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Agenda Item No.	01
Agenda	Confirmation of the minutes of the 56 th meeting of DPAC held on 23.02.2025

Detailed Description of Agenda:

The minutes of 56th meeting of the DPAC were circulated to the members and so far, no objections have been received. Hence it is proposed that minutes circulated may be confirmed.

Agenda Item No.	02
Agenda	Action taken report on 56 th Meeting of DPAC

Sl. No.	Agenda	Decision Taken	Action Taken
Sports Competitions and Talent Development			
3	Budget approval for Khelo India Tribal Games 2025(Travel Grant for Phase II Selection Trials)	This proposal was approved.	A sanction of 3.35 Cr has been issued.
Sports Centres & Academies			
4	De-notification of Converted Khelo India Centres in the State of Kerala.	This proposal was approved.	Letter has been issued.
5	Approval for Relaxation/Adoption of Revised Eligibility Criteria and Experience for the Post of Doctor at KISCE.	This proposal was approved.	A letter for Relaxation/Adoption of Revised Eligibility Criteria and Experience for the Post of Doctor at KISCE. has been forwarded to all the state/UTs
6	Procurement of Non-Consumable Cycling Equipment for STC Kurukshetra	This proposal was approved and the procurement is to be done by RC Sonapat.	File has been initiated.
7	Provision of Budget for Procurement of Specialised Sports Equipment for the Operationalization of the Olympic Training Centre (OTC) for	This proposal was approved, for the upcoming Olympic Training Centre (OTC),	File has been initiated.

	Kayaking & Canoeing at Koteswar	as per the modalities recommended by PAC.	
Promotion of Inclusiveness Through Sports (Sports for Women)			
8	Proposal for hosting ASMITA League at the City /District level through Union Territory of Ladakh and various National Sports Federations 7(NSFs) under the Khelo India S8cheme	This proposal was approved.	Yogasana and Fencing files have been initiated for funds disbursement. Bond awaited from other NSFs.
9	Proposal for hosting ASMITA League at State, Zonal /National level through State/UT Governments and National Sports Federations (NSFs) under the Khelo India Scheme	This proposal was approved.	Rugby, Pencak Silat, and Swimming files have been initiated for funds disbursement. Bond awaited from other NSFs.
10	Proposal for celebrating International Women's Day 2026 in 250 Districts under for Sports for Women (ASMITA) under the Khelo India Scheme	This proposal was approved.	IWD event was conducted in all 250 districts on 8th and 9th March 2026.
11	Proposal for Administrative budget for Sports for Women and Sports Peace and Development (ASMITA and SPANDAN) under Khelo India Scheme	This proposal was approved.	File has been initiated.
Promotion of Inclusiveness Through Sports (Sports for Peace & Development)			
12	Proposal for conduct of State-Level and District level Tournaments in Manipur under Sports for Peace and Development	This proposal was approved.	File has been initiated.
13	Proposal for the conduct of District-level Tournaments in Ladakh by ITBP under Sports for Peace and Development	This proposal was approved.	File has been initiated.
14	Proposal for conduct of National-Level and District level Tournaments in various Frontier	This proposal was approved.	File has been initiated

	HQ of BSF by BSF under Sports for Peace and Development		
15	Proposal for conduct of State level Tournament in Aizwal by Government of Mizoram under Sports for Peace and Development	This proposal was approved.	File has been initiated.
16	Proposal for conduct of District level Tournaments in Tripura by Tripura State Government under Sports for Peace and Development.	This proposal was approved.	File has been initiated.
Fit India Movement			
17	Proposal for Promotional Activities under Fit India Movement	This proposal was approved.	The fund is being utilized for various Fit India activities.
18	Proposal for Fit India Sundays on Cycle event at Puducherry	This proposal was approved.	File has been initiated.
19	Proposal for Engagement of a Professional Production Agency for Creation of “India’s Gameplan – Policy to Playground” Podcast (IP) for Sports Authority of India.	This proposal was approved.	File has been initiated.
20	Organizing Fit India Women’s Week, 2026 across States/UTs and SAI field units (NCOEs, STCs and KICs) and JLN Stadium, New Delhi	This proposal was ratified.	The sanction has been issued, and the events were organised.
21	Approval for organizing Fit India Carnival in SAI Regional Centres and JLN Stadium, New Delhi	This proposal was ratified.	The sanction has been issued, and the carnival was organised at JLN, and being organised across all Regional Centres.
22	Approval for conducting Sundays on Cycle campaign at RC Trivandrum	This proposal was ratified.	The sanction has been issued.

Agenda Item No	03
Agenda	Approval for Extension of Tenure for One Additional Quarter in respect of Khelo India Centres (KICs), Khelo India State Centres of Excellence (KISCEs) and Sports Academies under the Khelo India Scheme
Component	Khelo India Centres and Sports Academies

Detailed Description of the Agenda

1. The approved tenure for FY 2025–26 is nearing completion at a critical juncture when the existing Khelo India Scheme is transitioning into the revamped Khelo India Mission framework. The transition entails alignment of operational guidelines, funding architecture and performance benchmarks under the Mission mode approach. Ensuring continuity of field-level implementation during this phase assumes significant importance.
2. At present, more than 28,000 athletes are undergoing training across Khelo India Centres (KICs), Khelo India State Centres of Excellence (KISCEs) and Sports Academies. These centres are supported by over 950 Past Champion Athletes (PCAs) engaged at KICs and more than 250 technical and support manpower engaged at KISCEs. In order to ensure continuity in athlete training cycles, coaching engagement, high-performance support systems, and long-term athlete development pathways, it is proposed to extend the tenure by one additional quarter.
3. Under the Khelo India Centres and Sports Academies vertical, KICs have been notified for grassroots training through engagement of PCAs; KISCEs have been notified from among the best existing sports infrastructure facilities for high-performance training; and Sports Academies have been supported for long-term athlete development. The detailed list of approved centres and academies is placed at-I.

