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INTRODUCTION

1. I, the Chairman of the Departmentally Related Standing Committee on Development (A) Departments having been authorized by the Committee to present the **Nineteenth Report** on their behalf on the demands for **Grant No. 74** relating to **Sports and Youth Welfare Department** for the financial year 2022-23.
2. The Committee took evidence of the government representatives on **23rd March, 2022**.
3. The Committee wishes to place its thanks to the representatives of concerned Department who appeared before the committee and placed their considered views and notes. The Committee also like to thanks the Department for furnishing the replies on the points raised by the Committee.
4. The Reports was considered and adopted by the Committee at their sitting held on **26th March, 2022**.
5. The Committee also expresses its thanks to the Officers and staff of the Assam Legislative Assembly Secretariat, who devoted their time and energy in processing and compilation of the report within a very short span of time for their Secretarial assistance & co-operation.

Dispur :
The **26th March, 2022**.

SHRI GOBINDA CHANDRA BASUMATARI
Chairman,
Departmentally Related Standing
Committee
on Development (A) Departments,
Assam Legislative Assembly.



CHAPTER – I
Grant No. 74
Sports & Youth Welfare Department

The total sum of Rs.22659.72 lakhs are required for approval of the House during the Financial Year 2022-23.

The total allocation of fund under the Grant No.74 for administration of Forest Department during the financial year 2022-2023 is Rs.22,659.72 lakhs and presented before the house for approval. The total amount so allocated is prepared to spend in the Revenue & Capital expenditure.

The detailed Budget allocation under Grant No.74 of Sports & Youth Welfare Department as below:

	(Rupees in Lakhs)
Major Head of Accounts	Budget Estimates 2022-23
2204 - Sports & Youth Services	13424.95
4202 - Capital Outlay on Education, Sports, Arts & Culture.	9234.77
Grand Total:	Rs.22,659.72

The Departmentally Related Standing Committee on Development (A) Department of Assam Legislative Assembly examining the Grant No.74 as per the evidence from the Departmental representatives presents in the meeting and observes the Budget.

REPORT
GRANT NO: 74

Sports & Youth Welfare Department

The Sports & Youth Welfare Department was created in the year 1987-88 with a view to promote the activities of sports & youth welfare in the State and since then, a good number of schemes have been successfully implemented under the aegis of this Department.

Sports & Youth Welfare Department has been allotted for an amount of Rs.9290.00 lakh under State Own Priority Development Fund and Rs. 8526.87 lakh under Establishment respectively for the financial year, 2021-22.

1. Construction of Sports Complex with Football Stadium, Indoor Stadium, Lawn Tennis Court at Lakhsminath Play ground, Sualkuchi, Kamrup:

The Sports & Youth Welfare Department, Government of Assam, has set up a Multi Disciplinary Sports Complex at Sualkuchi, Kamrup district at a cost of Rs. 2695.68549 lakhs. The major components of the project include: Indoor Stadium (2 Badminton Courts & 4 Table Tennis Board), Football Ground (FIFA Standard), 2 Lawn Tennis Courts. The construction works is going on and 97% physical progress is achieved till date with a financial progress of 91.91%.

2. Construction of Sports Complex with Athletic Stadium, Cricket Stadium, Swimming Pool, Indoor Stadium, Tennis and Volley Ball Court at Saboti, North Lakhimpur:

The Sports & Youth Welfare Department, Government of Assam, has set up a Multi Disciplinary Sports Complex at Sualkuchi, Kamrup district at a cost of Rs. 4917.07758 lakhs. The major components of the project include: Athletic Stadium, Cricket Stadium, Swimming Pool, Indoor Stadium, Tennis and Volley Ball Court. The construction works is going on and 40% physical progress is achieved till date with a financial progress of 35%.

3. Construction of State of Art Sports School In the name of Ariun Bhogeswar Baruah:

The Government in Sports and Youth Welfare Department has started the construction work of state-of-the-art State Sports School by the name of Arjun Bhogeswar Baruah at Sarusajai Sports Complex, Guwahati. This school will be an excellent platform to young promising talents towards pursuing sporting as well as academic career. Bhogeswar Baruah State Sports School will be started in six Olympic sports disciplines namely- Athletics, Football, Boxing, Archery, Taekwondo and Weightlifting. The construction works is going in progress and 20% physical progress is achieved till date along with financial progress of 18.19%.has been done by the Assam Public Works (Building) Department, Assam, and work order has been issued on 24-02-2021. The work is going in progress and the project is expected to be completed within March, 2022.The construction works is going in progress and 36% physical progress is achieved till date along with financial progress of 12%.

4. Installation of Flood Lights in 7 (Seven) stadia of the State:

As per budget announcement 2018-19, the Department of Sports & Youth Welfare, Assam is implementing the scheme of installation of Flood Lights in 7 (Seven) stadia of the state viz. Kamrup (M), Dibrugarh, Tinsukia, Jorhat, Mangaldai, Sonitpur and Karimganj. The total cost of the Project is Rs. 3344.47595 lakh. The execution of the work has been done by the Assam Public Works (Building) Department, Assam, and work order has been issued on 24-02-2021. The work is going in progress and the project is expected to be completed within March, 2022. The construction works is going in progress and 36% physical progress is achieved till date along with financial progress of 12%.

