

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 746  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.03.2016**

**Construction of Stadia**

**†746. SHRI KESHAV PRASAD MAURYA:**

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

- (a) the number and details of stadia in the country for organising International games, State-wise;**
- (b) the number of new stadia proposed for construction in the country; and**
- (c) whether the Government proposes to construct stadia in the districts of UP including Allahabad and if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS  
AND SPORTS  
(SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)**

**(a) There are a number of stadia at various places in the country for organizing international games, but a comprehensive list of such stadia is not maintained by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports. The stadia selected for hosting the U-17 FIFA World Cup in 2017 includes.**

- 1. JLN Stadium, New Delhi (Under the control of Sports Authority of India).**
- 2. D.Y. Patil Stadium, Navi Mumbai**
- 3. JLN Stadium, Kochi**
- 4. Salt Lake Stadium, Kolkata**
- 5. JLN Stadium, Fatorda, Goa**
- 6. I.G. Stadium, Guwahati**

**As far as the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports is concerned, the Sports Authority of India (SAI) manages and operates the following five stadia. All the five Stadia are capable of hosting international sports events:-**

- 1. Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium for International events of Athletics.**
- 2. Indira Gandhi Indoor Sports Complex for International events of Gymnastics, Wrestling and Cycling.**
- 3. Major Dhyan Chand National Stadium for International events of Hockey.**
- 4. Dr. Shyama Prasad Mukherjee Swimming Pool Complex for International events of Swimming, Diving and Water Polo.**
- 5. Dr. Karni Singh Shooting Range for International events of Shooting.**

**(b) & (c): At present there is no such proposal with the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports for construction of Stadia.**

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