Financial Implication for One Additional Quarter

- I. Khelo India Centres (KICs): Each KIC receives ₹5.00 lakh per annum (₹3.00 lakh towards PCA remuneration and ₹2.00 lakh towards consumables). For one quarter, the requirement per KIC works out to ₹1.25 lakh. For 1066 KICs, the total requirement for one quarter is: ₹13.325 Crore.
- II. Khelo India State Centres of Excellence (KISCEs): The average recurring assistance per KISCE is ₹2.02 Crore per annum. For one quarter, the requirement per KISCE works out to ₹0.505 Crore. Thus for 35 KISCEs, the total estimated requirement for one quarter is: ₹17.675 Crore.
- III. Sports Academies: Sports Academies include ABSC/AFBSC/ NBSC/ARPS have a sanctioned strength of 1250 athletes with approved assistance of ₹1,59,212 per athlete per annum. Accordingly, for 1250 athletes, the total requirement for one quarter is: ₹4,97,53,750 (₹4.98 Crore approx.)

Summary of Financial Implication (One Quarter) i.e. Q1 FY 2026-27

Component	Annual Recurring Component - (Per Unit)	Quarterly - (Per Unit)	Units (KIC/KISCE /Athletes)	Total for One Quarter
KIC	₹5.00 lakh	₹1.25 lakh	1066	₹13.325 Cr
KISCE (Avg.)	₹2.02 Cr	₹0.505 Cr	35	₹17.675 Cr
Sports Academy Athlete	₹1,59,212	₹39,803	1250	₹4.98 Cr
Grand Total	—	—	—	₹35.98 Crore (approx.)

In view of the above, the PAC may kindly consider and recommend extension of tenure for one additional quarter in respect of 1066 Khelo India Centres (KICs), 35 Khelo India State Centres of Excellence (KISCEs), and Sports Academies approved till FY 2025-26, involving a total estimated financial implication of approximately ₹35.98 Crore, to be met from the budget allocation under the Khelo India Centre and Sports Academies.

PAC recommended that the agenda may be placed before the DPAC for approval, subject to DoE approval for extension of the Khelo India Scheme.

Approval of the DPAC is solicited for:

- i. *Extension of tenure for one additional quarter (i.e. Q1 – FY 2026-27) in respect of Khelo India Centres (KICs), Khelo India State Centres of Excellence (KISCEs) and Sports Academies.*
- ii. *Approval for associated financial implication of approximately ₹35.98 Crore for the said quarter.*

Agenda Item No.	04
Agenda	Budget requirement for KITD for Quarter 1 of Financial Year 2026-27
Component	KITD (Sports Competitions and Talent Development)

Detailed Description for Agenda

1. The operational framework for FY 2025–26 is concluding during a pivotal phase of institutional transition. The Khelo India Scheme is currently being integrated into the revamped Khelo India Mission, requiring a comprehensive realignment of administrative and financial protocols. To safeguard the continuity of field-level implementation and athlete support during this transition, an extension of the current framework is required for the first quarter of FY 2026-27.

2. The division's ongoing operations include Inductions of athletes followed by Age Verification Tests (AVTs), protocols, and digital onboarding through NSRS tagging. Administratively, KITD manages the disbursement of Out-of-Pocket Allowances (OPA) and TA/DA, oversees biannual assessment camps, and maintains the accreditation and inspection standards of sports academies. These efforts are further augmented by digital initiatives such as e-Khel Pathshala to ensure standardized learning at the grassroots level.

3. In order to seamlessly sustain the core operational deliverables and prevent any disruption in athlete management it is proposed to extend the operational tenure of the current framework by one additional quarter. This extension will provide the necessary bridge for the final alignment with the revamped Khelo India Mission guidelines.

4. Financial Implication for Q1 (FY 2026-27):

Component	Particulars	Q1 Demand (In Cr.)
Sports Competition & Development	OPA of KIAs @ Rs. 1,20,000/- p.a. per athlete	8.5
	Funding for KIAA	3.00
	TIDC Expenditure for visit to Competition / Assessment Camp for KIAs	0.875
	KIAs in NCOEs	10.00
	Expenditure for KIA Assessment Camps	1.375
	Expenditure for Age Verification Test (AVT) for 1000 athletes @ Rs. 2,266/-	0.2266
	e-Khel Pathshala	1.499
TOTAL		25.4756

4. In view of the above, the PAC may kindly consider and recommend extension of tenure for one additional quarter in respect of Khelo India Talent Identification (KITD), involving a total estimated financial implication of approximately ₹25.4756 Crore, to be met from the budget allocation under the Sports Competitions and Talent Development.

5. PAC recommended that the agenda may be placed before the DPAC for approval, subject to DoE approval for extension of the Khelo India Scheme.

