

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

LOK SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3414
TO BE ANSWERED ON 15/03/2018**

National Sports Federations

**3414. SHRI RAJENDRA AGRAWAL:
ADV. JOICE GEORGE:
SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR:
DR. THOKCHOM MEINYA:**

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

- (a) Whether the Government proposes to introduce a ranking system for National Sports Federations (NSFs) in the country and if so, the details and the objectives thereof;**
- (b) the methodology being adopted for ascertaining the said ranking system;**
- (c) whether the Government has considered the feasibility to introduce such a ranking system amongst the NSFs where facilities, funding and infrastructure are unequal and incomparable and if so, the details thereof;**
- (d) whether such a ranking system is likely to be a part of the National Sports Development Code of India and if so, the details thereof;**
- (e) whether there are provisions to link release of funds to NSFs with their rankings and if so, the details thereof; and**
- (f) the extent to which the said ranking system is likely to help the NSFs to improve their internal systems of management, governance and talent promotion?**

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR YOUTH
AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
(COL. RAJYAVARDHAN RATHORE (RETD.))**

(a) to (f) Madam, a proposal has been mooted to introduce a ranking

system for National Sports Federations (NSFs). However, the details of methodology for such ranking, etc. are still under consideration. The idea, if feasible, is to have an objective method of marking & improving governance and bring it closer to International Olympic Committee Charter.
