

period, Rs. 10.36 crore has been released to Rajasthan State for development of playfields in 893 village/block panchayats and for conduct of annual sports competitions.

(b) The 'Urban Sports Infrastructure Scheme (USIS) has no provision for funding construction of stadia. Moreover, no fund has been provided to Rajasthan State under the scheme.

(c) Does not arise.

Construction work for Central Regional Centre

†4027. SHRI KAPTAN SINGH SOLANKI: Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the pace of construction work of Sports Authority of India for its Central Regional Centre is slow;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether any time-limit has been fixed for its construction?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The items of work sanctioned for the Central Regional Centre of Sports Authority of India, viz. laying of Synthetic surface, construction of multi-disciplinary hall, hostel, model fitness centre, sports science centre, play fields etc. are going on as per schedule and there is no delay in this regard.

Branches of Nehru Yuva Kendra

4028. SHRI RAMA CHANDRA KHUNTIA: Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether all districts have Nehru Yuva Kendra branches;

(b) if not, the number of districts in the whole country that does not have branch of Nehru Yuva Kendra;

(c) whether Government has any action plan to open branches of Nehru Yuva Kendra; and

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