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF CCTV CANMARAS TO COMMISSIONER OFFICE DAMH	370259
14	PROVIDING SIGN BOARD TO RAJARAGADIGE, GOVERNMENT MUSEUMS AND NALKADU PALACE AT MADAKERI KODAGU DIST	98800
15	SUPPLYING PUR DRINKING WATER PLAT(RO PLANT) IN PREMISES OF VAG AND GOVERNMENT MUSEUM AT KASTUR BAA ROAD	99899
16	CONSTRUCTION OF FIBRE SHED TO R.O. PLANT IN VAG AND GOVERNMENT MUSEUM PREMISES AT KASTUR BAA ROAD BENGALORE	97999
17	PROVIDING AND FIXING EXTNSION BOX, UPS AND DRINKING WATER PLANT TO GOVERNMENT MUSEUM AT MADAKERI.	51000

## 26. TOURISM DEPARTMENT :

Under the capital expenses Head of Account:5452-01-800-0-14 132 Rs.2,33,95,655/- grant was released by the Tourism Department and the following conservation works had been carried out with the expenditure noted against them during the current year.

SL.NO	NAME OF WORK	EXPENDITURE DURING 2018-19
	<b>BENGALURU DIVISION</b>	
1	CONSERVATION OF DILPILATED COMPUND WALL AROUND EDWARD STATUE AT CUBBON PARK PREMISES BANGALORE.	1484182
	<b>TUMKUR DISTRICT</b>	

2	CONSERVATION AND RESTORATION OF KASTHURI RANGAPPANAYAKA FORT WALL AT SIRA TALUK TUMKUR	6954155
	<b>MANDYA DISTRICT</b>	
3	CONSERVATION OF VAHANA MANTAPA OPPOSITE TO SRI CHALUVARAYASWAMY TEMPLE AT MELUKOTE PANDAVAPURA TALUK MANDYA DISTRICT	1000000
4	CONSERVATION OF HEBAGILU NEAR PETE ANJANEYA SWAMY TEMPLE AT MELUKOTE PANDAVAPURA TALUK MANDYA DISTRICT	343346
5	CONSERVATION OF MANTAPA OPPOSITE TO POLYTECHNIC COLLEGE AT MELUKOTE PANDAVAPURA TQ AND MANDYA DISTRICT	260923
	<b>HASSAN DISTRICT</b>	
6	CONSERVATION OF SRI PARSHWANATHA TEMPLE AT HALEBELAGOLA, CHANNARAYAPATNA, TQ HASSAN DISTRICT	647072
7	CONSERVATION OF SRI MUTHINA VEERABHADRA TEMPLE AT HALEBIDU BELUR TALUK HASSAN DIST	2795859

SL.NO	NAME OF WORK	EXPENDITURE DURING 2018-19
8	CONSERVATION OF SRI SHANTHINATHA TEMPLE AT JEENANATHA PURA CHANNARAYAPATNA TALUK HASSAN DIST	772049
9	CONSERVATION OF PUSHKARANI AT HALEBELAGOLA CHANNARAYAPANTNA TALUK HASSAN DIST	592908
	<b>MYSURU DISTRICT</b>	
10	CONSERVATION OF SRI KASHILINGESHWARA TEMPLE AT TARIKALU VILLAGE HUNSUR TALUK, MYSORE	1554803
11	CONSERVATION OF SRI LAKSHMIRAMANA TEMPLE AT MYSORE PLACE PREMISES, MYSORE DISTRICT	183840

12	CONSERVATION OF SRI PRASANNA KRISHNA TEMPLE AT MYSORE PLACE PREMISES MYSORE DISTRICT	2894533
13	CONSERVATION OF SRI TRINESHWARA TEMPLE AT MYSORE PLACE PREMISES, MYSORE.	1265985
14	CONSERVATION OF SRI AGASTHESHWARA TEMPLE AT T.NARASIPURA TALUK, MYSURU DISTRICT.	2500000
15	DEPARTMENTAL WORK ESTIMATES TECHNICAL SCRUTINY CHARGES	146000
	<b>Grand Total</b>	23395655

## 27. The P.D. Deposit of the Department:

The P.D. Account (A/c. No.06000001) of the Commissioner, Archaeology, Museums and Heritage Department is continued for a period of one year from 01-04-2018 to 31-03-2019 under the Head of Account:8443-00-106-3-18 consisting of an amount of Rs.13,29,49,168/-. During the current year the following 16 conservation works had been carried out with an expenditure of Rs. 58809256/=.

