

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

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

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to admit talented young sportspersons to specialised sports training schools under the Panchayat Yuva Krida Aur Khel Abhiyan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has proposed to rope in private players and State Governments to build specialized sports training schools in various parts of the country;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) to (e) There is no proposal to establish specialized sports training school under Panchayat Yuva Krida Aur Khel Abhiyan (PYKKA). However, there is a proposal to establish District Level Sports Schools (DLSS) in every district all over the country. The talented young sportspersons identified through PYKKA competitions are proposed to be placed in the DLSS. Kendriya Vidyalayas, Navodaya Vidyalayas and Eklaya Schools are the priority ones where DLSS are expected to be established. There is also a proposal to rope in Private Sector by adopting Public Private Partnership (PPP) model in establishing DLSS. The whole concept is in conceptual stage only. Hence, much details could not be furnished at this stage.