

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
(DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS)  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-3191 #**  
ANSWERED ON- 27/03/2025

**KHELO INDIA PROGRAMME**

3191 #. SMT. GEETA ALIAS CHANDRAPRABHA:

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

- (a) whether Khelo India centres are being established in the country under the Khelo India programme;
- (b) if so, the number of Khelo India centres established in the country so far;
- (c) whether Khelo India centres are being established in Uttar Pradesh as well;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the details of the facilities being availed by the sportspersons in Khelo India centres?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS

(DR. MANSUKH MANDAVIYA)

(a) to (d) Yes, Sir. The details of Khelo India Centres (KICs) established under the Khelo India Scheme, across the country, including in the State of Uttar Pradesh, are available in public domain on the dashboard of the Ministry at <https://dashboard.kheloindia.gov.in/state-wise-khelo-india-centers>.

(e) Under the KIC (Khelo India Centre) sub-component of the Khelo India Scheme, funding is provided to States/UTs for the remuneration of Past Champion Athletes (PCAs), upgradation or minor repairs of the Field of Play (FOP), procurement of sports equipment and kits, and support for athlete participation in competitions/events. This funding aims to improve facilities for athlete training at Khelo India Centres.

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