Sl No	Details of works	Expenditure Rs. In lakhs
1.	Development of Roerich and Devikarani Roerich estate board.	8413554.00
2.	Renovation of Dr. M.H.Marigowda library building at Lalbagh, Benglauru.	627372.00
3.	Conservation of prakara mantapa at the right side entrance gate Sri Malleshwara temple at Madhugiri pattana, Tumkur district.	710293.00
4.	Conservation of Snanaghatta at Anegundi village, Gangavathi taluk, Koppala district.	20465000.00
5.	Conservation of horse stable at Anegundi village, Gangavathi taluk, Koppala district.	14835000.00
6.	Conservation and restoration of Sri Kamakameshwari temple at Ramanuja road, Mysuru district.	231586.00
7.	Conservation and restoration of Sri Khille Venkataramana Swamy temple at Palace premises, Mysuru district.	867289.00
8.	Conservation and restoration of Sri Panduranga temple at Palace premises, Mysuru district.	667849.00
9.	Conservation and restoration of Sri Kote Maramma temple at Palace premises, Mysuru district.	1717912.00
10.	Conservation and restoration of Sri Gayathri temple at Palace premises, Mysuru district.	99878.00

11.	Conservation and restoration of Nandi statue at Chamundi hill, Mysuru district.	186887.00
12.	Conservation and restoration of rajagopura and prabhavali of Sri Lakshmiramana swamy temple at Palace premises, Mysuru district.	675030.00
13.	Conservation work of Sri Channakeshava swamy temple of 15 <sup>th</sup> A.D and providing infrastructures at Dharmapura village, Hunsur taluk, Mysuru district.	2244232.00
14.	Conservation work and Heritage pathway construction from Hampi Bazar to Kodandarama temple at Hospete taluk, Bellary district.	5421503.00
15.	Conservation of north side office and ticket counter roofing work at Sri Chamundeshwari temple, Chamundi hill, Mysuru.	1215726.00
16	Conservation of St. Philominaus Chaurch, Mysuru	430145.00
	<b>Total</b>	<b>58809256.00</b>

## 28. Collaboration with Private Agencies (PPP):

- A grant of Rs.50.00 lakh has been released to Sri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara Dharmothana Trust during the financial year 2018-19 for the conservation of 16 monuments comes under 14<sup>th</sup> stage of the action plan as per Government order No: KASAMVA/40/KMU/2019 dated 01.02.2019 which has to be carried out in collaboration with this Department.
- Conservation of Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy temple at Melukote, Pandavapura taluk, Mandya district was sponsored by Sri Raveendra, the NRI with an expenditure of Rs.150.00lakhs.n The Conservation work was carried out byan experienced contractor under the guidance of Departmental Archaeological Conservation Engineer (South Zone) and Technical Advisory Committee. The work was completed during the current Year, 2018-19.
- The Department entered into an agreement (MOU) on 20.02.2019 with the Infosys Foundation (Regd), Bengaluru in connection with the Conservation of Panchakalyani, Ganesha Honda and adjacent tanks at an expenditure of Rs.6.00 crore.

## 29. Appointment of personnel from outsourcing by the outside Agency:

The security personnel have been appointed through the outsourcing agencies to look after State Protected Monuments and Museums coming under

the jurisdiction of the department after following the procedure under KTTP Act and Rules by calling tenders. The services of the following personnel are being obtained for the office works in the interest of administration through the outsourcing agency.

Sl. No	Designation of the post from Outsource	Cadre	No. of the posts
1	Archaeological conservation Assistants	C	02
2	Photographer	C	01
3	Literature assistant	C	02
4	Computer operator	C	05
5	Drivers	C	03
6	Security persons	D	106
7	Group D	D	07
	<b>Total</b>		<b>126</b>

### 30. Appointment of Home Guards:

For the surveillance and security of ancient sites in and around historical Hampi and Anegundi the services of 40 Home Guards have been obtained through the Director General, State Home Guards Unit, Bengaluru as per G.O. No.KASAMVA/83/KMU/2018 dated 01-08-2018.

