

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

RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1593  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24.12.2018

**Construction of new stadia**

†1593. MS. SAROJ PANDEY:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of new Stadia and sports institutes constructed and established to increase sports facilities in the country during last three years; and
- (b) total expenditure incurred for establishing these institutes by Government during the last three years?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR  
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS  
{COL. RAJYAVARDHAN RATHORE (RETD.)}

(a) “Sports” is a State subject, hence construction and establishment of new stadia and sports institutes is the primarily responsibility of the concerned States/UTs. The Government of India supplements the efforts of States in overall development of sports in the country. State Governments etc. are supported by way of grant for development of sports infrastructure. In last three years no new stadia and sports institutes have been constructed by Government of India.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a) above.

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