

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2877
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.12.2019**

Projects Approved under Khelo India Programme

2877. SHRI PRADAN BARUAH:

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

- (a) the details of sanctioned and approved projects under the Khelo India Programme along with name of those projects in Assam during the last three years, district-wise;**
- (b) the number of youths enrolled under the programme in Assam;**
- (c) the current status of the projects under Khelo India Programme for construction of Bihpuria Stadium Complex in district Lakhimpur, Assam; and**
- (d) the current status of the projects under Khelo India Programme for construction of Multipurpose Sports Hall at Khowang H.S. School in Moran, district Dibrugarh, Assam?**

ANSWER

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

(a) and (c) Sports being a State subject the primary responsibility of promotion and participation in Sports rests with concerned State/Union Territory Government. Central Government supplements efforts of the State/Union Territories. Information of infrastructure projects sanctioned for the State of Assam during the last three years and the current year under Khelo India Scheme is at Annexure I.

(b) Under the "Talent Search and Development" vertical of Khelo India Scheme, young sporting talents are identified and provided training. Presently, 40 athletes (20 male and 20 female) are getting training in the State of Assam under this vertical.

(d) The project of construction of Multipurpose Sports Hall at Khowang H.S. School in Moran, district Dibrugarh, Assam was not found feasible for financial assistance under Khelo India Scheme. Larger number of athletes could be provided training in the existing sports infrastructure facilities in Assam.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) AND (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2877 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.12.2019 REGARDING “PROJECTS APPROVED UNDER KHELO INDIA PROGRAMME” ASKED BY SHRI PRADAN BARUAH, HON’BLE MEMBER OF LOK SABHA

ANNEXURE - I

DETAILS OF PROJECTS SANCTIONED IN ASSAM DURING THE LAST THREE YEARS AND THE CURRENT YEAR DISTRICT-WISE UNDER KHELO INDIA SCHEME

(Amount in Rs. crore)

S. No.	Year	Name of the project	District	Date of sanction	Amount sanctioned	Amount released	Status
1.	2017-18	Laying of Synthetic Athletic Track at SAI SAG Centre, Kokrajhar.	Kokrajhar	24.05.2017	7.00	5.32	80% completed
2.	2017-18	Renovation / Upgradation including Laying of Synthetic Hockey Field in Maulana Md. Tayabullah Hockey Stadium, Betapara, Guwahati.	Kamrup Metropolitan	29.06.2017	4.50	4.50	Project completed
3.	2017-18	Laying of Synthetic Athletic Track including construction of sub base, drainage and chain link at SAI SAG Centre, Tinsukia.	Tinsukia	29.09.2017	7.00	7.00	50% completed
4.	2017-18	Laying of Synthetic Hockey Turf at SAI SAG Centre, Kokrajhar.	Kokrajhar	21.12.2017	5.50	5.50	80% completed
5.	2019-20	Development of infrastructure facilities for Bihpuria Stadium Complex (such as for construction of low cost spectators gallery, change room for boys and girls, electrification & water supply and natural glass football playground & raising low site), Lakhimpur.	Lakhimpur	25.07.2019	3.00	1.50	Nil Progress