5. COMPLETED PROJECTS AND PROGRAMMES:

Cash award of Rs. 7.00 lakh provided to Smti. Lovelina Borgohain and Rs. 3.00 lakh to Shri Shiva Thapa:

The Cash award of Rs. 7.00 lakh to Smti. Lovelina Borgohain and Rs. 3.00 lakh to Shri Shiva Thapa has already been disbursed by taking temporary loan from Sports Authority of Assam.

6. Sports Pension and Financial Award to Medal Winners (Cabinet Decision and CMs Review Meeting):

The Department has provided Sports Pension to the Medal Winners of National Games, Commonwealth Games, Asian Games and Olympic Games @ Rs. 10,000.00 per month to each of the Medal Winners irrespective of their age from the current financial year. Under this scheme, the Medal Winners of Olympics, Asian Games, Commonwealth Games, and National Games are being awarded as follows:

- Those Medal Winners, who are not in service, are being awarded Regular Sports Pension amounting to Rs.10,000/- each per month.
- Those Medal Winners, who are in service, are being awarded one time financial award amounting to Rs.50,000/-.

7. Finalization of the Statute of the Sri Sri Anirudhadeva Sports University (Cabinet Decision):

Sports & Youth Welfare Department, with the assent of His Excellency Governor of Assam & the Chancellor of Sri Sri Anirudhadeva Sports University, has notified the First Statutes of the University vide notification No: SYW.73/2021/267 Dtd. 07-10-2021.

8. Appointment of Khel Ratna Lovlina Borgohain, Jamuna Boro and Sanjay Boro (Cabinet Decision):

Khel Ratna Lovlina Borgohain has been appointed as Deputy Superintendent of Police, Assam Police, Further, Smti Jamuna Boro, Boxer, and Sanjay Boro, Archer, had been appointed as Excise Inspectors, Govt of Assam.

9. Cash award of Rs. 1.00 crore to Khel Ratna Lovlina Borgohain (Cabinet Decision):

A Cheque for an amount of Rs. 1.00 crore was ceremonially presented to Khel Ratna Lovlina Borgohain, Olympics Bronze Medallist, as one time Grant in a ceremonial programme held on 12Lh August, 2021 at Srimanta Sankardev Kalakhetra.

10. Providing Financial Assistance to Khel Ratna Lovlina Borgohain Rs. 1.00 lakh per month till next Olympics (Cabinet Decision/ HCM's Announcement):

A proposal for providing financial assistance @ Rs. 1.00 lakh per month till next Olympics for the purpose of training and preparation by Miss Lovlina Borgohain has already been initiated.

11. Providing Financial Assistance Rs. 10.00 lakh to all 5 Coaches of Khel Ratna Lovlina Borgohain (Cabinet Decision):

A Cheque for an amount of Rs. 10.00 lakh each was handed over to the all 5 coaches of Khel Ratna Lovlina Borgohain, Olympics Bronze Medallist.

12. Conduct of State Civilian Awards (Date of Cabinet Meeting 12.1.2022):

The Cabinet had directed that the programme be conducted in a dignified manner with invitations to prominent personalities who excelled in different fields should be invited to the program. In view of the above, the Sports & Youth Welfare Department had invited all the prominent personalities in the field of Sports to the State Civilian Awards function held on 24/1/22. The program was conducted successfully by the Government.

**Allocation, Sanction and Expenditure of fund under State Own Priority
Development Fund for 2021-22**

An amount of Rs. 9290.00 lakh was allocated under SOPD for 2021-22 against different schemes for Sports & Youth Welfare Deptt. as follows:

Sl No	Name of the Scheme	Allocation	Expenditure
1	Preparation & participation of North East Youth Festival & National Youth Festival	4.80000	4.77664
2	NCO Academy at Jorhat	72.00000	72.00000
3	Organization of Events & Fair / Function	223.77000	222.98094
4	Distribution of Sports Goods to Active Sports Clubs / Youth Clubs of 126 LACs of the State	168.00000	0.00000
5	Promotion of Traditional Sports Committed liability of 2021-22	16.00000	16.00000
6	Mission grass root Olympic in GP, Block and District level	0.01000	0.00000
7	Committed Liabilities for Conduct of Xohudor 2020-21	40.00000	40.00000
8	Grants for Registered Youth Club	240.00000	0.00000
9	Assam Mountaineering Association	24.00000	24.00000
10	Financial Assistance / Incentive / Reward to players/ Sports persons for participating in National/International (recognized by Indian Olympic Association) Tournament/ Championships etc. as per Sports Policy	113.60000	109.95750
11	Assam Flying Club	160.00000	0.00000
12	Nationals under National Sports Federations (Inter State) as per Sports Policy	288.00000	64.48162
13	Grants in Aid to State Level Advisory Committee for Students & Youth Welfare, Assam 2022-23	240.00000	240.00000
14	Residential Coaching Camp for Front Ranking Players	40.00000	0.00000
15	Construction of Indoor Stadium at Dhemaji	168.77000	143.10854
16	Construction of Sports Complex at Jonai, Dist: Dhemaji		
17	Holding of FIFA World cup u-17 Women's World Cup (Conduct)	40.00000	0.00000
18	Installation of Floodlight in Stadium in Dibrugarh, Jorhat, Karimganj, Kamrup(m), Darrang, Tezpur & Tinsukia	400.00000	400.00000
19	546-Stadium-13-Major Works	940.80000	782.83556
20	Construction of Sports Complex with Football Stadium, Indoor Stadium, Lawn Tennis Court at Lakhsminath Play ground, Sualkuchi, Kamrup	5300.00000	3713.61802
21	Construction of Sports Complex with athletic stadium, Cricket Stadium, Swimming Pool, Indoor Stadium, Tennis & Volleyball Court at Saboti North Lakhimpur.		
22	Sports Auditorium at Barpeta	0.01000	0.00000
23	Creation of Sports Play ground in Tea Gardens @Rs.5.00 lakh per gound	0.01000	0.00000
24	Construction of Building/ Quarters of Employees of Sports Authority of Assam, Sarusajai Sports Complex and Directorate of Sports & Youth Welfare, Assam	0.01000	0.00000
25	Development of Hockey Arena at Sonarballi under Bajjagaon Development Block, Nagaon	8.00000	0.00000
26	Development of Barapujia Anchalik Krida Santhar Khelpathar, Nagaon	76.00000	76.00000
27	Construction of Gupteswar Mini Stadium with gallery, Double Pavilion with all Civic Facility under Borchola Block, Sonitpur	8.00000	0.00000
28	Construction of Multipurpose Indoor Hall SAI SAG Centre, Sarbananda Singha Stadium, Tinsukia	63.20000	36.33831

