

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
(DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS)  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-3832 #**  
ANSWERED ON- 03/04/2025

**IMPLEMENTATION OF 'KHELO INDIA' PROGRAMME IN JHARKHAND**

3832 #. SHRI PRADIP KUMAR VARMA:

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

- (a) the number of sportspersons benefited under the 'Khelo India' programme during the last three years, year-wise, State-wise and district-wise for Jharkhand;
- (b) the details of funds allocated, released and utilised under the 'Khelo India' programme in Jharkhand, project-wise and programme-wise; and
- (c) whether dedicated training centres and stadiums have been established in Jharkhand to support and promote sports for athletes with disabilities, if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS

(DR. MANSUKH MANDAVIYA)

- (a) The details of number of Khelo India Athletes benefited under Khelo India Scheme, year-wise and state-wise is given at Annexure-I and details of district-wise Khelo India Athletes from the state of Jharkhand benefited under Khelo India Scheme during 2024-25 is given at Annexure-II.
- (b) The funds are allocated and released Scheme-wise, not State-wise, in this Ministry. Details of funds allocated and expenditure incurred under the Khelo India Scheme for the entire country, including for the State of Jharkhand, during the last three years and the current year are as under:

(in ₹ crore)

S. No.	Financial Year	Funds allocated	Expenditure incurred (as on 28.02.2025)
1.	2021-22	869.00	764.29
2.	2022-23	600.00	596.39
3.	2023-24	880.00	872.20
4.	2024-25	800.00	738.98

- (c) 'Sports' being a State subject, the responsibility of development of sports, including development of dedicated training centres and stadiums to support athletes with disabilities, rests primarily with the respective State/Union Territory Governments. The Union Government only supplements their efforts by bridging critical gaps. However, all sports facilities are mandated to adhere to the relevant guidelines issued by Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan), Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, ensuring the comfort and accessibility of facilities for athletes with disabilities. Further, the training centres and stadiums are

under the jurisdiction of respective State Governments. As such, information about them is not maintained in this Ministry.

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3832 # ANSWERED ON 03.04.2025 REGARDING IMPLEMENTATION OF 'KHELO INDIA' PROGRAMME IN JHARKHAND ASKED BY SHRI PRADIP KUMAR VARMA, HON'BLE MP, RAJYA SABHA.**

**Details of Khelo India Athletes who have been benefited/provided financial assistance under the Khelo India Scheme (Year-wise & State -wise)**

S. No	State / UT	2024-25	2023-24	2022-23
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	4	3	3
2	Andhra Pradesh	63	49	55
3	Arunachal Pradesh	16	14	11
4	Assam	42	39	43
5	Bihar	14	14	9
6	Chandigarh	34	30	40
7	Chhattisgarh	37	45	35
8	Daman Diu and Dadra Nagar Haveli	3	3	2
9	Delhi	156	163	199
10	Goa	6	10	18
11	Gujarat	64	65	81
12	Haryana	490	467	432
13	Himachal Pradesh	30	28	34
14	Jammu & Kashmir	17	19	20
15	Jharkhand	54	47	40
16	Karnataka	157	138	136
17	Kerala	94	108	103
18	Ladakh	1	0	1
19	Lakshadweep	1	1	0
20	Madhya Pradesh	109	114	100
21	Maharashtra	325	347	365
22	Manipur	109	105	126
23	Meghalaya	5	2	3
24	Mizoram	10	15	28
25	Nagaland	2	1	1
26	Odisha	77	70	57
27	Puducherry	5	7	7
28	Punjab	159	169	179
29	Rajasthan	137	105	81
30	Sikkim	1	1	2
31	Tamil Nadu	199	173	167
32	Telangana	72	59	51
33	Tripura	5	5	8
34	Uttar Pradesh	190	186	191
35	Uttarakhand	45	32	40
36	West Bengal	112	118	91
<b>Total</b>		<b>2845</b>	<b>2752</b>	<b>2759</b>

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**Details of district-wise Khelo India Athletes from the state of Jharkhand benefited under Khelo India Scheme during 2024-25**

S. No.	Discipline	Athlete Name	Gender	City/District
1	Archery	Babita Kumari	Female	Ranchi
2	Archery	Komalika Bari	Female	East Singhbhum
3	Archery	Meena Kumari	Female	East Singhbhum
4	Archery	Samala Nageshwari	Female	East Singhbhum
5	Archery	Goldi Mishra	Male	Bokaro
6	Archery	Mrinal Chauhan	Male	West Singhbhum
7	Archery	Dipti Kumari	Female	Angara
8	Archery	Vishnu Choudhary	Male	East Singhbhum
9	Archery	Madhvi Chauhan	Female	West Singhbhum
10	Athletics	Aakancha Kerketta	Female	Palamu
11	Athletics	Asha kiran barla	Female	Gumla
12	Athletics	Supriti kachhap	Female	Gumla
13	Athletics	Vishal Kumar	Male	Ramgarh
14	Boxing	Kerketta Amisha	Female	Simdega
15	Cycling	Amir Reyaz	Male	Palamau
16	Cycling	Pushpa Kumari	Female	Lohardaga
17	Cycling	Santoshi Oraon	Female	Lohardaga
18	Cycling	Sarita Kumari	Female	Lohardaga
19	Cycling	Sabina Kumari	Female	Chatra
20	Cycling	Narayan Mahto	Male	Ramgarh
21	Football	Anita Kumari	Female	Ranchi
22	Football	Anjali Munda	Female	Ranchi
23	Football	Astam Oraon	Female	Gumla
24	Football	Nitu Linda	Female	Ranchi
25	Football	Purnima Kumari	Female	Simdega
26	Football	Selina Kumari	Female	Gumla
27	Football	Sudha Ankita Tirkey	Female	Gumla
28	Football	Ratan Hansda	Male	Seraikela
29	Football	Divyani Linda	Female	Ranchi
30	Football	Shivani Toppo	Female	Gumla
31	Hockey	Mahima Tete	Female	Simdega
32	Hockey	Kajal Bara	Female	Simdega
33	Hockey	Beauty Dungdung	Female	Simdega
34	Hockey	Deepika Soreng	Female	Simdega
35	Hockey	Sachin Dungdung	Male	Simdega
36	Hockey	Atish Dodray	Male	Ranchi
37	Hockey	Ropni Kumari	Female	Simdega
38	Hockey	Roshan Ekka	Male	Simdega
39	Hockey	Amrit Tirkey	Male	Simdega
40	Hockey	Nisha Minj	Female	Simdega
41	Hockey	Binima Dhan	Female	Khunti
42	Hockey	Balo Horo	Female	Khunti
43	Hockey	Sanjana Horo	Female	Khunti

44	Hockey	Rajni Kerketta	Female	Simdega
45	Hockey	Niru Kullu	Female	Simdega
46	Hockey	Nirali Kujur	Female	Simdega
47	Kabaddi	Sagar Kumar	Male	Bokaro
48	Shooting	Sheersh Aditya Kashyap	Male	East Singhbhum
49	Swimming	Rana Pratap	Male	East Singhbhum
50	Volleyball	Abhijeet Upadhyay	Male	Bokaro
51	Volleyball	Aman Singh	Male	Ranchi
52	Volleyball	Priyanshu Raj	Male	Koderma
53	Weightlifting	Aman Munda	Male	Ranchi
54	Weightlifting	Babulal Hembrom	Male	Ramgarh

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