Approval of the DPAC is solicited for:

i. Extension of tenure for one additional quarter (i.e. Q1 – FY 2026-27) in respect of Khelo India Talent Identification (KITD), Sports Competitions and Talent Development.

ii. Approval for associated financial implication of approximately ₹25.4756 Crore for the said quarter to ensure uninterrupted athlete support and administrative continuity.

Agenda Item No	05
Agenda	Extension of PMU and Technical Resources engaged under AMS, GMS and Digitalization of KI verticals.
Component	Support to Academies - Khelo India Centres and Sports Academies

Detailed description of the Agenda:

Sports Authority of India (SAI) has undertaken multiple e-Governance and digitization initiatives under the Khelo India Scheme to leverage Information and Communication Technology (ICT) for structured data management, transparency, performance monitoring, and improved accessibility of information for stakeholders across the sports ecosystem.

These initiatives include development and operationalization of various digital platforms such as:

- National Sports Repository System (NSRS)
- Khelo India Games Management System (KI-GMS)
- Khelo India Talent Identification Modules
- Khelo India Centres & Accredited Academies Portals
- Dashboard, Reporting and Analytics Modules
- Integration with DigiLocker, ACTC and etc.

2. To implement and maintain these initiatives:

- i. A Project Management Unit (PMU), M/s NetProphets Cyberworks Pvt. Ltd., was engaged for development and maintenance of IT applications for a period of three years ending 31.12.2025, followed by an interim extension up to 31.03.2026 to ensure continuity as approved in 56th DPAC Meeting at the financial implication of Rs. 53,95,233/- (inc. of all). The budget for the same was booked under the vertical of Khelo India Centres and Sports Academies – Khelo India Centres (SLKIC) & under the head of Professional Charges.
- ii. Additionally, 15 technical resources were deployed through NICS I empanelled agencies (Tier-III) from 24.11.2025 to 31.03.2026 for development, testing, deployment, and maintenance of Khelo India verticals under Digitalization of all the Verticals and Initiatives under Khelo India as approved in 54th DPAC meeting at the financial implication of Rs. 65,86,776/- (inc. of all). The budget for the same was booked under “Support to Academies – Khelo India Centres & Sports Academies” component of Khelo India.
- iii. 05 Technical manpower was also deployed for design, development, and operational support of Khelo India-Games Management System, including mobile and web-based modules for 06 months i.e. from 01.10.2025 to 31.03.2026 as approved in the 52nd DPAC at the financial implication of Rs. 37,86,826/- (inc. of all). The budget for the same was booked under Khelo India - Sports Competitions and Talent Development vertical (Khelo India Games).
- iv. 06 Technical manpower was also deployed for the development of an inhouse Athlete Management System (AMS) software as per the directions of DG, SAI from NICS I empanelled agency from 01.09.2025 to 31.03.2026 at the financial implication of Rs. 52,20,105/- (inc. of all). The same was approved in the Supplementary Agenda 1 of the 52nd DPAC. The budget for the same was booked under Khelo India - Sports Competitions and Talent Development (KITD) vertical.

3. Further, to streamline and unify digitization across the sports ecosystem, a Unified Sports Digital Ecosystem Portal is being conceptualized, and the National e-Governance Division (NeGD) has been onboarded as the technical partner (approved in the 62nd Governing Body).

However:

- Deployment of NeGD resources is under process.
- Structured transition, knowledge transfer, and system familiarization require additional time.
- Abrupt discontinuation of existing teams may disrupt ongoing services and digital operations.

4. The currently deployed PMU and technical teams are engaged in:

- Integration of Khelo India Games portals with training & competition systems
- NSRS Mobile Application for attendance and monitoring
- Enhancement of Performance Assessment Systems
- Technical configuration for events, stakeholders, and academies
- Continuous bug fixing, optimization, and cybersecurity compliance
- Development, testing, and stabilization across multiple Khelo India verticals
- Deployment support during Khelo India events and competitions
- Maintenance of live digital infrastructure and integrations

These activities are dynamic and essential for uninterrupted delivery of services.

5. The extension of the manpower engaged under Point 2 is necessary to ensure continuity of digital operations and smooth transition to NeGD and in order to ensure:

- Continuity of mission-critical IT services
- Stabilization of developed modules
- Smooth transition to NeGD
- Avoidance of operational disruption during the interim phase
- Sustained support for upcoming Khelo India activities

6. It is proposed to extend the engagement of the existing PMU and technical manpower for a further period of 03 months (01.04.2026 to 30.06.2026) on existing approved rates and terms & conditions as mentioned below:

- i. As per the existing norms and as approved earlier in 56th DPAC, the extension of PMU (M/s NetProphets Cyberworks Pvt. Ltd.) for a period of 03 months will cost 53,95,233/- (Inc. of taxes)
- ii. Extension of 15 Technical Resources under Digitization of Khelo India Verticals (through NICS) for a period of 03 months will cost tentatively ₹51,48,654/-/- (Inc. of taxes) as per NICS approved rates.
- iii. Extension of 05 KI-GMS Technical Manpower (through NICS) for a period of 03 months will cost tentatively ₹19,24,185/- (Inc. of taxes) as per NICS approved rates.
- iv. Extension of 06 technical manpower deployed under AMS (through NICS) for a period of 03 months will cost tentatively ₹18,42,390/- (Inc. of taxes) as per NICS approved rates.