29	Construction of BP Chaliha Swimming Pool (Construction of Gallery) (Committed liabilities)	80.00000	75.00875
30	Chief Minister's relief fund	65.00000	0.00000
31	Football Stadium at Chandrapur at land belonging to APDCL	160.00000	0.00000
32	Assam Badminton Association	40.00000	40.00000
33	One time Incentives to National/International Award Winners	310.00000	39.88000
34	FIH Junior Men's Hockey Cup, 2021	0.01000	0.00000
35	Others	0.01000	0.00000
	Total	9290.00000	6100.98588

PERFORMANCE / ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2021 -22

Schemes/ Projects & its status and Major Achievements:

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PROPOSAL FOR STATE OWN PRIORITY DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES, 2022-23:

As per Sectoral Allocation for State Own Priority Development Schemes, 2022-23 as conveyed by the Finance Deptt. vide letter No. BB.404/2010/294 Dtd. 14th February,2022, Rs. 18066.00 lakh (Rupees one eighty crores sixty six lakhs) only has been provided for the Sports & Youth Welfare Department.

Total fund proposed for the ongoing State Own Priority Development Schemes 2022-23 with schematic break-up of the fund, with objectives in brief of the Flagship Schemes and target proposed for the year 2022-23 are as follows:

SI No	Name of the Scheme	Allocation (Rs. In Lakh)
1	North East Youth Festival & National Youth Festival, NSS Award, NCC Award	47.80
2	NCC Academy at Jorhat	85.20
3	Organization of Events & Fair/Function (Holding of Coaching Camp and organizing various sports tournaments, State / National level / scouting of budding Sports Talents)	206.68
4	Distribution of Sports Goods to Active Sports Clubs/ Youth Clubs of 126 LAGs of the State	400.00
5	Promotion of Traditional Sports Committed liability of 2021-22	52.70
6	Mission grass root Olympic in GP, Block and District level	318.71310
7	Conduct of Xohudor 2020-21 (Committed Liabilities)	96.94
8	Grants for Registered Youth Club	240.00
9	Assam Mountaineering Association	216.22

