

**MONTHLY SUMMARY OF PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES/ DEVELOPMENT IN RESPECT OF DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS DURING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 2019.**

Important issues and developments in respect of the Department of Sports during the month of **October, 2019** are as follows :-

On the occasion of the 150<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi i.e. 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2019, more than 1500 Fit India Plog Runs were organised across the country under Fit India Movement.

2. Department of Sports during the meeting of National Sports Federations on 11<sup>th</sup> October, 2019 decided to allow sports events in all sporting facilities owned by the Government free of cost in order to further the Fit India Movement and to make playfields and sporting infrastructure accessible without any fee to sportspersons across the country from 1<sup>st</sup> November, 2019. The sporting facilities will also be accessible free of cost to non-government coaches training athletes.

3. The gist of performance of Indian athletes in various events is as below :

Sportspersons	Events	Medals			Total
		Gold	Silver	Bronze	
Athletes	International Competitions	13	19	26	58
SAI Trainees	International Competitions	02	04	08	14
SAI Trainees	National Competitions	09	07	12	28

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