

namely B.P.Ed. since 2009-2010. The first batch of students is now in the fourth year. Hence, students are yet to pass out of the Institute.

(c) and (d) The sports facilities are used as per the requirement of curriculum. The current strength of students is 169. The details are as under:

| Year | Ist Year | IInd Year | IIIrd Year | IVth Year | Total |
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| 2012-13 | 48 | 47 | 46 | 28 | 169 |

**Protocol breach during march past of Indian delegation
at London Olympics**

2165. SHRI K.N. BALAGOPAL: Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state :

(a) whether any breach of protocol has happened in the inaugural march past of the Indian delegation at London Olympics;

(b) if so, the details and action taken against responsible persons in this regard; and

(c) the details of rewards Government is planning to give, if any, for the Indian medal winners and participants in the London Olympics?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SHRI AJAY MAKEN) (a) and (b) As per media reports, a woman identified as Madhura Honey of Bangalore happened to join the Indian contingent during the march past at the Opening Ceremony of London Olympic Games, 2012. The Indian Olympic Association (IOA) after taking cognizance of the issue, raised the matter with the London Organizing Committee for Olympic Games (LOCOG) and learnt that the lady so identified was to perform during the Opening Ceremony of the Games. However, she managed to join the Indian contingent during the march past. The LOCOG have admitted its mistake over this breach at the Opening Ceremony and offered their apology to the Indian contingent.

(c) Out of six medal winners of London Olympic Games, 2012, Shri Vijay Kumar, Shooter and Shri Yogeshwar Dutt, Wrestler have been selected for Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award, 2012, while others like Deepika Kumari and Laishram Boombayla Devi (Archers), Parupalli Kashyap (Badminton), Vikas Krishan (Boxing), Sardara Singh (Hockey), Sonia Chanu (Weightlifting), Narsingh Yadav (Wrestling), Geeta Phogat (Wrestling) and Joydeep Karmakar (Shooting) have been selected for Arjuna Awards, 2012.

Silver medalists have been given award money of Rs. 30 lakh each and bronze medalists have been given award money of Rs.20 lakh each under the scheme of “Special Award to Medal winners in International Sports Events and their, Coaches”.

Complaints of eve teasing by Indian Youth delegation visiting China

2166. DR. CHANDAN MITRA: Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether certain complaints of eve teasing by the members of the Indian Youth Delegation, which recently visited China, have been received;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the criteria adopted for selection of the Members of the Youth Delegation; and
- (c) the action taken by Government against erring members of Youth Delegation for tarnishing the image of the country abroad ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) No, Sir. No complaint of eve teasing by the members of Indian youth delegation which recently visited China has been received.

(b) For selecting the delegates for visit to China, the nominations were invited from Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan, National Service Scheme, Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, autonomous organizations, Ministry of Culture, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Universities, Political Parties etc.

(c) Does not arise.

Indian athletes selected for Paralympic Games to be held in London

2167. SHRIMATI KANIMOZHI: Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Indian athletes who have been selected to represent the country at the Paralympic Games to be held in London;
- (b) the details of the athletes along with their discipline; and
- (c) whether adequate support is provided by Government to the athletes and their escorts, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) and (b) Sir, ten Indian athletes have been