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

### LOK SABHA

## UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2224 TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.07.2019

#### **Promotion of Hockey**

#### **†2224. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR SINGH:**

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

(a) the programmes being implemented by the Government to promote hockey in the country;

(b) the locations in the country where hockey stadiums are being set up, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government proposes to set up any new hockey stadiums incoming years;

(d) if so, the details of the locations thereof; and

(e) whether hockey is popular at Mahuadanr in Latehar district of Jharkhand and if so, the efforts being made by the Government to promote hockey there?

#### ANSWER

# THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS (SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

(a) Sir, while the responsibility for promotion of sports, including hockey, rests with State/Union Territory Governments, the Central Government, is supplementing their efforts by providing expert training and coaching facilities and assisting Hockey India (National Sports Federation for Hockey). (b) to (d) Sports Authority of India (SAI) under this Ministry has established 16 Hockey Astroturfs in its training centres and this Ministry has sanctioned 10 Astroturfs for Hockey under Khelo India Scheme. The list is at Annexure.

(e) According to 'Hockey India' hockey is popular in Latehar district of Jharkhand. Training facilities have been made available at SAI Regional Centre, Kolkata and SAI Training Centres at Hazaribagh and Ranchi.

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ANNEXURE REFERED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) to (d) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2224 FOR REPLY ON 04.07.2019 ASKED BY SHRI SUNIL KUMAR SINGH REGARDING PROMOTION OF HOCKEY

Details of Synthetic Hockey Surfaces at Sports Authority of India (SAI) Regional Centres and its Units.

| S. No | Name of the Centre & its Units  | State            |  |
|-------|---|------------------|--|
| 1     | Major Dhyan Chand National<br>Stadium   | Delhi            |  |
| 2     | SAI Netaji Subhas National<br>Institute of Sports, Patiala                        | Punjab           |  |
| 3     | SAI Training Centre, Shillaroo  | Himachal Pradesh |  |
| 4     | SAI Central Regional Centre,<br>Bhopal  | Madhya Pradesh   |  |
| 5     | SAI Centre, Lucknow   | Uttar Pradesh    |  |
| 6     | SAI Training Centre Bareilly,   |                  |  |
| 7     | SAI Netaji Subhash Eastern  | West Bengal      |  |
|       | Center, Kolkata   |                  |  |
| 8     | SAI Special Area Games Centre   | Orissa           |  |
|       | Sundergarh  |                  |  |
| 9     | SAI Northern Centre, Sonepat,   | Haryana          |  |
| 10    | SAI Netaji Subhas Southern<br>Centre, Bangalore,<br>SAI Training Centre, Medikeri | Karnataka        |  |
| 11    | SAI Netaji Subhas Western Centre,<br>Gandhinagar,                                 | Gujarat          |  |
| 12    | SAI Special Area Games Centre,<br>Kokrajhar                                       | Assam            |  |
| 13    | SAI, NS North East Centre, Imphal   | Manipur          |  |
| 14    | SAI Special Area Games Centre,<br>Thenazwal                                       | Mizoram          |  |
| 15    | SAI Training Centre, Kandivali ,  | Maharashtra      |  |
| 16    | SAI Training Centre Aurangabad  |                  |  |

Details of laying of synthetic hockey turf/astro turf/hockey field sanctioned to States under Khelo India scheme

| S. No. | Project  | State          |
|--------|--|----------------|
| 1.     | Laying of Synthetic Hockey Surface at Sainik School, Bijapur   | Karnataka      |
| 2.     | Laying of Synthetic Hockey Field at<br>Kailash Prakash Stadium, Meerut   | Uttar Pradesh  |
| 3.     | Renovation / Upgradation including<br>Laying of Synthetic Hockey Field in<br>Maulana Md. Tayabullah Hockey<br>Stadium, Betapara, Guhawati<br>(Reimbursement of expenditure). | Assam          |
| 4.     | Laying of Astro Turf Hockey Field at<br>District Sports Authority Ground,<br>Kakinada, East Godavari District.   | Andhra Pradesh |
| 5.     | Laying of Synthetic Hockey Turf at Jashpur   | Chhattisgarh   |
| 6.     | Laying of Synthetic Hockey Field at<br>Maharana Pratap Khelo Gaon, Udaipur   | Rajasthan      |
| 7.     | Laying of Hockey Turf Ground at<br>Devgadh Bariya District Dahod   | Gujarat        |
| 8.     | Laying of synthetic Hockey Field, at<br>Sports Stadium Roshnabad Salempur<br>Haridwar  | Uttarakhand    |
| 9.     | Upgradation of Hockey Astroturf at<br>Shivchhatrapti Kridapeeth Sports<br>Complex, Pune  | Maharashtra    |
| 10.    | Laying of astro turf hockey field at<br>Railway Stadium, Gwalior, Madhya<br>Pradesh  | Madhya Pradesh |