7. The detailed tabular breakup of the total estimated financial implication for the 03-month extension period (01.04.2026 – 30.06.2026) is as follows:

S. No.	Agenda / Component	Scope of Work	Amount for 03 Months	Total (₹)
1	Extension of PMU (M/s NetProphets Cyberworks Pvt. Ltd.)	Project Management, Development, Integration, Maintenance, NSRS App Support, Performance Portal Stabilization, Technical Coordination	Base cost as per last extension for 03 months i.e. from 01.01.2026 to 31.03.2026	53,95,233
2	Extension of 15 Technical Resources under Digitization of Khelo India Verticals (Through NICS)	Developers, UI/UX Designers, Testers for KIC, KIAA, KITD, Fit India, ASC, Dashboards, Integrations, System Stabilization	Base cost as per NICS approved rates (Inclusive of GST & NICS Administrative Charges)	51,48,654
3	Extension of 05 KI-GMS Technical Manpower (Through NICS)	Maintenance, Enhancements, Testing, Deployment Support, Live Event Operations, System Optimization of Games Management System	Base cost as per NICS approved rates (Inclusive of GST, NICS Margin & Operational Charges)	19,24,185
4	Extension of 06 technical manpower under AMS (Through NICS)	Designing, Development, Maintenance, Enhancements, Testing, Deployment Support, Live Event Operations, System Optimization of Athlete Management System	Base cost as per NICS approved rates (Inclusive of GST, NICS Margin & Operational Charges)	18,42,390
	Grand Total for 03-Month Extension (Inclusive of GST and NICS administrative charges, as applicable.)			₹1,43,10,462/-

The expenditure is proposed to be booked under “Support to Academies – Khelo India Centres & Sports Academies” component of Khelo India.

8. The proposed extensions are essential to ensure continuity of critical digital operations under the Khelo India Scheme during the transition phase to the National e-Governance Division (NeGD) as the new technology partner. The existing PMU and deployed technical resources possess in-depth familiarity with the current system architecture, integrations, and operational workflows of modules such as NSRS, KI-GMS, KIC & SA, KITD, Fit India, and associated dashboards. Any discontinuity at this stage may adversely impact ongoing development, system stabilization, athlete data management, and support for upcoming Khelo India events. The short-term extension of three months will enable structured knowledge transfer, avoid disruption of live systems, ensure cybersecurity and operational support, and facilitate a smooth and risk-free transition to the new implementation framework without loss of service delivery or institutional knowledge.

PAC recommended that agenda maybe placed before DPAC for approval.

Approval of the DPAC is solicited for:

- i. *Extension of the existing PMU and deployed technical resources under Digitalization, AMS and GMS projects for a period of 03 months (01.04.2026 to 30.06.2026) on existing approved rates and terms & conditions.*
- ii. *Approval of the total estimated financial implication of ₹1,43,10,462/- (inclusive of taxes and applicable charges) to be met from “Support to Academies – Khelo India Centres & Sports Academies” component of Khelo India.*
- iii. *Authorization to Director General, SAI, to allow expenditure up to 10% beyond the approved amount, if required, to meet any unforeseen exigencies during the extension period.*

Agenda Item No	06
Agenda	Proposal for hosting ASMITA League at the Zonal /National level through National Sports Federations (NSFs) under the Khelo India Scheme
Component	Promotion of Inclusiveness through Sports (Sports for Women)

Detailed Description of Agenda:

Since its inception in F.Y. 2021, ASMITA Leagues has been organised across 34 disciplines with more than 2600 Sports competitions witnessing total participation of over 3 lakh women athletes. The DPAC, in its various meetings, had approved the organisation of leagues in 34 disciplines.

The reasons and objectives of the proposed events are:

- ASMITA League at the Zonal and National level through National sports federations for conducting 4 Zonal and 1 National Leagues in Fencing. The ASMITA League is designed to strengthen grassroots participation, providing a competitive platform for athletes across diverse disciplines. With a focus on inclusivity and structured engagement, these leagues will enhance sporting opportunities at the foundational/ and elite level.
- To utilize the leagues as a platform for the Identification of new talents and the evaluation of existing Khelo India athletes.
- To provide competition exposure to women athletes of different age categories across the Country

2. For the year 2025-26, apart from the already approved ASMITA League (for Zonal, National), New ASMITA leagues for Zonal & National are proposed as follows-

S.no	State/ NSF/ Other Stakeholders	Name of Sport Disciplines	Format	Age Categories	Total Conduct Amount (In Rs.)
1	Fencing Association of India	Fencing	1 National	Senior, Junior & Sub-Junior	30,00,000
			4 Zonals		83,26,000
			Prize Money for top 4		11,34,000
Total					1,24,60,000/-

*Amounts were calculated as per the approved SOP for ASMITA Leagues in the 55th DPAC.

3. It is proposed that the respective organising body be permitted to raise sponsorship towards the available rights, subject to following the guidelines issued by Khelo India for branding/publicity. However, if organising bodies get any title sponsor, the name of the event shall only be “ASMITA League” and the rights may be used as “Sponsored By / Powered By/ Co-Sponsored By/ Co-Powered By” etc.

4. Financial Approval is sought for the release of funds to respective National Sports Federations for the timely organization of the Leagues in their respective States, with a commitment to submit a utilization certificate post-event.

PAC recommended that agenda maybe placed before DPAC for approval and the outcomes may be monitored.

