

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

LOK SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1499
TO BE ANSWERED ON 9/3/2017**

Audit by BCCI

1499. SHRI JOSE K. MANI:

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

- (a) whether the Government is aware that the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) had commissioned an audit namely “ Project Transformation” into the functioning of all the State Associations for the period between 2012-13 and 2015-16;**
- (b) if so, the details and the outcome thereof;**
- (c) whether the said audit has revealed large scale irregularities about Rs. 4000 crores by various State Associations and if so, the details thereof;**
- (d) whether the said audit had excluded some of the State Associations like Delhi, J&K, Rajasthan and Chhattisgarh etc.; and**
- (e) if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS
AND SPORTS
(SHRI VIJAY GOEL)**

(a) to (e) Madam, BCCI has informed that at its General Body Meeting held on 9th November, 2015 it was decided to appoint reputed audit firms to scrutinize the statement of accounts of its affiliated units as a part of its efforts to bring about transparency and accountability in their working. M/s Delloitte and M/s Grant Thornton were considered for this work.

The reports of the audit firms were received by BCCI in April, 2016 were kept confidential. Subsequently, those reports were submitted to the Justice Lodha Committee appointed by the Honorable Supreme Court. Those report did reveal some irregularities in the working of some State units and the BCCI has immediately initiated corrective measures. The audit process was only in the case of State Units which submitted their annual audited statement of accounts approved by their General Body. The accounts of State units like Delhi, Jammu & Kashmir, Rajasthan who have not yet submitted their annual audited accounts could not be sent for scrutiny. However, the BCCI has not released any funds to such associations.