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10	Financial Assistance / Incentive / Reward to players / Sports persons for participating in National / International (recognized by Indian Olympic Association) Tournament / Championships etc. and for holding of International Level Sports Competitions.	430.00
11	Assam Flying Club	160.00
12	Financial Assistance various Associations, other organization, institutions, related with the development of Sports	1678.36
13	Grants in Aid to State Level Advisory Committee for Students & Youth Welfare, Assam 2022-23	500.00
14	Residential Coaching Camp for Front Ranking Players at District & State Level, and & Exposure visit to selected players to NSNIS Patiala, and Gwalior	1500.00
15	CM Special Package for Dhemaji District	115.00
16	Holding of FIFA World cup u-17. Women's World Cup (Conduct)	50.00
17	Installation of Floodlight in Stadium in Dibrugarh, Jorhat, Karimganj, Kamrup (m), Darrang, Tezpur & Tinsukia	2944.48
18	Construction/Development/Renovation etc. for Sports Infrastructure etc.	953.7269
19	Construction of Sports Complex with Football Stadium, Indoor Stadium, Lawn Tennis Court at Lakshminath Play ground, Suakuchi, Kamrup & Construction of Sports Complex with athletic stadium, Cricket Stadium, Swimming Pool, Indoor Stadium, Tennis & Volleyball Court at Saboti North Lakhimpur.	3898.05
20	Sports Auditorium at Barpeta	0.01
21	Creation of Sports Play ground in Tea Gardens @Rs.5.00 lakh per ground	0.01
22	Construction of Building/ Quarters of Employees of Sports Authority of Assam, Sarusajai Sports Complex and Directorate of Sports & Youth Welfare, Assam	0.01
23	Development of Hockey Arena at Sonarballi under Bajjagaon Development Block, Nagaon	136.43
24	Development of Barapujia Anchalik Krida Santhar Khelpathar, Nagaon	25.00
25	Construction of Gupteswar Mini Stadium with gallery, Double Pavilion with all Civic Facility under Borchola Block, Sonitpur	23.70
26	Construction of Multipurpose Indoor Hall SAI SAG Centre, Sarbananda Singha Stadium, Tinsukia	79.73
27	Construction of BP Chalhha Swimming Pool	89.16
28	Construction of Assam Youth Commission Building (New)	20.00
29	Construction and extension of Roof Over the Galleries at North Stand, South Stand of IGAS Sports Complex, Sarusajai, Guwahati	500.00
30	Construction of Mini Stadium at Sorbhog	10.00
31	Bhogeswar Baruah State Sports School at Sarusajai Sports Complex, Sarusajai, Guwahati (Civil Works)	500.00
32	Establishment of Sri Sri Anirudhadeva Sports University at Chabua, Dibrugarh (Civil Works)	200.00
33	Diversion of 132 KV GSS, Dibrugarh- Behiating Transmission near under Construction of Multi Disciplinary Sports Complex at Khaniker in Dibrugarh District	190.37
34	Holding of FIFA Women's World Cup, Civil Works	50.00
35	Construction of SLAC office (Repairing, renovation beautification) at Rudra Singha Sports Complex, Dispur, Guwahati-6	50.00
36	100 Open Air Gym across the state (Budget Announcement, 2021-22)	5.00
37	One swimming pool, one mini gym in all district and sub divisional headquarters (Budget Announcement, 2021-22)	5.00
38	Repairing and renovation of NCC offices	50.71
39	Grants in Aid to Assam Youth Commission	1247.00
40	Grants in Aid to Khelo India State Centre of Excellence	200.00

		700.00
41	MP level Sports Competition	50.00
42	Youth Exchange Programme	40.00
	Grants-in-Aids to Assam Sports Development Fund	18066.00
	Total	

TARGET FOR THE YEAR 2022-23:

Proposal for Construction of District Stadiums in 10 Districts and 40 Mini Stadiums in Constituencies under NIDA:

Government of Assam has already initiated the process for construction of 40 Mini Stadia in 40 Legislative Assembly Constituencies @ Rs. 12.00 crores each under NIDA (NABARD Infrastructure Development Assistance) and similarly, it has also been decided to construct 10 nos. of District Stadia in 10 Districts of the state @ Rs. 50.00 crores each with an aim to provide proper sporting facilities for coaching, regular practice and sports competitions at grassroot level. The final lists of Stadiums have been approved by the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Assam. The Assam Public Works (Bldg) Department has been requested to prepare the Plan & Estimates / DPRs for the proposed stadiums.

Construction of Lovlina Boxing Academy cum Sports Complex at Sarupathar, District Golaghat (HCMs Public Announcement):

As per announcement of Hon'ble Chief Minister on the day of felicitation of Arjun Lovlina Borgohain for winning Bronze Medal in Tokyo Olympics, 2020 at Srimamta Shankardeva International Auditorium, the scheme for Construction of Lovlina Boxing Academy cum Sports Complex at Sarupathar, Golaghat is proposed for implementation under NIDA (NABARD Infrastructure Development Assistance), as District Stadium at a cost of Rs. 1200.00 lakhs.

100 Open Air Gym across the state (Budget Announcement of 2021-22):

This scheme is adopted to facilitate and strengthen the sports training facility, as well as to support the enthusiast sports person in maintaining one's health and fitness. Initially, the Department has taken up to set 100 Open-Air Gyms across the state.

Scheme of One swimming pool, one mini gym in all district and sub divisional headquarters: (Budget Announcement of 2021-22):

The scheme is proposed with an aim to provide state-of-the-art swimming facilities to all the potential swimmers of the state for quality development of the swimmers. The Chief Engineer, PWD, Chandmari, Guwahati-03, has been requested to prepare the Plan and Estimate for the construction of Olympic Size Swimming Pool along with Mini Gym. (Size of the Swimming Pool: 50m/25m.)

District Level Small Khelo India Centers:

Sports Authority of India, New Delhi has approved the 33 centers in 27 districts @ 02 Sports disciplines in 06 districts and @ 01 sports discipline in 21 districts across the state for opening of District Level Small Khelo India Centers. These District Level Small Khelo India Centers are for Government organizations.

Khelo India State Centre of Excellence:

The Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, Govt. of India, had approved the proposal for establishment of Khelo India State Centre of Excellence (KISCE). The Department of Sports & Youth Welfare, Govt. of Assam, has already received an amount of Rs 122.674 lakh out of the total sanctioned fund Rs 216.28 lakh. The MoU has been executed between Sports & Youth Welfare Department, Government of Assam and Sports Authority of India. An amount of Rs. 200.00 lakh is proposed in the budget for logistical support to the trainees under Khelo India Programme.

