

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS  
(Sports CDN Section)

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi 110001

Dated: February, 2023

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**SUBJECT: Monthly Report to the Cabinet Secretariat about important developments in the Department of Sports- reg.**

The undersigned is directed to refer Cabinet Secretariat's OM No. 1/50/1/2017-Cab dated 4<sup>th</sup> February, 2022 on above mentioned subject and to enclose (**Annexure-I**) the Monthly Report pertaining to the Department of Sports for the month of **January, 2023** is hereby circulated for information.

2. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

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**Encl : As above.**

To  
All Members of Council of Ministers

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- (i) All Secretaries to the Govt. of India's Ministries/Departments
- (ii) Director, Cabinet Secretariat, Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi

**Annexure-I****Monthly Report for the month of January, 2023****Name of the Ministry / Department: Department of Sports****1. Important policy decisions taken and major achievements during the month:**

- a. The 5<sup>th</sup> edition of the Khelo India Youth Games (KIYG-2023) commenced with a grand launch ceremony on 30<sup>th</sup> January 2023 at Tatia Tope Nagar Stadium, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh. Around 6000 athletes from across the country participated in 27 sporting disciplines in this edition of the KIYG, organized in eight cities of Madhya Pradesh, namely, Bhopal Indore, Ujjain, Jabalpur, Gwalior, Mandla, Balaghat and Maheshwar in addition to Delhi. To facilitate the athletes and the other participants in the event, a first-of-its-kind mobile app was launched to ensure that all participants have one-touch access to all necessary information about the event.
- b. The FIH Odisha Hockey Men's World Cup, 2023 successfully concluded on 29<sup>th</sup> January with Germany crowned as the World Champions. This is the second consecutive time that India played host to the Men's Hockey World Cup with both editions organized in Odisha. The event was organized at two venues, the Birsa Munda Hockey Stadium in Rourkela and the Kalinga Stadium in Bhubaneswar and saw participation from 16 National Teams with India finishing 9<sup>th</sup> in the overall standing.
- c. The first-ever All India Conference of Vice-Chancellors on Sports Development was held under the chairmanship of Union Minister of Youth Affairs & Sports on 24.01.2023 in New Delhi. Deliberations to promote sports and the role of universities in creating an effective sports ecosystem took place with the active participation of VCs and senior officials from 66 Universities across the country.
- d. To support the international outreach initiatives of the country, India is playing host to a team of Maldivian athletes for participating in a 6-month long athletic camp at SAI Netaji Subhash Southern Centre, Bangalore from January to August 2023. This is the 5<sup>th</sup> training camp held at SAI facilities since 2017 with the last one held in 2019.
- e. The Khelo India Senior Women's Kho-Kho League was organized between 10<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> January at Chandigarh University, Punjab, with the sub-junior and junior categories of the league held between 16<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> January at Ranchi, Jharkhand, as a part of the Khelo India Women's leagues, organized across multiple sports disciplines to create a platform for women athletes to actively take up sports, thus contributing significantly to the development of women's sports in the country.
- f. The 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the FIT India School Week, a flagship initiative for schools to inculcate sports and fitness among the students concluded on 31<sup>st</sup> January 2023. Schools across the country actively participated in this campaign, encouraging the students to actively participate in various sporting activities including the annual sports day celebrations, physical assessment of students, yoga sessions, indigenous sports programs, etc.
- g. The FIT India Healthy Hindustan programme, a special online talk show was launched by the Union Minister for Youth Affairs & Sports on 15<sup>th</sup> January through a curtain raiser episode with eminent fitness experts about integrating fitness and nutrition into daily life. The session also had a special segment on the importance of millets in creating a healthy diet, thus

commencing this department's initiatives for the celebration of the International Year of Millets.

- h.** In a first-of-its-kind initiative, this Ministry has put in place an Oversight Committee to carry out the day-to-day operations of the Wrestling Federation of India and to carry out a thorough enquiry on the complaints of sexual misconduct, intimidation, financial irregularities, administrative lapses, etc. received from the wrestlers against the President and a few coaches.
- i.** National Anti-Doping Agency (NADA) organized a total of 17 Anti-Doping Education Awareness programmes across the country.
- j.** The 89<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Mission Olympics Cell (MOC) was held on 19-20<sup>th</sup> January, 2023 on various components of Target Olympic Podium Scheme (TOPS). Proposals from various athletes belonging to 09 sporting disciplines worth Rs. 1,86,48,164/- were approved.

**2. Important policy matter held up on account of prolonged inter-ministerial consultations:**

Nil

**3. No. of cases of 'sanction for prosecution' pending for more than three months:**

Nil

**4. Particulars of cases in which there has been a departure from the Transaction of Business Rules or established policy of the Government:**

Nil

**5. Status of ongoing Swachhta Abhiyan (progress under Special Campaign):**

Following activities were conducted for the special campaign of Swachhta Abhiyan:

- a) Under Swachhta Campaign, the office premises of NADA and NDTL including workstations, electrical and conference rooms were cleaned. The officials were encouraged to maintain clean and hygienic premises.
- b) The Lakshmibai National Institute of Physical Education (LNIPE) premises along with sports infrastructure and residential blocks were cleaned under the Swachhta Abhiyan. The cleaning campaign is organized every month.
- c) SAI Regional Head offices, Divisions, etc. across the country are cleaned regularly. Sanitization facilities including toilets, solid and liquid waste management systems, department cleanliness and safe & adequate drinking water supply are provided across all SAI facilities.

