

**Government of India  
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports  
(Department of Sports)**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3133  
TO BE ANSWERD ON 22.03.2022**

**Performance in Olympic and Asian Games**

**3133. SHRI M. BADRUDDIN AJMAL:**

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

**(a) whether India's performance in Olympics and Asian Games has not been up to the mark or as per expectation despite the fact that our country has potential and quality of sportsmen comparing to many others;**

**(b) if so, the reasons therefor and the steps taken to enhance the skills of our sports aspirants and also in providing required trainings to them which resulted in bad performance;**

**(c) whether the Government has pondered upon introducing policies and effective ways for correct use of our talented sports aspirants for the best performance in coming sport events and if so, the details thereof;**

**(d) the detail of measures taken/being taken by the Government in this regard; and**

**(e) the amount of funds allocated and spent for the purpose during each of the last five years, game-wise?**

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS  
[SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR]**

**(a) & (b) For scaling up the level of excellence of Indian athletes, Government is already providing specialized coaching, state of the art infrastructure, training facilities, sports science backup, nutritious diet, qualified support staff as also incentivising their achievements, and honouring them with the National Sports Awards**

**in recognition of their sporting achievements. Resultantly, performances of Indian sportspersons and teams in mega sports events and other international events show that there is perceptible improvement. To illustrate, India won 7 medals (1 Gold, 2 Silver and 4 Bronze) in Tokyo Olympics 2020, in 6 separate sports disciplines. It was India's best performance in Olympic Games. For the first time, India won a gold medal in athletics in Olympic Games. The Women's Hockey team achieved 4<sup>th</sup> position, which was the best finish ever in Olympics. In Tokyo Paralympics 2020, India won 19 medals (5 Gold, 8 Silver and 6 Bronze), surpassing the tally of 12 medals won by the country in all previous Paralympics put together. India achieved the 24<sup>th</sup> position in Tokyo Paralympics 2020, which is India's best position in Para-Olympics.**

**India got 66 medals in Commonwealth Games (CWG), 2018, which was the best performance at overseas CWG, 69 medals in Asian Games 2018, which was India's highest-ever tally at Asian Games; 72 medals in Para Asian Games 2018, which was India's highestever tally at Asian Para Games, and 13 medals in the Youth Olympic Games 2018, which was India's highest-ever tally at Youth Olympic Games.**

**(c)& (d) Preparation of Indian sportspersons and teams for participation in international sports events is an ongoing process, which is supported through various schemes of the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports and the Sports Authority of India (SAI). The Central Government is supporting sportspersons through National Sports Federations (NSFs) for their training, foreign exposures and competitions to enable them to participate in international sports events, and enhance their chances of winning medals. Further, customized training of athletes (core group and developmental) is supported under Target Olympic Podium Scheme (TOPS). Further, under Khelo India Scheme, Talent Search and Development vertical has the mandate for identification of talent and nurturing them to attain highest levels of achievement at National and International sports events. SAI is also implementing the Sports Promotional Schemes across the country to identify talented sportspersons in the various age groups and nurture them to excel at national and international levels. A total of 188 Centres including National Centres of Excellence (NCOE), SAI Training Centres (STC), Extension Centre of STC and Schools, Indigenous Games & Martial Arts Centres and Akharas adopted under National Sports Talent Contest (NSTC), are functional for implementation of SAI promotional schemes.**

Recently, the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports has revised the norms of assistance under the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs and increased the scale of assistance substantially.

(e) Assistance for customized training of elite and developmental group athletes and Indian teams is provided from TOPS as per the requirements of individual athletes and teams. Details of assistance provided under TOPS are given in Annexure-I.

While assistance to training and competition of sportspersons and teams is done from many schemes of the Ministry, primarily expenses on training and competitions for participation in international tournaments, conduct of national championships, conduct of international tournaments in India, procurement of sports equipments etc., is done from the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs. From the funds allocated to the Ministry under the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs, funds are sanctioned and released to NSFs and other eligible concerned stakeholders, towards meeting expenses on training, competitions, national championships, international tournaments in India and other eligible components as per the norms of the Scheme. Details of funds released to NSFs under the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs are given in Annexure-II.

