

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS  
LOK SABHA**

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INSURANCE FOR SPORTS PERSONS SPECTATORS  
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**Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to provide insurance for all the players participating in the Commonwealth Games, 2010 and for the spectators and other employees as well;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS (SHRI PRATIK PRAKASHBAPU PATIL)

(a) & (b): The Organizing Committee(OC) is arranging to provide Group Mediciam Insurance cover and Group Personal Accident Insurance cover for all the Athletes numbering approximately 6,000, each for a sum of \$50,000 (Rs. 25,00,000 approx.). Also, group Personal Accident Cover of Rs. 1 lakh each is being provided by OC for an estimated maximum number of spectators of 65,000 through M/s the Oriental Insurance Company Ltd. This policy will cover all spectators under a 24 hours Group Personal Accident Insurance against any body injury/death or disability due to an accident of any nature at the venues of the Games. All employees of the Organising Committee have been provided with a Group Mediciam Insurance Cover and Group Personal Accident Insurance Cover ranging from Rs. 2 lakh to Rs. 10 lakh through the same company.

(c): Does not arise.