

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

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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE
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Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has provided any financial assistance to develop sports infrastructure in Bihar;
- (b) if so, the details thereof during the last three years; and
- (c) the number of players belonging to Bihar who have been provided with the facilities at central level during the last three years?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS (SHRI JITENDRA SINGH)

(a) & (b) Yes, Madam. However, no financial assistance released during 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13 as the Utilization Certificate (UC) for the financial assistance released during 2008 -09 & 2009-10 under the Panchayat Yuva Krida Aur Khel Abhiyan (PYKKA) for the development of sports infrastructure have not been received from the State Government. Under the Urban Sports Infrastructure Scheme (USIS), no project has been sanctioned to Bihar.

(c) During the last three years the Bihar State has availed the grants for conducting the annual sports competition under PYKKA scheme for 2010-11 only and total 1,71,166 players have been participated. During last two year no proposals have been received from State Government.