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| 12. | Proposal for Sports Hostel at Sri<br>Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam<br>(Women's University), Tirupati, Chit-<br>toor District                                 | Considered and not agreed to | 5.50  | Does not<br>arise |
| 13. | Proposal for Human Performance<br>and Recovery Science Lab at Sri<br>Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam<br>(Women's University), Tirupati, Chit-<br>toor District | Considered and not agreed to | 7.72  | Does not arise    |
| 14. | Proposal for Outdoor Video walls<br>at Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidy-<br>alayam (Women's University)   | Considered and not agreed to | 0.24  | Does not arise    |
| 15. | Proposal for Providing Lighting at Sri<br>Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam<br>(Women's University)  | Considered and not agreed to | 0.375 | Does not arise    |
| 16. | Construction of Multi-Purpose Indoor<br>Hall at Stadia Complex, Machilipat-<br>nam, Krishna District  | Considered and not agreed to | 8.00  | Does not arise    |
| 17. | Construction of Swimming Pool<br>at Stadia Complex, Machilipatnam,<br>Krishna District  | Considered and not agreed to | 5.00  | Does not arise    |
| 18. | Proposal for Construction of Multi-<br>Purpose Hall and 200 m Athletic<br>Track at ZP High School, Addada,<br>Pamarru Mandal, Krishna District.                 | Under process                | 8.00  | Does not arise    |

## Constitution of Sports Scientists Community

2074. DR. SASIKALA PUSHPA RAMASWAMY: Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has constituted any committee(s) consisting of Sports Scientists to recommend steps to be taken regarding sports infrastructure and players in the country;
  - (b) if so, the details thereof;

- (c) whether the Committee constituted by Government has submitted any report with specific reference to Tokyo Olympics;
  - (d) if so, the details thereof; and
  - (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (COL. RAJYAVARDHAN SINGH RATHORE): (a) and (b) Expert guidance to scale up the performance of elite players at Olympics has been taken from time to time. In the recent past, three different expert committees namely, Expert Committee on Sports Sciences (2011), Olympic Task Force (2017) and Core Committee on Sports Sciences (2016), having sports scientists as members, have deliberated on various aspects of sports science services and delivery to elite athletes including preparation for Olympic 2020, 2024 and 2028.

Mandate of Expert Committee on Sports Sciences, 2011 was to do gap analysis of the existing sports science set-up at Sports Authority of India (SAI) as well as the requirements in the sports sector as a whole to enhance performance of our sportspersons and support excellence in sports.

This Committee also deliberated on the issues of Sports Nutrition as a special requirement for athletes to improve performance and aid recovery and rehabilitation from injuries.

Olympic Task Force was mandated, *inter alia*, to prepare a Comprehensive Action Plan, including short-term, medium-term and long-term measures for effective participation of Indian sportspersons in the Olympics to be held in 2020, 2024 and 2028.

Core Committee on Sports Sciences deliberated on the requirements of sports science infrastructure, latest technology and equipments and specialized manpower to be posted for providing sports science cover to athletes across various levels of participation. This Committee also prepared a template of sports science set up right from district to State and regional level.

(c) to (e) The Olympic Task Force, constituted with specific mandate of preparing a Comprehensive Action Plan, including short-term, medium-term and long-term measures for effective participation of Indian sportsperson in the Olympics to be held in 2020, 2024 and 2028, has submitted its final report and provided strategic steps to win more medals in Olympics.

The Committee has recommended to adopt a threefold strategy that is Athlete Centric, Coach-led and System Driven approach for podium finish.