GOVERNMENT OF INDIA YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3388 ANSWERED ON:11.12.2001 ATTRACTION OF TOURISTS IN SPORTS RAM SINGH KASWAN;Y.G. MAHAJAN

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

- (a) whether the Government propose to promote sports for attracting the tourists;
- (b) if so, the details of sports proposed to be promoted to attract the tourists; and
- (c) the funds likely to be provided during the Tenth Five Year Plan for implementation of the scheme, sport-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SHRI PON. RADHAKIRISHNAN)

- (a) & (b): Though the new National Sports Policyrecognizes the inter-dependence and inter-relationship between the sports and tourism sectors, no concrete plans and proposals have been drawn up so far for this purpose.
- (c) The outlay for the 10th Five Year Plan is still yet to be finalised and hence it is not possible to indicate allocations.