### 31. Grant-in-Aid:

#### a) Hampi World Heritage Area Management Authority:-

As per Government Order a grant of Rs.30.00 lakhs has been released to Hampi World Heritage Management Authority for their annual maintenance during 2018-19 under grant-in-aid and general expenditure.

#### b) Sahyadhri Heritage Development Authority:

As per Government Order a grant Rs.12.00 lakh has been released at an instalment every quarterly towards the payment of staff and maintenance of Authority during the financial year 2018-19.

#### c) Chalukya Development Authority:

As per Government Order a grant Rs.25.00 lakhs has been released for the development for Authority during the financial year 2018-19.

#### d) Lakkundi Development Authority:

Even though a committee consisting of the President, Vice-President and members as per G.O.No:KASAMVA/89/KMU/2017 dated:16-08-2017 Lakkundi Development Authority is yet to be constituted by the Government of Karnataka.

### **32. Declaration as State Protected Monuments:**

The following ancient monuments have been declared as state protected monuments during 2018-19.

- As per the Government order No KASAMVA 34 KMU 2017 dated 01.09.2018 Kumararama Kummatadurga area in Koppala taluk, Koppala district is declared as State Protected Monument.
- Preliminary Notification had been issued by the Government vide notification no KASAMVA 109 KMU 2018 dated 22.09.2018 to declare as State Protected Monument the well with an Octagonal shape step located in the land Hamilapura of Bidar town, Bidar district.

### **33. Achievements:**

**Nomination Dossier and Site Management plan** prepared and submitted to the World Heritage committee for **enlisting** ‘Monuments and forts in Deccan Sultanate’ (Vijayapura, Bidar and Gulbarga) on UNESCO World Heritage list, through Archaeological Survey of India.

### **34. Department website:**

The website ([www.karnatakaarchaeology.gov.in](http://www.karnatakaarchaeology.gov.in)) of the department has been developed on par with site map guidelines provided by Kannada, Culture and Information department to this department. The website consists of the History and main activities of the department, progress achieved by the department during the preceding 3 years, annual reports, Archaeological act and rules, departmental publication details, right to information act, section 4(1)a and 4(1)b for the information of the public, citizen charter, directory of state protected monuments and brief about the monuments, important government orders relating to the department, News and Events, information regarding Tenders. There is provision for improvement of the website after receiving query and FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions).



### 35. Technical Advisory Committee:

In Government Order No.KASAMVA 94 KMU 2018 Dated:24.09.2018 the tenure of the committee consisting of Non-Official Members meant for according Technical and Administrative sanction to the Conservation work is reconstituted and extended for a further period of 3 years from 01.04.2018 to 31.03.2020.

1. Sri B. Ashwathanarayana, Former Secretary, PWD Department.
2. Dr. H.M.Siddanagoudar, Former Director (Museums), Department of Archaeology, Museums and Heritage.
3. Sri Paramanandan, Former Deputy Archaeological Superintendent, Archaeological Survey of India.

### 36. Departmental Library:

The Department has in its possession a very rare library consisting of books mainly on archaeology, history, art, culture, Heritage etc., with a collection of approximate 18398 books which will cater to the needs of scholars, researchers and public, free for entrance. Interested persons and academicians are utilising the services of this library.

### 37. The details regarding the Questions of legislative Assembly and Legislative Council/ Assurance/ Loka Sabha and Rajya Sabha questions for the year 2017-18:

Sl. No	Subject	L.A. Question	L.C. Question	Call attention	Assurance		Loka sabha	Rajya Sabha
					L.A	L.C		
1)	Administrative Matters	05	11	00	00	00	00	00
2)	Regarding Museum	01	03	00	00	00	01	00
3)	Conservation Information	02	05	0	16	01	-	-
4)	Heritage	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5)	Budget Division	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	<b>Total</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>00</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>00</b>

**38. Pending paragraph of Audit reports:**

The audit of the accounts for year 2017-18 has been completed. There are totally **41 audit paras** pending. Already Para-wise remarks have been furnished to these Audit Paras.

