

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

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DELAY IN COMPLETION OF SPORTS STADIUM

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

(a) whether the Games Coordination Commission have expressed concern over the delays in the completion of construction work of some projects like athletics stadium and swimming pool;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS (SHRI PRATIK PRAKASHBAPU PATIL)

(a) to (c) : Yes, Madam. There have been some delay and recovery plans have been worked out, wherever required, to complete all the Competition Venues by 31st March, 2010 except Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, which will be completed by 30th June, 2010. The steps taken in this regard includes increase in the number of Supervisory Staff & Labour; increase in working hours; deployment of additional machineries; procurement of critical & special items ; and close monitoring .