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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3995 TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.08.2017

Sports infrastructure in Schools and Colleges

3995. SHRI RAJESHBHAI CHUDASAMA

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

- (a) the details of schemes being implemented for development of sports infrastructure in schools and colleges in the country, State/UT-wise including Gujarat;
- (b) the details of funds released and utilised for the purpose during the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise including Gujarat; and
- (c) whether the Government proposes to enhance the allocation of such funds; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): There is no specific scheme to promote sports infrastructure in schools and colleges. However, under the Right to Education Act State Governments are required to provide all schools with compulsory access to playfields. Similarly, under MGNREGA construction of playfield is a permissible activity and in many states playfields are being considered in schools with funding from MGNREGA. With respect to colleges sports activities are largely supported with the help of sports fees collected from students. Apart from this schools and colleges are eligible to get funding under Khelo India for construction of sports infrastructure subject to technical feasibility and availability of funds.

Annexure

Annexure referred to in reply to parts (a) to (c) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3995 for answer on 10.08.2017 regarding 'Sports Infrastructure in Schools and Colleges' asked by SHRI RAJESHBHAI CHUDASAMA

<u>Details of funds released to the Schools and Colleges of various</u>

<u>States/UTs and utilised during 2014-15 and 2015-16 under the erstwhile</u>

<u>Urban Sports Infrastructure Scheme (USIS)</u>

2014-15 (Rs. in crore)

S. No.	State	Project	Grant approved (Date)	Grant released (Date)	Utilization of Grant
1.	Maharashtra	Laying of synthetic athletic track at Armed Forces Medical College (AFMC), Pune	5.00 (23.07.2014)	3.00 (23.07.2014) 1.00 (30.06.2016) 1.00 (19.04.2017)	Utilized Utilized Not yet utilized

2015-16 (Rs. in crore)

S. No.	State	Project	Grant approved	Grant released	Utilization of Grant
			(Date)	(Date)	
1.	Assam	Laying of synthetic athletic track (08 lanes) at	5.50 (29.06.2015)	3.00 (29.06.2015)	Utilized
		North Lakhimpur College,		2.50 (27.03.2017)	Not yet Utilized

		Lakhimpur, Assam.			
2.	Assam	Construction of multi-purpose indoor hall at Govt. Boys H.S. School, Dibrugarh under Dibrugarh Municipality Board, Assam.	6.00 (29.06.2015)	1.80 (29.06.2015) 1.00 (23.03.2017) 2.00 (04.07.2017)	Utilized Utilized Not yet Utilized

<u>Details of funds released to the Schools and Colleges of various</u> <u>States/UTs and utilised during 2016-17 and 2017-18 under the Khelo</u> India Scheme

2016-17 (Rs. in crore)

S.	Name of	Name of the	Grant	Grant	Utilization
No.	State	Project	Sanctioned	released	of Grant
			(Date)	(Date)	
1	Karnataka	Laying of	5.50	2.00	Not yet
		Synthetic Hockey	(20.03.2017)	(20.03.2017)	utilized
		Surface at Sainik			
		School, Bijapur			
2	Kerala	Laying of	7.00	2.50	Not yet
		Synthetic Athletic	(02.03.2017)	(02.03.2017)	utilized
		Track in Govt.			
		Brennen College,			
		Thalassery,			
		Kannur (LNCPE).			
3	Rajasthan	Construction of	3.12	1.00	Not yet
		Multipurpose	(06.03.2017)	(06.03.2017)	utilized
		Indoor Hall,			
		Football Ground			
		and Athletic Track			
		at LBS Govt. PG			
		College Kotputli			