Establishment of Assam Youth Commission (Date of Cabinet Meeting 12-1-2022)

The Cabinet approved for creation of Assam State Youth Commission which would be enacted through legislation with Honorary Chairman, 2 Vice-chairmen, and 6 members. The Cabinet fixed the salary of the Vice-chairmen and Members.

The Department has prepared a draft bill for the constitution of Assam State Youth Commission and views of referral Departments are being obtained on the draft Bill, and as per the decision of State Cabinet held on 12-01-2022, Rs. 20.00 lakh is proposed for construction of a new office building for newly created Assam Youth Commission. Further, Rs. 137.28 lakh, Rs 247.00 lakh and Rs 1000.00 lakh has been proposed for grant in aid to Assam Youth Commission for the year 2022-23 for Salary, Non-Salary expenditure and conduct of various training cum coaching to the youths of Assam respectively.

Mission Grass root Olympic in GP, Block and District level:

In order to boost sporting activities in the Grassroot levels, also to select the budding sports talents for higher coaching to prepare themselves to participate in various National & International level Competitions. For holding of this mega event, the department has budgeted Rs. 318.71 lakh during 2022-23.

Residential Coaching Camp for Front Ranking Players at District & State Level and Exposure visit to selected players to NSNIS Patiala and Gwalior:

The department had organized Residential Coaching Camp for Front Ranking Players to nurture the talented players of the State, who can represent the State in various National and International events in upcoming years in various prioritized disciplines such as Athletics, Archery, Badminton, Boxing, Football, Taekwondo, Weightlifting, and Volleyball in every year. It is a matter of great pleasure that, Himma Das, International Athlete who had come out of similar residential coaching camp organized by the Department during 2016-17, who has become the pride of not only of this state but also for the entire country. For conducting the programme in the year, 2022-23, and for providing an Exposure visit to NSNIS Patiala and Gwalior to the selected players an amount of Rs. 1500.00 lakh has been proposed in the budget.

MP level Sports Competition:

As per the direction of meeting held on 16-12-2021 under the chairmanship of Hon'ble Chief Minister Assam, the proposed amount an amount of Rs 700.00 lakh has been budgeted for holding of MP Area Sports Competition during 2022-23.

Youth Exchange Programme:

As per the decision taken in the meeting under the chairmanship of Hon'ble Chief Minister Assam with Sr. Most Secretaries regarding takeaways from the Chief Minister Conclave, The amount of an amount of Rs. 50.00 lakh has been proposed during 2022-23 for Youth Exchange Programme during the year 2022-23

Recruitment of Sub-Divisional Sports Officers, Physical Instructors, and Coaches:

The Sports & Youth Welfare Department has initiated the process of recruiting 04 Sub-Divisional Sports Officers, 119 Physical Instructors, and 54 Coaches.

PHYSICAL TARGET ACHIEVED DURING THE LAST 3 (THREE) YEARS:**1. Sports Talent Search Scholarship**

Year	State	National	International	Total
2019-20	1417	214	0	1631
2020-21	1836	211	0	2047
2021-22	1669	132	0	1801

2. State Level Coaching Camp:

Year	Total participants
2019-20	985
2020-21	-
2021-22	-

3. Engagement of Contractual Coach:

Year	Total Coaches
2019-20	41
2020-21	41
2021-22	39

4. Engagement of Contractual Yoga Employees :

Year	Total Employee
2019-20	97
2020-21	98
2021-22	95

5. Regular Sports Pension & One Time Financial Assistance

Year	Regular Sports Pension to (Sports Person / Organizer)	One Time Financial Assistance (Ex-Gratia) (to Sports Person / Organizer)
2019-20	40	40
2020-21	40	40
2021-22	98	157

6. Participation in National School Games of Assam State Team:

Year	Total Participants	Medal			Total
		Gold	Silver	Bronze	
2019-20	1185	23	37	77	137
2020-21	-	-	-	-	-
2021-22	-	-	-	-	-

7. Infrastructure Development:**A. North Eastern Council (NEC)**

Sl No	Name of the Scheme	Physical Progress
1	Construction of Titlagarh Sports Complex (Sonari), Dist: Charaideo (Rs. 272.00 lakh)	93%
2	Construction of Mini Stadium at Biharguri, Dist: Sonitpur. (Rs. 431.81 lakh)	100%

B. Non Lapsable Central Pool of Resources (NLCPR)

Sl No	Name of the Scheme	Physical Progress
1	Construction of Multidisciplinary Sports Complex at Khanikar, Dibrugarh (Rs. 13982.23 lakh)	54.59%
2	Construction of RCC Gallery of District Sports Association (Stadium Complex) Hallakandi (Rs. 177.13 lakh)	100%
3	Construction of Chandi Baruah Stadium at Howly, Dist: Barpeta (Rs. 290.36 lakh)	76%
4	Construction of Sports Complex at Jhagrapar in Dhubri, District (Rs. 377.77 lakh)	45%

C. Urban Sports Infrastructure Scheme (USIS)

Sl No	Name of the Scheme	Physical Progress
1	Construction of Multipurpose Indoor Hall at SAI SAG Centre, S.S Stadium, Tinsukla (Rs. 600.00 Lakh)	99%