Approval of the DPAC is solicited for:

- i. *Funds for conducting leagues in multiple sports disciplines through National sport federations, with a financial limit of Rs 1,24,60,000/-*
- ii. *Director General, SAI may be authorised to allow expenditure up to 10% beyond the approved amount for the league approved for 2025-26.*

Agenda Item No	07
Agenda	Proposal for conduct of District-level Tournaments in the State of Manipur, Arunachal Pradesh and Nagaland by CRPF under Sports for Peace and Development
Component	Sports for Peace and Development

Detailed Description of Agenda:

1. Central Armed Police Forces (CRPF) proposes to organize District level Marathons and Tournaments across selected priority sports disciplines under the Khelo India scheme's Sports for Peace and Development vertical during FY 2025-26. These events aim to promote fitness, national integration, engage youth in healthy, structured and competitive sporting activities, and identify emerging talent in these states.

2. Marathons and District-level sports tournaments will be organised in various districts and vibrant villages of Manipur, Arunachal Pradesh and Nagaland following a verified sports calendar, ensuring wide participation, proper publicity, medical and logistical support, and complete documentation of events.

3. Financial assistance is requested as per predefined Khelo India norms (as per ASMITA SOP). The table below shows District level- Oriented towards Internally Displaced Persons-

Table

S.No.	Name of the battalion	Name of the Discipline	Type of League/ Marathon	District	Amount
1	48	Marathon	City	Dibong Khunou, Jiribam	Rs. 75,000/-
2	48	Marathon	City	Sonapur, Jiribam	Rs. 75,000/-
3	48	Marathon	City	Harinagar, Jiribam	Rs. 75,000/-
4	48	Marathon	City	Makhabasti, Jiribam	Rs. 75,000/-
5	64	Marathon	City	Aglapur, Jiribam	Rs. 75,000/-
6	48	Badminton	City	Ningshingkhul, Jiribam	Rs. 75,000/-
7	109	Archery Men	City	Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
8	109	Archery Women	City	Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
9	109	Cycling	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
10	109	Cycling	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
11	109	Football	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
12	109	Football	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
13	109	Kabaddi	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
14	109	Kabaddi	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
15	109	Volleyball(M)	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
16	109	Volleyball(W)	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
17	A/109	Marathon	City	Songsong, Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
18	B/109	Marathon	City	Punea, Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-

19	C/109	Marathon	City	Mongsangei, Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
20	D/109	Marathon	City	Thangmaibal, Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
21	E/109	Marathon	City	Langthabal, Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
22	F/109	Marathon	City	Hatta, Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
23	G/109	Marathon	City	Uripok, Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
24	F/36	Marathon	City	Maram Khunou, Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
25	36	Football	City	Tirap	Rs. 75,000/-
26	36	Mini Marathon	City	Longding	Rs. 75,000/-
27	A/173	Marathon	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
28	B/173	Marathon	City	Chumokedima	Rs. 75,000/-
29	C/173	Marathon	City	Chuchuyimpam	Rs. 75,000/-
30	D/173	Marathon	City	Poulea, Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
31	E/173	Marathon	City	Angami Kashiram, Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
32	F/173	Marathon	City	Kuda Village, Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
33	G/173	Marathon	City	Razuphe Industrial Village, Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
34	C/173	Volleyball (M)	City	Mokokchung	Rs. 75,000/-
35	C/173	Volleyball (F)	City	Mokokchung	Rs. 75,000/-
36	C/173	Kabaddi (M)	City	Mokokchung	Rs. 75,000/-
37	C/173	Kabaddi (F)	City	Mokokchung	Rs. 75,000/-
38	C/173	Badminton (M)	City	Mokokchung	Rs. 75,000/-
39	C/173	Badminton (F)	City	Mokokchung	Rs. 75,000/-
40	173	Marathon	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
41	C/173	Marathon	City	Mokokchung	Rs. 75,000/-
42	173	Badminton (M)	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
43	173	Badminton (F)	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
44	173	Cricket (M)	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
45	173	Cricket (F)	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
46	173	Football (M)	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
47	173	Football (F)	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
48	173	Kabaddi (M)	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
49	173	Kabaddi (F)	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
50	173	Volleyball (M)	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-

