

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †98  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.12.2025**

**Construction of Multi-purpose Sports Stadium in Dhanbad**

**†98. Shri Dulu Mahato:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposal for the construction of a modern multi-purpose sports stadium in the Dhanbad Lok Sabha constituency and if so, the action taken thereon;**
- (b) whether the Government proposes to approve this project under the Department of Sports or any other relevant scheme, if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether proposed stadium planned to include facilities such as cricket, football, hockey, athletics tracks, an indoor hall, a gym, a coaching centre and a hostel;**
- (d) whether any policy is being formulated to provide training, competitive atmosphere and employment opportunities to local youth through the construction of this stadium, if so, the details thereof;**
- (e) whether the Government has taken a note that there is urgent need for high-level sports infrastructure in a region like Dhanbad, which is rich in sports talent; and**
- (f) if so, the details thereof?**

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

- (a) No such proposal has been received in this Ministry.**
- (b) to (d) Do not arise.**
- (e) and (f) 'Sports' being a State subject, the responsibility of development of**

**sports, including development of high-level sports infrastructure, rests primarily with the respective State/Union Territory Governments. The Union Government only supplements their efforts by bridging critical gaps. 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 National Sports Development Fund (NSDF) across the country, including in the State of Jharkhand, 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>.**

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