

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No- 2874
ANSWERED ON 21/03/2022

HIGH-ALTITUDE SPORT SCHOOLS

2874. ADV. DEAN KURIAKOSE:

Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is maintaining any high-altitude sport schools for tribals in the country;
- (b) if so, state wise details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has laid down the criteria for establishing such a school anywhere in the country;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether the Government has started any such schools in the state of Kerala including Idukki district; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TRIBAL AFFAIRS
(SMT. RENUKA SINGH SARUTA)

(a) to (d): This Ministry is neither maintaining such schools nor has laid down any criteria in this regard.

(e) and (f): Though Ministry has no proposal to set up high altitude sport school in kerela, however Eklavya Model Residential School (EMRS) scheme has provision of setting up 15 Centre of Excellence (CoE) for Sports in different parts of country. These COE will have state-of-the-art facilities for one identified individual sport and one group sport.