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52	94	Cricket (M)	City	Kangpokpi	Rs. 75,000/-
53	94	Cricket (F)	City	Kangpokpi	Rs. 75,000/-
54	A94	Marathon	City	Gamnon, Kangpokpi	Rs. 75,000/-
55	B94	Marathon	City	Damdei, Kangpokpi	Rs. 75,000/-
56	C94	Marathon	City	Saparmeina, Kangpokpi	Rs. 75,000/-
57	D94	Marathon	City	Kangpokpi	Rs. 75,000/-
58	E94	Marathon	City	Khengjang, Kangpokpi	Rs. 75,000/-
59	F94	Marathon	City	Gamgiphai IB, Kangpokpi	Rs. 75,000/-
60	G94	Marathon	City	K.Lhangnon, Kangpokpi	Rs. 75,000/-
61	48	Badminton	City	Bidhyanagar, Jiribam	Rs. 75,000/-
62	D94	Marathon	City	Charhajare, Kangpokpi	Rs. 75,000/-
63	A48	Marathon	City	Jairolpokpi, Jiribam	Rs. 75,000/-
64	143	Kabaddi (F)	City	Khongsang, Noney	Rs. 75,000/-
65	143	Kabaddi (M)	City	Khongsang, Noney	Rs. 75,000/-
66	143	Fooball (M)	City	Khongsang, Noney	Rs. 75,000/-
67	143	Fooball (F)	City	Khongsang, Noney	Rs. 75,000/-
68	143	Cricket (F)	City	Farmland, Tamenglong	Rs. 75,000/-
69	143	Cricket (M)	City	Farmland, Tamenglong	Rs. 75,000/-
70	B216	Marathon	City	Awangkhum, Noney	Rs. 75,000/-
71	F184	Marathon	City	Newselam, Tamenglong	Rs. 75,000/-
72	G143	Marathon	City	Irang, Noney	Rs. 75,000/-
73	F143	Marathon	City	Nungba, Noney	Rs. 75,000/-
74	E143	Marathon	City	Farmland, Tamenglong	Rs. 75,000/-
75	D143	Marathon	City	Khongsang, Noney	Rs. 75,000/-
76	C143	Marathon	City	Rengpang, Noney	Rs. 75,000/-
77	B143	Marathon	City	Awangkhum part-1, Noney	Rs. 75,000/-
78	B143	Marathon	City	Tamenglong,	Rs. 75,000/-
79	143	Cycling (f)	City	Imphal west	Rs. 75,000/-
80	143	Cycling (m)	City	Imphal west	Rs. 75,000/-
81	143	badminton (f)	City	Imphal west	Rs. 75,000/-
82	143	badminton (m)	City	Imphal west	Rs. 75,000/-
83	A143	Marathon	City	Sana Keithel, Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
84	143	Marathon	City	Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
85	169	Football(M)	City	Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
86	169	Football(F)	City	Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
87	169	Marathon(M)	City	Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
88	169	Marathon(W)	City	Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
89	109	Marathon	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
90	109	Football(W)	City	Maogate, Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
91	A109	Marathon	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
92	F36	Marathon	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
93	B109	Marathon	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
94	D109	Marathon	City	Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-

95	F156	Marathon	City	Kaimai, Tamenglong	Rs. 75,000/-
96	A156	Marathon	City	Lalpani, Jiribam	Rs. 75,000/-
97	B156	Marathon	City	Lainganpokpi, Tamenglong	Rs. 75,000/-
98	C156	Marathon	City	Babupara, Jiribam	Rs. 75,000/-
99	D156	Marathon	City	Phaitol, Tamenglong	Rs. 75,000/-
100	E156	Marathon	City	Jiribam	Rs. 75,000/-
101	F156	Marathon	City	Kaimai, Tamenglong	Rs. 75,000/-
102	G156	Marathon	City	Old Kaiphundai, Tamenglong	Rs. 75,000/-
103	129	Marathon	City	Churachandpur	Rs. 75,000/-
104	173	Marathon	City	Mokokchung	Rs. 75,000/-
105	E109	Marathon	City	Imphal West	Rs. 75,000/-
106	E109	Volleyball(w)	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
107	E109	Football(M)	City	Maogate, Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
108	E109	Volleyball(M)	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
109	D156	Cricket(M)	City	Jiribam & Tamenglong	Rs. 75,000/-
110	109	Marathon	City	Churachandpur	Rs. 75,000/-
111	173	Marathon	City	Mokokchung	Rs. 75,000/-
112	D156	Football	City	Jiribam & Tamenglong	Rs. 75,000/-
113	F173	Marathon(M)	City	Powergrid, Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
114	F173	Marathon(F)	City	Powergrid, Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
115	E/173	Marathon(M)	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
116	E/173	Marathon(F)	City	Dimapur	Rs. 75,000/-
117	D173	Marathon(M)	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
118	D173	Marathon(F)	City	Senapati	Rs. 75,000/-
119	C173	Marathon(M)	City	Mokokchung	Rs. 75,000/-
120	C173	Marathon(M)	City	Mokokchung	Rs. 75,000/-
Total					Rs.90,00,000/-

1. Approval is sought for sponsorship and sanction of the proposed funds under the Sports for Peace and Development vertical of Khelo India, to be released to the CRPF for the timely organisation of the Tournament, with a commitment to submit a utilisation certificate post-event.

PAC recommended that agenda maybe placed before DPAC for approval and the event coverage may be amplified.

Approval of the DPAC is solicited for:

- i. *Financial Approval is hereby sought for the Sponsorship and Organization of the district-level tournament in Manipur, Arunachal Pradesh and Nagaland under the Sports for Peace and Development in F.Y. 2025-26 for Rs. 90,00,000/-*
- ii. *Director General, SAI may be authorised to allow expenditure up to 10% beyond the approved amount for the event approved for 2025-26, and the nature of expenditure as well.*

Agenda Item No	08
Agenda	Proposal for conduct of National level Tournaments in State of Chhattisgarh by Chhattisgarh State Government under Sports for Peace and Development
Component	Sports for Peace and Development

Detailed Description of Agenda:

1. Chhattisgarh State Government proposes to organize “Bastar Heritage Peace Marathon” a national level sporting event under the Khelo India scheme's Sports for Peace and Development vertical during FY 2025-26. This event aim to promote fitness, national integration, engage youth in healthy, structured and competitive sporting activities, identify emerging talent in these states.

2. Marathon will be organized in Bastar district of Chhattisgarh following a verified sports calendar, ensuring wide participation from states all over the country, proper publicity, medical and logistical support, and complete documentation of events.

