

**Government of India
Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports
Department of Youth Affairs**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2637
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.08.2022**

Tenzing Norgay National Adventure Award

2637. SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY:

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

(a) the date when the Tenzing Norgay National Adventure Award guidelines were first published;

(b) the date on which these guidelines were last revised;

(c) whether it is a fact that the Ministry carried out a brainstorming session to revise the guidelines for Tenzing Norgay Award in 2020;

(d) if so, whether the Ministry is considering all air sports as recognised by Fédération Aéronautique Internationale (FAI) under the Tenzing Norgay Award (Air) category;

(e) if not, the details of the list of air sports being considered for Tenzing Norgay Award; and

(f) the details of the estimated timeline for publishing of the revised award guidelines?

ANSWER

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

(a) The guidelines of Tenzing Norgay National Adventure Awards (TNNA) were earlier published in the year 2008 as a part of NPYAD Scheme guidelines. The same was slightly revised during the year 2014-15 and is available on the website of Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports as a part of NPYAD Scheme guidelines 2014-15.

(b) & (f) Tenzing Norgay National Adventure Awards guidelines was last revised on 12.05.2020 and published on the website of the Ministry on 20.05.2020 at the time of inviting applications for TNAA 2020.

(c) Yes.

(d) & (e) The air adventure category under Tenzing Norgay National Adventure Awards is a composite category and there is no bifurcation in the guidelines for considering Fédération Aéronautique Internationale (FAI) recognized air sports activities as a separate category.