D. Additional Central Assistance (ACA)/ Special Plan Assistance (SPA)

Sl No	Name of the Scheme	Physical Progress
1	Construction of RCC Gallery at Rajib Gandhi Sports Complex near NH Memorial Football Academy at Bajlagaon, Nagaon	100%
2	Construction of Gupteswar Mini Stadium with Gallery, Double Storied Pavilion with all civic facility under Barchala Block, Sonitpur District	100%
3	Development of International Hockey Arena at Sonariball under Bajlagaon Development Block, Nagaon.	100%
4	Development of Barapujia Anchalik Kira Santhar Khel Pathar, Nagaon	100%
5	Extension of Roof over the Galleries of the Indira Gandhi Main Athletic Stadium, Guwahati	100%

**Action Taken Report on the Recommendations made by the Committee in its
Report No.18 (Eighteenth) for Grant No.74 of 2021-2022**

Sl. No.	Recommendation	Action Taken
1	The committee observes that 33 nos. of Modern Sports Stadiums are constructed at a cost of Rs. 10.00 crore each in 33 LAC under Signature Project. In view of paramount importance of sports for welfare of the youths in the State, the committee appreciates such endeavour of the department and recommends that one stadium of the same standard at a cost of Rs. 10.00 crore each in the remaining LACs be constructed in phased manner.	Government of Assam has already initiated the process of construction of Modern Sports Infrastructures in 33 nos. of LACs under Signature Project. In view of the paramount importance of sports in the State, Hon'ble Chief Minister has announced in the floor of the Assam Legislative Assembly that Sports & Youth Welfare Department, Government of Assam will construct 40 Mini Stadia in 40 Legislative Assembly Constituencies @ Rs. 12.00 crores each under NIDA (NABARD Infrastructure Development Assistance) and similarly, it is also decided to construct 10 nos. of Stadia in 10 Districts of the state @ Rs. 50.00 crores for each Stadium. PWD (B) has been requested to prepare and submit DPRs for the projects.
2	The committee reiterates its earlier recommendation of active involvement of the MLAs in any sports activity / development of sports infrastructure in their respective LACs and scrupulous implementation of this recommendation.	As regards implementation of different schemes pertaining to sports infrastructure, the department has been considering the proposals recommended by the Hon'ble MLAs. Further, the Directorate of Sports & Youth Welfare, has requested all the District Sports Officer, to comply with the requests of Hon'ble MLAs vide letter No. DSY/S/DRSC/2021/43 Dtd. 26 th July, 2021 (Copy of letter at Annexure-A).
3	The committee observes that LAC-wise distribution of the sports goods to sports clubs are grossly inadequate and hence recommends that sports goods for at least 100 nos. of clubs in each LAC shall be distributed in each financial year.	The Department is presently implementing the Scheme of distribution of sports goods, such as, football, volleyball, etc, amongst various Sports Clubs LAC-wise through the Hon'ble MLAs. This year budget provision of Rs.168.00 lakh (Rupees one crore sixty eight lakh) only has been allotted towards distribution of Sports Goods by the Sports & Youth Welfare Department. This budget provision is not adequate to cover 12600 Sports Clubs under the Scheme. Supplementary Demand for an amount of Rs.250 lakhs was proposed for the scheme in the December session of the Assam Legislative Assembly, however, the same was not granted.
4	The committee notes with concern that the sports goods distributed during the past years are mainly for boys. The committee strongly recommends that sports goods for like Football, Volleyball, with net, Cricket set, Ring and with 100 set along with Jersey should be provided to the Sports aspirants.	The sports goods distributed by the Sports & Youth Welfare Department are meant for both boys and girls. Sports goods will be distributed taking into account of gender recommendation by Hon'ble DRSC. The Director, Sports and Youth Welfare, Assam has requested all District Sports Officers to submit the requirements of sports goods on gender basis. Copy of letter at Annexure-B.
5	The committee recommends that the departmental and criminal procedure against the then DSO Barpeta w.e.f. 12-11-2014 to 09-08-2015 for her alleged corruption and financial irregularities shall be concluded early with	The Governor of Assam vide Notification No.SYW.86/2016/285 dtd. 20.02.2021 has imposed the penalty of "with holding 2 (two) annual increments with cumulative effect from the pay of the delinquent

