

Seventeenth Loksabha

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Title: Demand to establish a 'Khelo India Centre' in Jajpur Parliamentary Constituency, Odisha.

***SHRIMATI SARMISTHA SETHI (JAJPUR):** Thank you Chairman Sir, for giving me the opportunity to raise an important issue. Sir I would like to request the government to establish a 'Khelo India Centre' at my constituency Jajpur. Sir, as we all know, Odisha is the Sporting Capital of India. Under the able leadership of our Chief Minister Shri Naveen Patnaik, our State government has been encouraging and promoting sporting activities a lot. It is due to our patronage, that the Hockey team both Men & Women brought laurels to the country in the Tokyo Olympics. Jajpur has a population of more than 18 lakhs and young people are of a sizeable number. There are many talented children who need nurturing. If the Khelo India Centre is established in Jajpur, young talent can be tapped from the grassroots level. They can bring laurels for the nation in National & International Sporting events. In the entire nation the Department of Sports is establishing Khelo India Centre to build the infrastructure of sports. Sir, through you I am requesting the government to establish one Khelo India Centre at Jajpur. Thank you.

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