3. Financial assistance is requested as per predefined Khelo India norms (as per ASMITA SOP), below Table shows National level event:

S.No.	Sports	Age categories	Amount
1	Marathon	Junior	Rs17,00,000
2	Marathon	Sub-junior	Rs17,00,000
3	Marathon	Senior	Rs17,00,000
Total Amount			Rs17,00,000

4. Approval is sought for sponsorship and sanction of the proposed funds under the Sports for Peace and Development vertical of Khelo India, to be released to Chhattisgarh State Government for the timely organization of the Tournament, with a commitment to submit a utilization certificate post-event.

PAC recommended that the Marathon may only be conducted for the senior category and agenda maybe placed before DPAC for approval.

Approval of the DPAC is solicited for:

- iii. *Financial Approval is hereby sought for the Sponsorship and Organization of the National level senior's tournament in Bastar, Chhattisgarh under the Sports for Peace and Development in F.Y. 2025-26 for Rs. 17,00,000/-*
- iv. *Director General, SAI may be authorized to allow expenditure up to 10% beyond the approved amount for the event approved for 2025-26, and the nature of expenditure as well.*

Supplementary Agenda Item No	09
Agenda	Proposal for conduct of District-level Football Tournament in the State of Manipur by Government of Manipur under Sports for Peace and Development vertical
Component	Sports for Peace and Development

Detailed Description of Agenda:

A proposal has been received from the Deputy Commissioner of Tamenglong District, Manipur, requesting financial assistance to organize the District Level Women's Football Tournament. under the Khelo India scheme's Sports for Peace and Development vertical during FY 2025-26. These events aim to promote fitness, national integration, engage youth in healthy, structured and competitive sporting activities, and identify emerging talent in Manipur.

2. The Tournament is scheduled in April 2026, just before the monsoon season begins. Featuring participation from 16 women's teams across various blocks of the district, the event aims to promote women's participation in sports, encourage healthy lifestyles, and provide a constructive platform for youth engagement. Additionally, the tournament aligns with the "Sports for Peace and Development" vertical by seeking to foster peace and unity among communities, combat the growing menace of drug abuse, strengthen grassroots sports development, and identify emerging sporting talent among young women in the region.

3. The total **financial assistance sought for organizing the event is ₹5,00,000/-** (Rupees Five Lakhs). This budget is allocated across various essential organizational expenses, trophies, medals, certificates, and prizes. Other significant expenditures include food and refreshments for players and officials, honorariums for referees and technical officials, accommodations, local transportation. and miscellaneous.

4. Further, the **financial assistance is calculated as per the proposal received under the pre-approved norms of ASMITA SOP (Approved in 55th DPAC)** for conduct of the League.

5. It is proposed that the respective organising body be permitted to raise sponsorship towards the available rights, subject to following the guidelines issued by Khelo India for branding/publicity. However, if organising bodies get any title sponsor, the rights may be used as "Sponsored By / Powered By/ Co-Sponsored By/ Co-Powered By" etc.

6. Approval is sought for sanction of the proposed funds under the Sports for Peace and Development vertical of Khelo India, to be released to Manipur State government for the timely organisation of the Tournament, with a commitment to submit a utilisation certificate post-event.

Committee recommended that agenda maybe placed before DPAC for approval.

Approval of the DPAC is solicited for:

- i. *Financial Approval is hereby sought for the Sponsorship and Organization of the district-level tournament in Manipur under the Sports for Peace and Development in F.Y. 2025-26 for Rs. 5,00,000/-*
- ii. *Director General, SAI may be authorised to allow expenditure up to 10% beyond the approved amount for the event approved for 2025-26, and the nature of expenditure as well.*

Agenda Item No	10
Agenda	Proposal for Organizing Sports Tournaments in Vibrant Villages by ITBP under Khelo India
Component	Sports for Peace and Development

Detailed Description of Agenda:

Proposals have been received from the Directorate General, Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITBP) Force, specifically from the Northern Frontier Headquarters and the Central Frontier Headquarters, Bhopal.

2. The ITBP proposes to organize a series of village and district-level sports competitions in the "Vibrant Villages" situated within their respective Areas of Responsibility (AOR). The proposed events include Volleyball, Table Tennis, Badminton, Basketball, Cricket, Kabaddi etc. These tournaments will be executed by the subordinate units of the Northern and Central Frontier Headquarters.

3. The ITBP has a standing commitment to bringing awareness to talented youth regarding sports. As part of this commitment, and to establish coordination with citizens residing in the "Vibrant Villages," these tournaments are being planned. This initiative aligns with the broader organizational objectives of the ITBP and the Government of India.

4. The primary objectives for organizing these events are:

- To promote peace and development in border areas and regions along the international land border.
- To build confidence among the local populace and engage youth in healthy, constructive activities, bringing them into the mainstream.
- To identify and nurture sporting talent from the Frontier AOR and operational areas.
- To foster goodwill, mutual trust, and cooperation between ITBP personnel and local communities.
- To support the national vision of expanding sports participation under the Khelo India initiative.

5. The tournaments hold significant potential to positively impact the lives of the border population by fostering community engagement. They will motivate youth to actively participate in sports while reinforcing the visibility and role of the ITBP as a committed border-guarding force. Furthermore, these events will provide an unprecedented platform for sports teams from remote tribal villages to participate in organized events in their own localities.

