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✓ O/o DDG, Ministry of Tourism

NATIONAL WAR MEMORIAL (NWM): ACTION PLAN- REGARDING

1. Reference the following:-
 - (a) This office OM of even No. dated 10 Aug 2022 forwarding therewith minutes of the VC meeting held under the chairmanship of Defence Secretary on 02 Aug 2022 regarding Action Plan on National War Memorial (NWM).
 - (b) This office letter of even No. 09 Sep 2022.
 - (c) Ministry of Tourism email dated 12 Oct 2022.
 - (d) DTTDC letter No. TR/6832/DTTDC/2021-22/CRO/204(issued) dated 11 Oct 2022.
2. It may be recalled that based on the decision taken in the VC meeting held on 02 Aug 2022, Ministry of Tourism was requested to share updated Action Taken Report (ATR). The same was again solicited vide our letter referred at Para 1(b) above along with status regarding inclusion of NWM as a Hop On Hop Off (HoHo) destination, resumption of HoHo services to NWM and exploring the feasibility of involving local vendors for the purpose of selling NWM mementos, souvenirs, postcards and key chains etc.
3. DTTDC vide their letter referred at Para 1(d) above have intimated that they are in process to reintroduce HoHo Bus Service and "National War Memorial" would be included in the tour circuit. Further, Ministry of Tourism vide their email referred at Para 1 (c) above intimated that they through their regional office (India Tourism Delhi) have already taken up with all stakeholders particularly IATO, TAAI, ITTA, ADTOI, ATOAI to include NWM in their Delhi sightseeing itinerary.
4. Since the progress made w.r.t. Action Plan on NWM is being reviewed at the apex level of the Ministry, following is requested from Ministry of Tourism at the earliest in order to apprise higher authorities in the Ministry:-
 - (a) Updated ATR w.r.t. Action Plan on NWM (chart of action points pertaining to Ministry of Tourism attached as Annexure)
 - (b) Further update on Actions referred at Para 2 above.


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Encl: As Above.

Copy to:-

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PPS to CAO

Current Status/ATR of decisions taken regarding Action Plan on National War Memorial

Sr. No.	Decisions/Deliberations of the VC meeting	Current Status/ATR
(1)	<p><u>Ministry of Tourism</u></p> <p>(a) Permanent incorporation of NWM in tourism circuit of Delhi.</p> <p>(b) Necessary liaising with Delhi Tourism for resumption of HoHo services.</p> <p>(c) Explore the feasibility of involving local vendors for the purpose of selling NWM mementos, souvenirs, postcards and key chains etc.</p> <p>{Para 3(f) of the minutes of meeting dated 03 Aug 2022 refers}</p>	To be updated by Ministry of Tourism