Government of India Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports Department of Sports

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2254 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.08.2024

Gym Equipments in Public Park

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

- (a) whether the Government is aware that there is increase in physical health among the people in the country;
- (b) whether the Government plans to install Gym equipments in public parks; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS [DR. MANSUKH MANDAVIYA]

(a) to (c): The Ministry is committed to promote a culture of fitness and well-being that is inclusive and accessible to everyone, regardless of age, gender, or socio-economic status. Under Khelo India Scheme, Fit India Movement promotes physical activities through initiatives like the Fit India Quiz, Fit India Week, Cyclothon, and Freedom Run. These events engage citizens in exercise and raise awareness about fitness, fostering a national culture of well-being. There is no such plan is under consideration under Khelo India Scheme in this Ministry to install Gym equipments in public parks. Under National Sports Development Fund Scheme, Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports has installed Open Air Gym in 26 District HQs of Arunachal Pradesh.
