GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS (DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS)

LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. †*274 TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.08.2017

Sports Academy

†*274. DR. MANOJ RAJORIA:

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

- (a) whether the Government provides funds to various States to set up sports academy in their States;
- (b) if so, the details along with the funds allocated for the purpose during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise including Rajasthan;
- (c) whether any proposal from the State of Rajasthan to set up sports academy is pending with the Government; and
- (d) if so, the details and the present status thereof?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS (SHRI VIJAY GOEL)

(a) to (d) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. †*274 FOR 03.08.2017 ASKED BY DR. MANOJ RAJORIA, MP, REGARDING SPORTS ACADEMY

(a) & (b) National Sports Academy Scheme is being implemented by Sports Authority of India (SAI) of this Ministry. Under this Scheme, no funds have been provided to any State to set up state level academies.

However, SAI has started some Sports Academies under collaboration with State Governments as under:-

- i) SAI-Odisha Regional Badminton Academy, Bhubaneswar.
- ii) SAI National Boxing Academy, Haryana.
- iii) SAI National Golf Academy, Trivandrum.
- (c) & (d) No proposal has been received from the State of Rajasthan to set up National Sports Academy.