Details of budget allocated and actual expenditure under the Scheme of Assistance to NSFs are as under:

(In ₹ crore)

Year	Allocation at Budget Estimate stage	Allocation at Revised Estimates stage	Actual Expenditure
2016-17	185.00	359.93	359.42
2017-18	302.18	302.18	277.68
2018-19	342.00	245.13	243.63
2019-20	245.00	300.85	300.85
2020-21	245.00	132.00	132.00
2021-22	280.00	181.00	112.07 (as on 1 <sup>st</sup> March 2022)

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**Annexure-I**

**ANNEXURE-I REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (e) OF LOKSABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3133 ANSWERED ON 22.03.2022  
ASKED BY SHRI M. BADRUDDIN AJMAL REGARDING  
“PERFORMANCE IN OLYMPIC AND ASIAN GAMES”**

**Sanctioned Expenditure under TOPS (2016-2022)**

**(Amount in ₹ crore)**

<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Sports Discipline</b>	<b>2016-17</b>	<b>2017-18</b>	<b>2018-19</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22 (till 02.03.22)</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>Archery</b>	<b>1.04</b>	<b>1.08</b>	<b>0.98</b>	<b>0.66</b>	<b>0.76</b>	<b>1.09</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Athletics</b>	<b>2.96</b>	<b>1.12</b>	<b>1.42</b>	<b>1.25</b>	<b>1.70</b>	<b>2.35</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Badminton</b>	<b>0.86</b>	<b>0.49</b>	<b>0.39</b>	<b>1.33</b>	<b>2.14</b>	<b>2.57</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>Boxing</b>	<b>1.43</b>	<b>0.64</b>	<b>0.69</b>	<b>0.35</b>	<b>1.08</b>	<b>1.21</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>Cycling</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.18</b>	<b>0.47</b>	<b>0.17</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>0.11</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>Golf</b>	<b>0.11</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.07</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>Judo</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>0.26</b>	<b>0.28</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.14</b>	<b>0.09</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>Para Sports</b>	<b>2.48</b>	<b>1.40</b>	<b>1.29</b>	<b>3.05</b>	<b>2.57</b>	<b>2.78</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>Gymnastics</b>	<b>0.13</b>	<b>0.35</b>	<b>0.71</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.01</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>Rowing</b>	<b>0.32</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.06</b>	<b>0.19</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>Shooting</b>	<b>4.18</b>	<b>2.28</b>	<b>3.37</b>	<b>1.99</b>	<b>3.05</b>	<b>2.87</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>Table Tennis</b>	<b>1.12</b>	<b>0.45</b>	<b>0.55</b>	<b>0.63</b>	<b>0.53</b>	<b>0.55</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>Tennis</b>	<b>1.70</b>	<b>0.59</b>	<b>1.10</b>	<b>0.70</b>	<b>0.78</b>	<b>0.78</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>Weightlifting</b>	<b>0.62</b>	<b>1.05</b>	<b>0.43</b>	<b>0.37</b>	<b>0.56</b>	<b>0.77</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>Wrestling</b>	<b>1.85</b>	<b>0.52</b>	<b>1.20</b>	<b>1.84</b>	<b>1.40</b>	<b>1.20</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>Swimming</b>	<b>0.15</b>	<b>0.15</b>	<b>0.12</b>	<b>0.07</b>	<b>0.70</b>	<b>0.56</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>Squash</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.34</b>	<b>0.33</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>18</b>	<b>Hockey</b>	<b>1.16</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.18</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>1.58</b>
<b>19</b>	<b>Equestrian</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.03</b>
<b>20</b>	<b>Sailing</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.87</b>
<b>21</b>	<b>Fencing</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>0.12</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.31</b>
<b>22</b>	<b>Luge Sports</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.21</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>23</b>	<b>Wushu</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.32</b>	<b>0.68</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>23</b>	<b>Alpine Skiing</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.17</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>20.30</b>	<b>11.52</b>	<b>14.31</b>	<b>12.41</b>	<b>15.66</b>	<b>20.16</b>

