

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
(DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS)**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2154
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04/07/2019**

Sports Promotional Schemes

2154. DR. SUBHASH RAMRAO BHAMRE:

DR. HEENA GAVIT:

SHRI BALLI DURGA PRASAD RAO:

SHRI SUNIL DATTATRAY TATKARE:

DR. AMOL RAMSING KOLHE:

SHRIMATI SUPRIYA SULE:

SHRI KULDEEP RAI SHARMA:

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

(a) whether the Sports Authority of India (SAI) is implementing sports promotional schemes to identify talented sportspersons in the age group of 8-25 years and nurture them to excel at national and international competitions and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether SAI has established regional centres and educational institutions to implement the above sports promotional schemes in the country;

(c) if so, the number of regional centres and educational institutions functioning for this purpose;

(d) the number of sportspersons who availed the benefits across the country during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise;

(e) the funds provided/utilized for the above schemes during the said period, State/ UT-wise;

(f) whether the Government proposes to open such regional centres in various States and if so, the details thereof along with the locations where such centres are proposed to be opened; and

(g) the other steps taken by the Government for effective implementation of the sports promotional schemes?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
(SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)**

(a) Yes Sir, Sports Authority of India (SAI) under the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports (MYAS) is implementing the following schemes for identifying sporting talent of all age groups and its nurturing to excel at National and International level:-

- **Khelo India Scheme**
- **National Sports Talent Contest (NSTC) (61 Centres)**
- **Army Boys Sports Company (ABSC) (26 Centres)**
- **SAI Training Centre (STC) (59 Centres)**
- **Special Area Games (SAG) (21 Centres)**
- **Extension Centres of STC/SAG (90 Centres)**
- **Centre of Excellence (COE) (16 Centres)**
- **National Sports Academies**

(b) & (c) Yes Sir. The list of SAI Regional Centres and Educational Institutions under MYAS is at Annexure -I

(d) The information is at Annexure- II.

(e) MYAS provides funds to SAI for implementation of schemes for promotion of sports through training centres established by SAI, assisting National Sports Federations (NSFs) and sportspersons of high performance potential. State and Union Territory wise funds are not provided to SAI. Information of funds released by MYAS to SAI during the last 3 years is at Annexure -III.

(f) No Sir. Does not arise.

(g) The Government monitors sports promotion schemes on regular basis, approves Annual Calendar for Training and Competitions (ACTCs) of various National Sports Federations and oversee training facilities established by SAI besides regularly interacting with sports persons.

ANNEXURE-I

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) & (c) of unstarred question no. 2154 to be answered on 04/07/2019 regarding sports promotional schemes asked by Dr. Subhash Ramrao Bhamre, Dr. Heena Gavit, Shri Balli Durga Prasad Rao, Shri Sunil Dattatray Tatkare, Dr. Amol Ramsing Kolhe, Shrimati Supriya Sule, Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma, Hon'ble MPs.

List of SAI Regional Centres and Educational Institutions of MYAS

S.No.	Regional Centres of SAI
1	Regional Centre, Bangalore
2	Regional Centre, Kolkata
3	Regional Centre, Gandhinagar
4	Regional Centre, Bhopal
5	Regional Centre, Sonapat
6	Regional Centre, Mumbai
7	Regional Centre, Lucknow
8	Regional Centre, Chandigarh
9	Regional Centre, Imphal
10	Regional Centre, Guwahati

S.No.	Educational Institutions of MYAS	Remarks
1.	National Sports University, Manipur, Imphal	Started in 2018
2.	Lakshmibai National Institute of Physical Education (LNIPE) Gwalior	Under MYAS
3.	Netaji Subhas National Institute of Sports, Patiala	Under SAI
4	Lakshmibai National College of Physical Education (LNCPE), Thiruvananthapuram	Under SAI

ANNEXURE-II

Annexure referred to in reply to part (d) of unstarred question no. 2154 to be answered on 04/07/2019 regarding sports promotional schemes asked by Dr. Subhash Ramrao Bhamre, Dr. Heena Gavit, Shri Balli Durga Prasad Rao, Shri Sunil Dattatray Tatkare, Dr. Amol Ramsing Kolhe, Shrimati Supriya Sule, Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma, Hon'ble MPs.