**6. Status of Rationalization of Autonomous Bodies:**

Does not arise in the case of D/o Sports as all the five Autonomous Bodies- SAI, LNIPE, National Sports University (NSU), NADA and NDTL have been set up for specific purposes.

**7. Information on specific steps taken for utilization of the Space Technology based tools and applications in Governance and Development:**

The geo-tagging of sporting infrastructure across the country is under consideration.

**8. Vacancy position of senior level appointments in the Ministry/Department, including Autonomous Bodies/PSUs:**

- a) There's no vacancy of senior level in Department of Sports (as on 31.01.2023).
- b) Vacancy position of senior posts in NDTL is as per **Annexure-II**.
- c) Vacancy position of senior posts in NADA is as per **Annexure-III**.
- d) Vacancy position of senior posts in SAI is as per **Annexure-IV**.
- e) Vacancy position of senior posts in LNIPE is as per **Annexure-V**.
- f) There is only one vacancy in NSU i.e. One Associate Professor (as on 31.01.2023).

**9. List of cases in which ACC directions have not been complied with:**

Nil

**10. Details of FDI proposals cleared during the month and status of FDI proposals awaiting approval in the Ministry / Department:**

Nil

**Annexure-II**

**Vacancy position of senior level appointments in National Dope Testing Laboratory (NDTL) as on 31.01.2023:**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Nomenclature of Post</b>	<b>Pay Level in the Pay Matrix as per 7<sup>th</sup> CPC</b>	<b>Sanctioned Strength (Posts)</b>	<b>Filled Up Posts</b>	<b>Vacant Posts</b>
1.	Director (Scientist F)	13A	01	01	00
2.	Scientist E	13	01	00	01
3.	Scientist D	12	02	01	01
4.	Scientist C	11	05	05	00
5.	Deputy Director	11	01	00	01
6.	Scientist B	10	06	05	01
7.	Senior Technical Officer	10	02	01	01
8.	Senior Technical Officer (IT)	10	01	00	01
9.	Finance Officer	10	01	00	01

**Annexure-III**

**Vacancy position of senior level appointments in National Anti-Doping Agency (NADA) as on 31.01.2023:**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Nomenclature of Post</b>	<b>Pay Level in the Pay Matrix as per 7<sup>th</sup> CPC</b>	<b>Sanctioned Strength (Posts)</b>	<b>Filled Up Posts</b>	<b>Vacant Posts</b>
1.	CEO and DG, NADA	14	01	01	00
2.	Scientific Director	13	01	00	01
3.	Senior Project Officer	12	01	00	01
4.	Senior Scientific Officer	12	01	00	01
5.	Project Officer	11	01	01	00

**Annexure-IV**

**Vacancy position of senior level appointments in Sports Authority of India (SAI) as on 31.01.2023:**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Post</b>	<b>Pay Scale</b>	<b>New Sanctioned Strength</b>	<b>Present Strength</b>	<b>Vacancy</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>DG</b>	Level-15	01	01	00
<b>2</b>	<b>Secretary</b>	Level-14	01	01	00
<b>3</b>	<b>Principal(LNCPE)</b>	Level-14	01	01	00
<b>4</b>	<b>DDG/ Sr ED</b>	Level-14	04	02	02
<b>5</b>	<b>Executive Director</b>	Level-13A	07	05	02
<b>6</b>	<b>High Performance Coach</b>	Level-13	50	12	27*
<b>7</b>	<b>Dean (SS/ Academics)</b>	Level-13	02	01	01
<b>8</b>	<b>CVO</b>	Level-12	01	01	00

\*Only 39 posts can be filled as per recruitment plan to achieve the financial neutrality

**Annexure-V****Vacancy position of senior level appointments in Laxmibai National Institute of Physical Education (LNIPE) as on 31.01.2023:****LNIPE, Gwalior:**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Post</b>	<b>Sanctioned Strength</b>	<b>Filled Up Posts</b>	<b>Vacant Posts</b>
1	Vice Chancellor	01	00	01
2	Registrar	01	00	01
3	Finance Officer	01	00	01
4	Professor	05	02	03
5	Associate Professor	04	02	02
6	Assistant Professor	45	30	15
7	Librarian	01	00	01
8	Deputy Registrar	04	03	01
9	Assistant Registrar	04	00	04

**LNIPE (North East Regional Centre), Guwahati:**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Post</b>	<b>Sanctioned Strength</b>	<b>Filled Up Posts</b>	<b>Vacant Posts</b>
1	Professor	01	00	01
2	Associate Professor	01	01	00
3	Assistant Professor	11	09	02
4	Assistant Registrar	01	01	00