

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-2435
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HIGH GST ON SPORTS GOODS

2435. Shri Kailash Soni:

Will the Minister of **FINANCE** be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether Goods and Services Tax (GST) on sports goods is very high; and
- (b) whether Government proposes to reduce applicable GST rate under Fit India and, if so, by when?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE
(SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY)

(a): Sports goods other than articles and equivalent for general physical exercise attract concessional GST rate of 12%. Articles and equipment of general physical exercise attract GST rate of 18%.

(b): GST rates are determined based on the recommendation of the GST Council. The Council has so far not made any recommendation to reduce applicable GST rate under FIT India.
