

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5455  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.07.2019**

**Sports Infrastructure in Assam**

**5455. SHRI PRADYUT BORDOLOI:**

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

- (a) whether the Government is aware that the existing infrastructure for sports is in very bad shape in Nowgong in Assam;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the steps being taken to revive and maintain these facilities;**
- (c) whether the Government proposes to start/open up a full-fledged sports academy to promote young talents in Nowgong; and**
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Government in this regard?**

**ANSWER**

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

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**(a) and (b) 'Sports' being a State subject the responsibility for developing sports infrastructure, including in Nowgong in Assam, rests with the State Government. Central Government supplements efforts of the State Government by providing expert training facilities in Sports Authority of India (SAI) Centres, supports to National Sports Federations (NSFs) and support under Khelo India Scheme. SAI infrastructure does not exist at Nowgong. Information relating to sports training facilities provided by this Ministry in Assam is given in Annexure - I.**

**(c) and (d) There is no proposal under consideration of this Ministry to start/open up a full-fledged sports academy in Nowgong. Information of infrastructure projects sanctioned under Khelo India Scheme for Assam is at Annexure - II.**

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**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) AND (b) OF LOKSABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5455 TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.07.2019 REGARDING “SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE IN ASSAM” ASKED BY SHRI PRADYUT BORDOLOI, HON’BLE MEMBER OF LOKSABHA**

Annexure-I

- (i) Lakshmbai National Institute of Physical Education(LNIPE), North East Regional Centre, Guwahati under LNIPE Deemed University, Gwalior.
- (ii) List of Sports Authority of India (SAI) Centres in Assam under SAI Regional Centre, Guwahati

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of the scheme</b>	<b>Name of the training centre</b>
1.	National Sports Talent Contest (NSTC) Scheme	Don Bosco HS, Guwahati
2.	Indigenous Games and Martial Arts (IGMA) under NSTC scheme	Martial Authority of Assam Tengapara, Kokrajhar
3.	Adopted Akharas under NSTC Scheme	LanghinTinali Sports Association, Langhin, District. KarbiAnglong
4.	SAI Training Centers (STC) Scheme	STC Guwahati
5.		STC Golaghat
6.	Special Area Games (SAG) Scheme	SAG Tinsukia
7.		SAG Kokrajhar
8.	Extension Centre of STC/ SAG Centers	Dibrugarh Judo Association, Dibrugarh
9.		Table Tennis Academy at Jorhat
10.		Dakha Devi Rasiwasia College, Chabua, Dibrugarh
11.		MAHCHS School, Majuli, Jorhat, Assam

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Annexure-II

**List of Infrastructure Project sanctioned in Assam under Khelo India Scheme**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of the project</b>	<b>Amount sanctioned (Rs. in Crore)</b>
1.	Synthetic Hockey Field at Maulana Md. Tayabullah Hockey Stadium, Bhetapara, Guwahati, Assam	4.50
2.	Laying of FIH approved Synthetic Hockey Turf at SAI SAG Centre, Kokrajhar	5.50
3.	Laying of Synthetic Athletic Track at SAI SAG Centre, Kokrajhar	7.00
4.	Laying of Synthetic 8 lane Athletic Track at SAI SAG Centre, Tinsukia	7.00