

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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UTILISATION OF INFRASTRUCTURE AFTER COMMONWEALTH GAMES
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has chalked out any plan for the upkeep and better use of infrastructure/facilities developed for the Commonwealth Games in Delhi after the games are over;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to involve private participation in upkeep and maintenance of these upgraded infrastructure; and
- (d) if so, the detailed plan chalked out by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT(SHRI SAUGATA ROY)

(a)to (d): Yes, Madam. The Government has floated a Request for Qualification (RFQ), inviting applications from the corporate sector for the operation and maintenance of the five Sports Authority of India (SAI) stadia in Delhi after the conduct of the Commonwealth Games, 2010. The last date for submission of application is 23.8.2010. The SAI has engaged a Transaction Advisor to assist in the process of short-listing the prospective bidders and selecting the concessionaires for managing the stadia on a Public Private Partnership mode. The stadia covered by this process are Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Complex, Major Dhyana Chand National Stadium, Indira Gandhi Sports Complex, Dr. Shyama Prasad Mukherjee Sports Complex and Dr. Karni Singh Shooting Ranges.

Delhi Development Authority has informed that all the three sports complexes and practice venues at Siri Fort, Yamuna and Games Village will be utilized by the public after the games are over.