**Annexure-II****ANNEXURE-II REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (e) OF LOKSABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3133 ANSWERED ON 22.03.2022 ASKED BY SHRI M. BADRUDDIN AJMAL REGARDING “PERFORMANCE IN OLYMPIC AND ASIAN GAMES”****Expenditure under Scheme of Assistance to NSFs (2017-2022)****(Amount in ₹ crore)**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of NSFs supported</b>	<b>2016-17</b>	<b>2017-18</b>	<b>2018-19</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22 (as on 16 March 2022)</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>Indian Pencak Silat Federation</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.03</b>	<b>0.47</b>	<b>0.50</b>	<b>0.01</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Archery Association of India</b>	<b>3.51</b>	<b>6.32</b>	<b>3.12</b>	<b>4.00</b>	<b>0.77</b>	<b>14.62</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Athletic Federation of India</b>	<b>4.17</b>	<b>1.32</b>	<b>6.15</b>	<b>8.43</b>	<b>1.11</b>	<b>17.90</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>Badminton Association of India</b>	<b>5.11</b>	<b>5.99</b>	<b>6.52</b>	<b>14.42</b>	<b>1.05</b>	<b>10.49</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>Ball Badminton Federation of India</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>0.32</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>Gymnastics Federation of India</b>	<b>1.08</b>	<b>1.09</b>	<b>0.23</b>	<b>0.49</b>	<b>0.21</b>	<b>0.99</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>Boxing Federation of India</b>	<b>2.95</b>	<b>4.84</b>	<b>9.08</b>	<b>12.85</b>	<b>5.77</b>	<b>12.34</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>National Rifle Association of India</b>	<b>9.81</b>	<b>9.63</b>	<b>13.78</b>	<b>18.71</b>	<b>2.89</b>	<b>13.85</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>Special Olympic Bharat</b>	<b>0.28</b>	<b>1.01</b>	<b>2.57</b>	<b>5.98</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>0.15</b>

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<b>10</b>	<b>Cycling Federation of India</b>	<b>0.65</b>	<b>1.06</b>	<b>2.29</b>	<b>2.10</b>	<b>0.78</b>	<b>2.83</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>Swimming Federation of India</b>	<b>0.94</b>	<b>1.72</b>	<b>0.49</b>	<b>0.87</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>2.69</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>Equestrian Federation of India</b>	<b>0.06</b>	<b>0.01</b>	<b>0.31</b>	<b>2.46</b>	<b>0.62</b>	<b>1.12</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>Hockey India</b>	<b>12.02</b>	<b>9.15</b>	<b>11.25</b>	<b>16.57</b>	<b>3.43</b>	<b>15.82</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>Volleyball Federation of India</b>	<b>0.23</b>	<b>0.16</b>	<b>0.86</b>	<b>2.04</b>	<b>0.14</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India</b>	<b>0.18</b>	<b>0.29</b>	<b>0.02</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.27</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>Indian Weightlifting Federation</b>	<b>1.77</b>	<b>2.80</b>	<b>1.71</b>	<b>4.15</b>	<b>1.16</b>	<b>6.86</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>Wushu Federation of India</b>	<b>1.60</b>	<b>1.05</b>	<b>2.44</b>	<b>2.18</b>	<b>0.54</b>	<b>2.45</b>
<b>18</b>	<b>Yachting Association of India</b>	<b>0.66</b>	<b>1.74</b>	<b>3.13</b>	<b>3.35</b>	<b>0.95</b>	<b>2.13</b>
<b>19</b>	<b>Amateur Baseball Federation of India</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>0.32</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>20</b>	<b>Sepaktakraw Federation of India</b>	<b>0.68</b>	<b>0.77</b>	<b>1.52</b>	<b>1.66</b>	<b>0.21</b>	<b>1.29</b>
<b>21</b>	<b>All India Chess Federation</b>	<b>1.60</b>	<b>1.90</b>	<b>2.86</b>	<b>4.15</b>	<b>0.23</b>	<b>4.78</b>
<b>22</b>	<b>Table Tennis Federation of India</b>	<b>1.87</b>	<b>3.26</b>	<b>5.16</b>	<b>5.07</b>	<b>0.87</b>	<b>2.93</b>
<b>23</b>	<b>Kho Kho Federation of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.62</b>	<b>0.43</b>	<b>1.08</b>	<b>2.14</b>