	appropriate punitive measures and the action taken reports shall be submitted to the committee as early as possible.	<p>officer under Rule 7 (ii) of the Assam Services (Discipline and Appeal) Rules, 1964" against Smti Monurama Das, the then DSO, Barpeta, now DSO (under suspension) . Copy of the Notification at Annexure-C 1.</p> <p>It may be further mentioned that Smti. Monurama Das, District Sports Officer is currently under suspension in connection with her arrest in District Sports Office, Golaghat and Departmental Proceedings against her in this case is under process. Copy of suspension order at Annexure-C 2.</p>
6	The committee recommends that if the concern MLAs' of every district can make arrangement a suitable place of land for the construction of the office of the Sports and Youth Welfare Department in the respective districts' then the concerned Department should take necessary steps for the construction of the office of the Sports & Youth Welfare Department in every District.	<p>As per availability of land in the different districts, necessary provisions will be made for establishment of District Sports Office in every district.</p> <p>In this regard, District Sports Officers have been requested for identification of suitable plot of land for construction of Office of District Sports Officers. Copy of letter at Annexure-D1. Accordingly 5 Nos of proposals have been received.</p> <p>The Deputy Commissioners have also been requested to identify land for setting up District Sports Offices. Copy of letter at Annexure-D2.</p>
7	The Committee recommends that the Stadiums should be constructed in State preparing 3 model for village level, sub-divisional level as well as the district level respectively.	<p>The department will make provision for constructing stadiums in State, preparing 3 models for village level, sub-divisional level as well as the district levels. The PWD has been requested to submit model estimates for stadia at 3 levels. Copy of letter at Annexure-E.</p> <p>Further, it is to be mentioned here that, the Department has initiated the process of construction of 40 Mini Stadia in 40 constituencies @ Rs. 12.00 crores each under NIDA (NABARD Infrastructure Development Assistance) in this year, and similarly, it is also decided to construct 10 nos. of Stadia in 10 Districts of the state @ Rs. 50.00 crores each Stadium in this year.</p>
8	The Committee recommends to construct a Multipurpose Indoor Stadium at Udalguri.	<p>The Deputy Commissioner, Udalguri has been requested to submit Plan & Estimate and land documents etc. for construction of Multipurpose Indoor Stadium at Udalguri. Copy of letter at Annexure-F.</p> <p>On receipt of the same the Sports & Youth Welfare Department will move Bodoland Welfare Department for constructing a Multipurpose Indoor Stadium at Udalguri.</p>
9	The Committee recommends to construct an Indoor Stadium at Tangla.	<p>Hon'ble Speaker, Assam Legislative Assembly, has requested Hon'ble Chief Minister, Assam to construct a Stadium at Panery LAC, Tangla vide his letter No. H/ dtd. 14.07.2021. On instruction from the Department, the Director, Sports & Youth Welfare, Assam has requested the Deputy Commissioner, Udalguri to provide a suitable Plot of Land along with a detailed Plan and Estimate for the Stadium and reply for same is awaited. Copy of letter at Annexure-G.</p> <p>The Sports & Youth Welfare Department will take necessary steps to move Bodoland Welfare Department for implementation of the same on receipt of proposal along with approved Plan & Estimate, land documents etc.</p>

10	The Committee recommends to build a pavilion and an open gallery in the Kharupetia Stadium immediately.	The Department will take steps for building up a pavilion and an open gallery in the Kharupetia Stadium on receipt of proposals along with Plan & Estimate and land documents etc. The Deputy Commissioner, has been requested to submit Plan & Estimate for the construction of the Stadium. Copy of letter at Annexure-H.
11	The Committee observes that there is a lack co-ordination between PWD and the Sports Department. Hence, the Committee recommends to solve these problems and implement the projects of the Scheme on time with the mutual lack coordination between the said Departments.	Sports & Youth Welfare Department has been maintaining a healthy co-ordination with the authority of Assam Public Works Department, and due to the mutual co-ordination between these two departments has been able to construct a number of Sports infrastructures both in Guwahati and in different locations of the State. Further, prior to implementation of such schemes, this department consults with Assam Public Works Department for preparation and vetting of Plan & Estimates, execution of the entire works, etc. For further coordination between the two departments for implementation of projects, the PWD (B) Department has been requested to notify a nodal person for the Sports & Youth Welfare Department. Copy of letter at Annexure-I.
12	The Committee recommends to used flood lights only in the selected Stadiums.	The Department is implementing a scheme for installation of Flood lights in 7 stadia of the State in the districts of Dibrugarh, Jorhat, Karimganj, Kamrup (M), Darrang, Tezpur and Tinsukia at a cost of Rs. 3344.47959 lakh. The work has been executed by Assam Public Works (Building) Department, and the process of Installation of flood lights has been initiated by engaging Vendor / Firm by Assam Public Works (Building) Department.
13	The Committee recommends to organize talent hunt camp through tournament in school level among the students to provide further training from school level.	To hunt talent through tournaments, the Sports & Youth Welfare Department regularly holds different Inter-district School Tournaments in the sports disciplines of Football, Volleyball, Athletics, Hockey, Boxing, Cricket, etc. under the age groups of 14, 17 & 19 yrs. (both Boys & Girls). The selected players from these Tournaments take part in various National Level Sports Competitions, such as, Subroto Mukherjee Cup Football Tournament, Jawaharlal Nehru Cup Hockey Tournament, National School Games, etc.
14	The Committee recommends to construct a Multipurpose Stadium at Hailakandi constituency.	The Deputy Commissioner, Hailakandi has been requested to submit Plan & Estimate and land documents etc. for construction of Multipurpose Indoor Stadium at Hailakandi. Copy of letter at Annexure-J. The Department will take steps for constructing a Multipurpose Indoor Stadium at Hailakandi, on receipt of proposals along with Plan & Estimate and land documents etc. subject to budgetary provision.
15	The Committee recommends that besides Olympic sports, the Non-Olympic sports disciplines which are included in Asian Games should be provided with financial assistance.	Sports & Youth Welfare Department provides financial assistance/Grants-in-Aid to sportspersons/associations in non-Olympic games every year on the basis of applications received and eligibility of the applicants. Copy of award winners for the FY 2020-21 is at Annexure-K.