The total estimated budget required for the conduct of these sports events is **Rs. 30,50,000/-**. The breakdown in Table-1

Table-1

S.no	Organising Body	Sport	No of Tournament	Total Amount
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1	ITBP, Northern Frontier HQ	Cricket, Volleyball, Basketball and Badminton	35	Rs 20,75,000/-
2	ITBP, Central Frontier HQ, Bhopal	Volleyball, Kabaddi, and Tennis Ball Cricket	13	Rs 9,75,000/-
Total Budget Required				Rs 30.50,000/-

6. Further, the **financial assistance is calculated as per the proposal received under the pre-approved norms of ASMITA SOP (Approved in 55th DPAC)** for conduct of the League.

7. It is proposed that the respective organising body be permitted to raise sponsorship towards the available rights, subject to following the guidelines issued by Khelo India for branding/publicity. However, if organising bodies get any title sponsor, the rights may be used as “Sponsored By / Powered By/ Co-Sponsored By/ Co-Powered By” etc.

8. Approval is sought for sanction of the proposed funds under the Sports for Peace and Development vertical of Khelo India, to be released to Manipur State government for the timely organisation of the Tournament, with a commitment to submit a utilisation certificate post-event.

Approval of DPAC is solicited for:

- *Financial Approval is hereby sought for the Sponsorship and Organizing Sports Tournaments in Vibrant Villages by ITBP under the Sports for Peace and Development in F.Y. 2025-26 for Rs. 30,50,000/-*
- *Director General, SAI may be authorised to allow expenditure up to 10% beyond the approved amount for the event approved for 2025-26, and the nature of expenditure as well.*

AgendaItemNo	11
Agenda	Hiring of the existing PMU for Fit India on nomination basis
Vertical	Fit India Movement

Detailed description of Agenda

The Fit India Movement was launched on 29th August 2019 with the objective of promoting health and fitness among the citizens of the country. In order to strengthen the movement, ongoing initiatives such as Sundays on Cycle, cycling drives with social causes at SAI Regional Centres (RCs), NCOEs, KICs, etc., are being conducted in collaboration with stakeholders like CFI, cycling groups and other partners. These initiatives require continuous coordination with States, RCs and various stakeholders.

2. Further, several upcoming and ongoing campaigns such as formation of Namo Fit India Clubs, Ideas on My Bharat Initiatives, increasing Fit India outreach, Fit India events and campaigns, 7 Days 7 Resolutions, etc., necessitate additional professional manpower for effective execution under the Fit India Mission.

3. Accordingly, an RFP was issued inviting online bids from qualified firms to associate with SAI as an agency to provide professionals for Fit India. The Project Management Unit (PMU) for Fit India was envisaged as a multidisciplinary body responsible for ideation, strategy, marketing, partnerships, on-ground operations, technological innovations, and other incidental activities to achieve the objectives of the movement.

4. The project required a definitive team deployed for full-time onsite support. Accordingly, 10 resources including Project Manager, Senior Consultants, Consultants, Managers, etc., were approved for engagement.

5. Subsequently, in view of enhanced functional requirements and expansion of activities, approval was accorded for deployment of four (4) additional manpower over and above the initially sanctioned 10 resources, thereby increasing the total approved strength to 14 personnel.

6. At present, 14 personnel are deployed through GT for supporting activities under the Fit India Mission. As per the Notification of Award (NoA), the existing contract is valid up to 24.03.2026 and is scheduled to expire on the said date. It is further submitted that the process for issuance of a fresh RFP for engagement of a new PMU is yet to be completed. The current monthly financial implication for deployment of 14 personnel is ₹23,18,700/- per month.

7. The requirement for continuation of the existing PMU has become critical in view of the significant expansion of the “Sundays on Cycle” campaign at the pan-India level, which involves coordinated participation from multiple States, SAI Regional Centres, NCOEs, Khelo India Centres and other partner organizations. The campaign requires structured planning, stakeholder engagement, monitoring, reporting, and communication support across the country.

8. Further, the Fit India Movement is being expanded under the Khelo India 3.0 framework, which envisages broader outreach, new initiatives, increased public participation and stronger integration with national programmes and institutional networks. Implementation of these initiatives requires continuous professional support in areas such as campaign strategy, coordination with stakeholders, digital outreach, partnerships and on-ground execution.

9. In the absence of PMU support during this transition period, ongoing national campaigns and upcoming initiatives may face operational disruption, which may adversely impact the momentum of the Fit India Movement.

10. Therefore, in order to ensure continuity of operations, effective coordination and seamless execution of campaigns at the national level, it is proposed to hire the existing PMU deployed through GT on nomination basis for a further period of three (3) months or till finalization of the new RFP and engagement of the next PMU, whichever is earlier.

11. Financial Implications: The financial implication for the proposed extension for three months is calculated as under:

S.No.	Amount (per month) (Incl. GST)	Duration	Total Amount (Incl. GST)
1.	₹ 23,18,700/-	3 months	₹ 69,56,100/-

Accordingly, an amount of ₹69,56,100/- (Rupees Sixty-Nine Lakh Fifty-Six Thousand One Hundred only) is proposed for approval towards the said period.

PAC recommended that agenda maybe placed before DPAC for approval.

Approval of DPAC is solicited for:

- i. *Hiring of the existing PMU deployed through GT on nomination basis for a period of three (3) months or till finalization of the new RFP and engagement of the next PMU, whichever is earlier.*
- ii. *Sanction of ₹69,56,100/- towards the financial implication for the said extension period.*
