

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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(DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS)

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SPORTS DEVELOPMENT UNDER NSDF IN JHARKHAND

466 # SMT. MAHUA MAJI:

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

- (a) the financial assistance given under National Sports Development Fund (NSDF) for sports infrastructure, training and promotion in Jharkhand during the last three years;
- (b) the steps taken by Government to promote tribal and traditional games in Jharkhand under NSDF and other schemes;
- (c) whether the Sports Authority of India (SAI) Centre in Jharkhand has been upgraded under NSDF, if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the number of sports persons from Jharkhand received international coaching, technical assistance or competition participation under NSDF during the last five years?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

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(a) & (b): No financial assistance has been given for infrastructure development in the State of Jharkhand under National Sports Development Fund (NSDF) during last three years. However, an amount of Rs. 1.25 lakhs have been spent for training of sportspersons during said period from Jharkhand. Further, under the Khelo India Scheme, 05 sports infrastructure projects (details are available in www.mdsd.kheloindia.gov.in); 24 Khelo India Centres and 10 Accredited Academies have been sanctioned in Jharkhand which cater to all games including tribal and traditional games.

(c) & (d): No assistance has been given under NSDF for upgradation of Sports Authority of India (SAI) Centre in Jharkhand. Further, 12 sports persons from Jharkhand have received financial assistance for various trainings under NSDF during the last five years.
