

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
(DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS)

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2398
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.08.2021

Facilities for players in Jharkhand

2398 # Shri Deepak Prakash:

Will the Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government is contemplating on providing infrastructural facilities to players on State level and if so, the details thereof including Jharkhand, State-wise;
- (b) whether Government has received any submission from the players in Jharkhand in the above mentioned context in which local players are not satisfied with the infrastructural facilities being provided by Government of Jharkhand; and
- (c) the action taken on such complaints by Government during the last two years?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
(SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR)**

(a) Sports is a 'State' Subject and development of Sports, including providing infrastructural facilities to players at the State level, rests with the respective State Governments and National Sports Federations (NSFs). The Government of India supplements and complements the efforts of the State Governments and NSFs in this regard.

The Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, Department of Sports, is implementing the Khelo India National Programme for Development of Sports, which provides for grant of financial assistance to eligible entities for creation of sports infrastructure under its "Utilisation and Creation/Upgradation of Sports Infrastructure" vertical. The Scheme is demand driven and project proposals are sanctioned according to the parameters of the Khelo India Scheme, on receipt of proposals from eligible entities, subject to completeness of such proposals, their technical feasibility, and availability of funds under the Scheme. A total of 272 Sports infrastructure projects have been sanctioned under

the Khelo India Scheme across the country, including Jharkhand. Details of projects sanctioned under the Khelo India Scheme in the State of Jharkhand, since 2016-17, are as under

S. No.	Name of the project
1.	Upgradation of Hockey and Football Ground at Sports Authority of India (SAI) Training Centre, Hazaribagh.
2.	Construction of Multipurpose Indoor Hall with 12 court halls at IIT (Indian School of Mines) Dhanbad.

State-wise details of infrastructure projects sanctioned under the Khelo India Scheme during the current year is given in Annexure – I.

In addition, the Sports Authority of India (SAI) is implementing the following major Sports Promotional Schemes across the country through its Regional Centres to identify talented sports persons and nurture them to excel at national and international competitions: -

- Scheme of Assistance to National Sports Federations (NSFs)
- National Centres of Excellence (NCOE)
- SAI Training Centre (STC)
- Extension Centre of STC/SAG
- National Sports Talent Contest (NSTC)
(its Sub-Schemes - Regular Schools, IGMA & Akharas)

Accordingly, SAI has established 23 NCOEs and 67 STCs. A total of 189 SAI Centres including NCOEs, STCs, Extension Centres, etc., are functional for implementation of above sports promotional schemes. SAI also conducts academic programmes through its academic institutions. The facilities of SAI are open to sportspersons across the country, including the State of Jharkhand.

(b) As Sports is ‘State’ subject, submissions of players in Jharkhand registering their dissatisfaction with the infrastructural facilities being provided by Government of Jharkhand, are to be addressed only by the Government of Jharkhand.

(c) Does not arise.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2398 FOR 09.08.2021 ASKED BY SHRI DEEPAK PRAKASH HON'BLE MP REGARDING FACILITIES FOR PLAYERS IN JHARKHAND

DETAILS OF INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS SANCTIONED UNDER THE KHELO INDIA SCHEME DURING THE YEAR 2021-22

S. No.	Name of State/UT	Name of the project
1	Andhra Pradesh	Construction of Multipurpose Indoor Stadium (60X40) at AdilaviNannayya University, Rajamahendravaram, East Godavari District
2		Construction of 50 mts standard swimming pool with water purifier at AdilaviNannayya University, Rajamahendravaram, East Godavari District
3	Bihar	Construction of Multipurpose Indoor Hall at Saran
4	Haryana	Relaying of 8 lane 400m synthetic athletic track along with synthetic athletic warmup track at Tau Devi Lal Sports Complex, Panchkula, Haryana.
5		Construction of Hockey Astroturf ground at Tau Devi Lal Sports Complex, Panchkula, Haryana.
6		Pre-fabricated Multipurpose Hall having 2 Basketball and 2 Volleyball courts at Tau Devi Lal Sports Complex, Panchkula, Haryana.
7	Himachal Pradesh	Construction of Multipurpose Indoor Sports Hall at Ghumarwin, District Bilaspur
8	Punjab	Laying of Synthetic Athletic Track at Guru Nanak Dev Stadium, District Amritsar
