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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †1405 ANSWERED ON 07.12.2021

Latest Sports Facilities in Haryana

†1405. SHRI SANJAY BHATIA:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to construct stadiums with latest sports facilities in each district and to provide such facilities in already existing stadiums with the objective of increasing inclination of the youth towards sports and to prepare talented young players at local level itself in Karnal, Panipat in the State of Haryana;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to provide latest sports facilities in the stadium situated in Karnal, Panipat districts after coordinating with the Haryana State Government for the said objective so that the local youth can make the name of the state and the country famous in the sports world after getting benefits from it; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS { SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR }

(a) to (d) 'Sports' being a State subject, the primary responsibility to construct stadiums in each district and to provide such facilities in already existing stadiums rests with the respective State/Union Territory Governments. The Union Government supplements their efforts. However, this Ministry has sanctioned 267 sports infrastructure projects of various categories under the Khelo India Scheme across the country on the basis of proposals received from the State/UT Governments and other eligible entities. Out of these, eight projects are located in the State of Haryana, two each at Hisar, Kurukshetra, Panchkula and Sonepat.
