

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1828  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.03.2025**

**Promote Sports Infrastructure in Assam**

**1828. Shri Amarsing Tisso:**

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

**(a) the steps being taken by the Government to promote sports and sports infrastructure in Assam, particularly in Karbi Anglong and Dima Hasao districts;**

**(b) whether any funds allocated for building or upgrading sports facilities in these districts during the last five years, and if so, the details thereof;**

**(c) whether there is any initiatives introduced to identify and nurture sports talent among youth in these districts, including any special focus on tribal communities, if so, the details thereof;**

**(d) whether any national or regional-level sports events organized or are planned in the said districts to encourage local participation, if so, the details thereof; and**

**(e) the details of collaboration, if any, with the State Government and private organizations to develop sports in the said districts?**

**ANSWER  
THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
{ DR. MANSUKH MANDAVIYA }**

**(a) to (e) 'Sports' being a State subject, the responsibility of development of sports, including promotion of sports, development of sports infrastructure, identification and nurturing sports talent among youth and organizing national or regional-level sports events to encourage local participation, rests primarily with the State/Union Territory Governments. The Union Government supplements their efforts by bridging critical gaps. Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports (MYAS) implements the following schemes for the**

**development of sports, to promote sports in the country, including in the State of Assam:**

**(i) Khelo India- National Programme for Development of Sports; (ii) Assistance to National Sports Federations; (iii) Special Awards to Winners in International Sports Events and their Coaches; (iv) National Sports Awards; (v) Pension to Meritorious Sportspersons; (vi) Pandit Deendayal Upadhyay National Welfare Program for Sportspersons; (vii) National Sports Development Fund; and (viii) Running Sports Training Centres through Sports Authority of India.**

**Details of the above schemes are available in the public domain on the websites of this Ministry and the Sports Authority of India.**

**The funds are allocated and released Scheme-wise, not State-wise, in this Ministry. The details of the funds allocated and spent by this Ministry under various sports promotional schemes, including in the State of Assam, during the last five years are as under:**

**(in Rs. crore)**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Financial Year</b>	<b>Funds allocated</b>	<b>Expenditure incurred</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2000.00</b>	<b>1989.39</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>1313.40</b>	<b>1304.12</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>1993.00</b>	<b>1748.76</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>1907.69</b>	<b>1879.99</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>2380.86</b>	<b>2329.35</b>

**The details of the sports infrastructure sanctioned under Khelo India Scheme and NSDF, across the country, including in the State of Assam, are available in public domain on the dashboard of the Ministry at <https://mdsd.kheloindia.gov.in> and <http://www.nsdf.yas.gov.in/nsdf-glance.html>.**

**Further, Khelo India Youth Games 2020 were held in Guwahati, Assam and Khelo India University Games 2023 were jointly held by North Eastern States, including Assam.**

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