16	The Committee recommends that Playfields should be developed under CMSGUY in all villages.	Sports & Youth Welfare Department, Govt. of Assam, has taken up the scheme of "Development of 500 Playfields" in the state through Assam Youth Development Mission Society under the Mega Mission Society - Chief Minister Samagra Gramya Unnayan Yojana" (MMS - CMSGUY). If any initiative for development of playfields in all villages of the state is adopted by the CMSGUY the scheme can be implemented.
17	The Committee recommends that the Sports College and Stadium at Kokrajhar and Stadium at Khoirabari under BTC should be constructed.	<p><u>Sports College at Kokrajhar:</u> As per the Budget Announcement of Hon'ble Chief Minister of Assam during the year 2019 - 2020, the Sports & Youth Welfare Department initiated the process for establishment of Sports College at Kokrajhar BTAD. In this regard, the Directorate of Sports & Youth Welfare, Assam has already requested the Secretary, Bodoland Territorial Council, Kokrajhar to submit the detailed Plan & Estimates duly vetted by the competent Technical Authorities along with the details of land documents in connection with Construction of Sports College at Kokrajhar, BTAD which is proposed to be constructed at Bangaldoba, Haloadol, Kokrajhar. Copy of letter at Annexure-L.</p> <p><u>Stadium at Kokrajhar:</u> The Chief Engineer, PWD(B) has been requested to furnish his views on the DPR submitted by Hon'ble Chief Executive Member, BTC, Kokrajhar for construction of Sikhna Jwhlao Sports Complex at Kokrajhar. On receipt of views of PWD(B) the proposal will be submitted to Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India. Copy of letter at Annexure-M.</p> <p><u>Stadium at Kholrabari:</u> The proposal for development of Mini-Stadium at Kholrabari has been selected under NIDA. PWD (B) has been requested to prepare and submit DPR for the project.</p>
18	The Committee recommends for appointment of Internationally Trained Coach for every Sports events for both men and women of the State.	Recommendation made by the Hon'ble DRSC will be taken into consideration, action will be taken for engagement of reputed international coaches for every sports event, if available.
19	The Committee recommends for appointment of Sports Instructor in every high Schools where the post is lying vacant.	The Sports & Youth Welfare Department is taking steps for recruitment of vacant post of Physical Instructors and the process is under way.
20	The Committee recommends for establishment of Sports Office throughout the State and specially in South Salmara.	Same as Action taken at Point No. 6 above. Also Deputy Commissioners have been requested to make necessary arrangements for office accommodation of District Sports Offices in vacant Govt. offices/ institutions. Copy of letter at Annexure-N.
21	The Committee recommends to develop/upgrade the play ground of the High Schools/Higher Secondary Schools/Colleges of State and also the sports items should be provided to the provincialized/Govt. Schools/Colleges.	i. The Department has been implementing a Scheme for development / up-gradation of 500 playfields across the State, being Rs. 100.00 crores total project cost. An amount of Rs. 20.00 has been put aside for each of 500 playfields. Out of the 20 Lakh, an amount of

>		<p>Rs. 1 lakh for each playfield Rs.5 crore in total has been earmarked for sports goods. The beneficiaries of the Scheme include different High Schools / Higher Secondary Schools / Colleges of the State.</p> <p>Further, sports goods of different sports disciplines have also been provided to them to support the youths of the respective localities.</p> <p>ii. Sports Goods of Volleyball were also provided to the provincialized / Govt. Schools under Governor's Girls Volleyball Mission during 2020-21, for promotion and popularization of Volleyball amongst the girls of the State.</p>
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Observations and Recommendations on Grant no. 74: Sports & Youth Welfare

1. The Committee observes that the Department has prepared a list of 40 nos of constituencies for construction of stadium.
Therefore, the Committee recommends the Department to include Borkhetri, Udalguri(Sastrapara), Borkhela, Dolgaon, Hailakandi, Karimganj (Nilambazar) and Mankachar constituencies among them for construction of stadium.
2. The Committee recommends the Department to allot at least 2 or 3 play grounds in each blocks of every constituency.
3. The Committee recommends the Department to sanction at least one new post of Physical Instructor in every Government Higher Secondary School.
4. The Committee strongly recommends that District Stadium is to be developed in all district headquarters which don't have any existing District Stadium.
5. The Committee recommends that mini stadium is to be developed in all LACs of the state which don't have any existing mini Stadium.
6. The Committee recommends that the department should take up the matter with Assam Cricket Association for construction of one Cricket Stadium in the district of Udalguri and Mankachar of South Salmara Mankachar district.
7. The Committee observes that one stadium sanctioned in Mazbat under Signature Scheme Project. The Committee recommends that it should be shifted to Udalguri district in place of Mazbat for its better utilization.
8. The Committee also recommends for expediting the work of construction of Indoor Stadium at Tangla and Udalguri.
9. The Committee observes that there is much potentially in sports in Tezpur district. Therefore, the Committee recommends that one district stadium should be constructed in Tezpur to bring forward the youths in the field of sports.
10. The Committee recommends to construct a District Stadium at Kathalguri, Titaguri under Kokrajhar Development Block.

The Committee recommends that the Budget allocation provided under Grant No.74 for Financial Year 2022-2023 for the Sports & Youth Welfare Department be approved by the August House.

