

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

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FACILITIES TO STATES FOR ORGANISING NATIONAL INTERNATIONAL GAMES

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

- (a) the details of monetary support and other facilities given to a State for Organizing National and International games;
- (b) the assistance given and proposed to be given to Andhra Pradesh for preparation of 32nd National games to be held in Hyderabad during 2002;
- (c) whether the Government propose to sanction the amount for training/coaching centre to utilize the sports equipments; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SHRI PON. RADHAKIRISHNAN)

- (a) There is no provision in the existing schemes for providing monetary support and other facilities to a State for organizing National and International Games as such.
- (b) The Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh had requested for release of a one-time grant of Rs.50.00 crores for creation of sports infrastructure for National Games to be held in Hyderabad during 2002. As no provision exists for providing ad-hoc or one time grant for creation of sports infrastructure, the Chief Minister was requested on 27.11.2001 to get suitable proposals for creation of sports infrastructure formulated in accordance with the prescribed norms of the scheme of 'Grants for Creation of Sports infrastructure'.
- (c) & (d): No such proposal has been received from the Government of Andhra Pradesh.