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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2438 TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.12.2025

No Sports No Employment Policy

†2438. SHRI IMRAN MASOOD:

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

- (a) whether the Government is considering any incentive policy such as "No Sports No Employment" so that sports can be recognized as a career option;
- (b) if so, the details of the sports that are likely to be prioritized in the said policy;
- (c) whether the Government has chalked out any proposal to give preference to the sportspersons for reservation or promotion in jobs;
- (d) if so, the provisions thereof; and
- (e) whether the Government has laid down a timebound implementation programme for this policy and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (e): No such proposals are under consideration. However, the recruitment of meritorious sports persons against sports quota vacancies in Central Government Offices is done in accordance with the consolidated instructions issued by the Department of Personnel

& Training (DoP&T) vide their O.M No. 14034/01/2013-Est(D) dated 3rd October, 2013 (further consolidated vide OM dated 18.11.2022 and 04.03.2024). These instructions are available at https://doptcirculars.nic.in.
