

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

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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR DEVELOPMENT OF SPORTS

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

(a) whether the Government has provided financial assistance to the various State Governments including Odisha and Himachal Pradesh for the development of sports infrastructure during the last three years;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government has provided any financial assistance to individual sports persons belonging to various sports during the said period; and

(d) if so, the details thereof, State-wise and sports-wise?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) Yes Madam. Details of funds released under PYKKA and USIS State-wise during the last three years are placed at Annexure-I (a) to (g).

(c) & (d) Assistance is also provided to sportspersons for training, equipment, participation in competitions, boarding/lodging, travel, etc under various schemes of the Ministry and the Sports Authority of India (SAI).