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<b>24</b>	<b>Soft Tennis Federation of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>0.36</b>	<b>0.17</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>25</b>	<b>All India Tennis Association</b>	<b>0.22</b>	<b>0.50</b>	<b>1.16</b>	<b>2.21</b>	<b>1.78</b>	<b>2.79</b>
<b>26</b>	<b>Para Olympic Committee of India</b>	<b>2.00</b>	<b>3.30</b>	<b>6.36</b>	<b>3.52</b>	<b>1.17</b>	<b>5.95</b>
<b>27</b>	<b>Basketball Federation of India</b>	<b>0.26</b>	<b>0.55</b>	<b>0.53</b>	<b>0.65</b>	<b>0.60</b>	<b>2.63</b>
<b>28</b>	<b>Rowing Federation of India</b>	<b>0.46</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>1.22</b>	<b>2.71</b>	<b>0.33</b>	<b>3.18</b>
<b>29</b>	<b>Billiards &amp; Snookers Federation of India</b>	<b>0.46</b>	<b>0.61</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>1.16</b>	<b>0.27</b>	<b>0.55</b>
<b>30</b>	<b>Judo Federation of India</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>0.81</b>	<b>1.56</b>	<b>2.23</b>	<b>0.62</b>	<b>1.67</b>
<b>31</b>	<b>Bridge Federation of India</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>0.17</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>1.19</b>	<b>0.30</b>	<b>0.59</b>
<b>32</b>	<b>Lawn Bowling</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.64</b>	<b>0.28</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>33</b>	<b>Squash Racket Federation of India</b>	<b>1.61</b>	<b>2.17</b>	<b>0.69</b>	<b>2.03</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.50</b>
<b>34</b>	<b>All India Sports Council of the Deaf</b>	<b>0.62</b>	<b>1.16</b>	<b>0.88</b>	<b>1.13</b>	<b>0.08</b>	<b>0.78</b>
<b>35</b>	<b>Fencing Association of India</b>	<b>1.15</b>	<b>0.90</b>	<b>2.05</b>	<b>1.44</b>	<b>0.49</b>	<b>0.81</b>
<b>36</b>	<b>All India Football Federation</b>	<b>9.10</b>	<b>8.33</b>	<b>10.46</b>	<b>13.93</b>	<b>5.21</b>	<b>6.02</b>

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<b>37</b>	<b>Ten-Pin Bowling Federation of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.48</b>	<b>0.03</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>38</b>	<b>Indian Golf Union</b>	<b>0.47</b>	<b>0.48</b>	<b>0.72</b>	<b>0.85</b>	<b>0.08</b>	<b>0.96</b>
<b>39</b>	<b>Handball Federation of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.70</b>	<b>1.21</b>	<b>1.53</b>	<b>0.02</b>	<b>0.30</b>
<b>40</b>	<b>Indian Kayaking &amp; Canoeing Association</b>	<b>0.22</b>	<b>1.17</b>	<b>0.46</b>	<b>0.87</b>	<b>1.30</b>	<b>1.61</b>
<b>41</b>	<b>Wrestling Federation of India</b>	<b>5.88</b>	<b>6.05</b>	<b>6.89</b>	<b>13.45</b>	<b>1.49</b>	<b>9.45</b>
<b>42</b>	<b>Karate Association of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.46</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>43</b>	<b>AtyaPatya Federation of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.21</b>	<b>0.31</b>	<b>0.01</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>44</b>	<b>Cycle Polo Federation of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.11</b>	<b>0.20</b>	<b>0.02</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>45</b>	<b>Netball Federation of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>0.21</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>46</b>	<b>Tennis Koit Federation of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.07</b>	<b>0.30</b>	<b>0.14</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>47</b>	<b>School Game Federation of India</b>	<b>0.46</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>0.33</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>48</b>	<b>Indian Rugby Football Union</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.05</b>	<b>0.39</b>	<b>0.03</b>	<b>0.53</b>
<b>49</b>	<b>Softball Association of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.05</b>	<b>0.18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>50</b>	<b>Taekwondo</b>	<b>0.75</b>	<b>0.06</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.25</b>	<b>0.17</b>	<b>1.86</b>



<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of NSF supported</b>	<b>2016-17</b>	<b>2017-18</b>	<b>2018-19</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22 (as on 16 March 2022)</b>
<b>51</b>	<b>All India Carrom Federation</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.17</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>52</b>	<b>Mallakhamb Federation of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>53</b>	<b>Roller Skating Federation of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.33</b>	<b>0.06</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>54</b>	<b>Shooting Ball Federation of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.25</b>	<b>0.20</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>55</b>	<b>Tennis Ball Cricket Federation of India</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.06</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>56</b>	<b>National Yogasana Sports Federation</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.22</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>73.01</b>	<b>83.48</b>	<b>112.97</b>	<b>163.51</b>	<b>37.58</b>	<b>156.05</b>