Government of India
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports
Department of Sports

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 792
TO BE ANSWERD ON 08.02.2021

Autonomy in selection of sportspersons

792 # Shri Satish Chandra Dubey:

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

(a) whether sports authorities exercise autonomy while selecting players for various sports/ competitions; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
[SHRI KIREN RIJIJU]

(a) & (b) Yes Sir, Sports Associations & Sports Federations enjoy full autonomy in selection of sportspersons for various games and events. The Government does not interfere in the selection process for sportspersons.

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