**39. Details of Officers travelled outside the state on Official duty and its purpose:**

- a) Dr. R.Gopal, Director (Museums) and Director (Archaeology) (I/c) undertook the journey on official duty and visited Chatrapathy Shivaji Museum in Mumbai, Maharashtra from 23.05.2018 to 27.05.2018 and gathered important information about the Museum in connection with preparation of DPR for the purpose of upgradation of Museums under the the Department so as to attract tourists in large numbers byutilizing the grant of Ministry of Culture, Government Of India.
- b) On the Occasion of finalizing Tentitive list of World Heritage sites in Karnataka attended the meeting conducted by The Archaeology Survey of India, New Delhi from Dated:17.01.2019 to 19.01.2019.
- c) Participated in the Conference on **“Regional Convergence on World Heritage Global strategy in the context of South Asia”** held on 20.02.2019 to 23.02.2019.

**40. Training undergone by the Officers and Officials of the Department:**

During 2018-19 Training undergone by the Officers and Officials of the Department the details are as below.

<b>Sl No</b>	<b>Mode of Training, Place and Date</b>	<b>No. of officers deputed</b>	<b>No. of officials deputed</b>
1)	“A Training Programme on Information and Communication Technology” held on 28.05.2018 and 02.06.2018 to the Officers of the State Accounts Department working on deputation at Fiscal Policy Institute Bengaluru.	01	-
2)	“Stress Management” Training at DTI, Mysuru. From 18.05.2018 to 19.05.2018.	-	2 (Non-Technical)
3)	Office Procedures/e-Governance/Mobile Governance Training at DTI, Mysuru. From 21.05.2018 to 23.05.2018.	-	1 (Non-Technical)
4)	Budget preparation, Audit letter preparation, Finance management training at DTI, Mysuru From 24.05.2018 to 26.05.2018.	-	1 (Non-Technical)

5)	Karnataka state Civil service Rules-General Recruitment-1977, Probationary Rules-1977, Compassionate Recruitment Rules-1996 and Computer Literacy Rules-2012 at DTI, Mysuru from 29.05.2018 to 30.05.2018.	-	2 (Non-Technical)
6)	88 <sup>th</sup> Common Foundation Course)(CFC) at DTI, Mysuru from 04.07.2018 to 29.08.2018.	-	2 (Non-Technical)
7)	“E-Governance, financials (FBAS) Municipalities” State Urban Development Board, Mysuru from 17.09.2018 to 19.09.2018 at ATI, Mysuru.	-	1 (Non-Technical)
8)	Khajane-2 computer software literacy training at DTI, Mysuru from 12.03.2019 to 13.03.2019.	-	2 (Non-Technical)
9)	Training on gender budget at Fiscal Policy Institute, Bengaluru. From 21.03.2019 to 23.03.2019	02	1 (Non-Technical)

**Departmental officers and officials participated in the Training/Seminar /Workshop held out of state.**

S.No	Mode of Training, Place and Date	No. of officers deputed	No. of officials deputed
1)	“Museum Safety and disaster Management for Heritage”. New Delhi. on 11 <sup>th</sup> January, 2019	03	-

**41. Superannuation:**

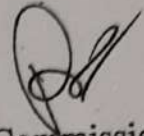
08 officials (Group ‘A’-01, Group ‘C’-04, Group ‘D’-03) retired from Government service on attaining the age of Superannuation during 2018-19.

**42. Court Cases in different Courts:**

Sl.No	Name of the Court	Cases to be settled	Total No. of cases	Cases settled	Cases to be settled
1	Supreme Court, New Delhi	01	02	-	03
2	High Court of Karnataka, Gulbarga, Dharwad	89	02	03	88
3	Taluk and District Court	06	01	-	07

4	DC Court	01	01	-	02
5	Karnataka Administrative Tribunal	06	-	04	02
	<b>Total</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>06</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>102</b>

As explained above the various activities assigned to the Department of Archaeology, Museums and Heritage have been carried out during the year.

  
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