Details of SAI Sports Promotional schemes during the last three years and current year 2016 to 2019.

S.No.	2015-2016				
	Centres	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	National Sports Talent Contest	64	846	252	1098
2	Army Boys Sports Company	18	1201	0	1201
3	SAI Training Centre	58	3894	1731	5625
4	Special Area Games	19	1055	807	1862
5	Ext. Centre of STC/SAG	73	953	512	1465
6	Centre of Excellence	15	235	191	426
7	SAI National Sports Academy (NSA)	05	59	37	96
	Total:	252	8243	3530	11773
2016-2017					
	Centres	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	National Sports Talent Contest	64	1123	252	1375
2	Army Boys Sports Company	24	1352	0	1352
3	SAI Training Centre	59	4535	1963	6498
4	Special Area Games	19	1120	880	2000
5	Ext. Centre of STC/SAG	95	996	647	1643
6	Centre of Excellence	15	266	211	477
7	SAI National Sports Academy (NSA)	13	261	78	339
	Total:	289	9653	4031	13684
2017-2018					
	Centres	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	National Sports Talent Contest	65	1125	242	1367
2	Army Boys Sports Company	27	1591	0	1591
3	SAI Training Centre	59	4804	2063	6867
4	Special Area Games	20	1189	978	2167
5	Ext. Centre of STC/SAG	86	1133	804	1937
6	Centre of Excellence	15	270	209	479
7	SAI National Sports Academy (NSA)	15	369	130	499
	Total:	287	10481	4426	14907
2018-2019					
	Centres	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	National Sports Talent Contest	61	1112	230	1342
2	Army Boys Sports Company	26	1488	0	1488
3	SAI Training Centre	59	4589	1986	6575
4	Special Area Games	21	1256	925	2181
5	Ext. Centre of STC/SAG	90	1308	866	2174
6	Centre of Excellence	16	214	262	476
	Total:	273	9967	4269	14236

ANNEXURE-III

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Allocation of Funds under SAI Sports Promotional Schemes for the Last three years.

(in Lakhs)

S.No	Schemes	Rest of India	North East	Total
2016-2017				
1	National Sports Talent Contest (NSTC)	65.00	10.00	75.00
2	Army Boys Sports Companies (ABSC)	600.00	0.00	600.00
3	SAI Training Centre (STC)	3160.00	440.00	3600.00
4	Special Area Games (SAG)	575.00	700.00	1275.00
5	Centre of Excellence (COE)	400.00	50.00	450.00
6	SAI National Sports Academy (NSA)	1500.00	0.00	1500.00
	TOTAL:	6300.00	1200.00	7500.00
2017-2018				
1	National Sports Talent Contest (NSTC)	100.00	15.00	115.00
2	Army Boys Sports Companies (ABSC)	1000.00	80.00	1080.00
3	SAI Training Centre (STC)	3950.00	420.00	4370.00
4	Special Area Games (SAG)	600.00	620.00	1220.00
5	Centre of Excellence (COE)	350.00	45.00	395.00
6	SAI National Sports Academy (NSA)	500.00	20.00	520.00
	TOTAL:	6500.00	1200.00	7700.00
2018-2019				
1	National Sports Talent Contest (NSTC)	135.00	20.00	155.00
2	Army Boys Sports Companies (ABSC)	1150.00	80.00	1230.00
3	SAI Training Centre (STC)	3900.00	450.00	4350.00
4	Special Area Games (SAG)	750.00	700.00	1450.00
5	Centre of Excellence (COE)	365.00	50.00	415.00
6	SAI National Sports Academy (NSA)	0.00	0.00	0.00
	TOTAL:	6300.00	1300.00	7600.00
