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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4057 TO BE ANSWERED ON 18.08.2025

Promotion of Sports Facilities in Jharkhand

4057. Shri Chandra Prakash Choudhary:

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

- (a) whether the Government has taken any steps for the development of sports infrastructure across the country particularly in Jharkhand, if so, the details thereof:
- (b) the details of the proposals received and status of approvals for the said infrastructure in the State of Jharkhand during the last five years;
- (c) the details and status of the said approved projects in the country particularly in Jharkhand, State and district-wise;
- (d) the details of the list of stadiums selected under the Khelo India Scheme in Jharkhand; and
- (e) the number of National Centres of Excellence (NCoEs), SAI Training Centres (STCs), Extension Centres, Khelo India Centres and Khelo India Accredited Academies are operational in Jharkhand?

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

(a) to (d) 'Sports' being a State subject, the responsibility of development of sports, including development of sports infrastructure across the country, rests primarily with the respective State/Union Territory Governments. The Union Government only supplements their efforts by bridging critical gaps. There is no proposal under consideration in this Ministry to develop sports infrastructure in the State of Jharkhand. However, the Khelo India Scheme and National Sports Development Fund (NSDF), implemented by this Ministry, under which financial assistance for development of sports infrastructure is provided are demand-driven schemes. The details of the

sports infrastructure projects approved and their sanctioned cost, funds released and their physical and financial progress, under Khelo India Scheme and NSDF, across the country, including in the State of Jharkand, are available in public domain on the dashboards of the Ministry at https://mdsd.kheloindia.gov.in and http://www.nsdf.yas.gov.in/nsdf-glance.html.

(e) As of now, National Centres of Excellence is not operational in the State of Jharkhand. However, there are 02 SAI Training Centres (STCs), 01 Extension Centre, 24 Khelo India Centres and 10 Khelo India Accredited Academies in the State of Jharkhand.
