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The BCCI has been functioning under the supervision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court appointed Committee of Administrators since 30 January 2017. Below is a brief background on the Hon'ble Supreme Court's orders, the Committee of Administrators and BCCI during 2016-17.

Vide order dated 18th July 2016, the Hon'ble Supreme Court accepted the report submitted by Justice Lodha Committee and recommendations made therein.

The Hon'ble Supreme Court had also directed the Justice Lodha Committee to supervise the implementation of reforms within a period of 4-6 months.

Vide order dated 2nd January 2017 the Hon'ble Supreme Court had removed Mr Anurag Thakur as BCCI President & Mr Ajay Shirke as BCCI Secretary after they had failed to implement new reforms set by Justice Lodha Committee.

The Hon'ble Supreme Court further directed that the senior-most Vice President of BCCI, Mr C K Khanna, shall perform the duties of the President, as "Acting President" and Mr Amitabh Choudhary (Jt. Secretary) shall perform the duties of the Secretary as "Acting Secretary".

In its order the Hon'ble Supreme Court had also indicated that it would soon appoint a committee of administrators (COA) to carry out reforms in the BCCI through its CEO to make its affairs transparent.

On 30th January 2017, the Hon'ble Supreme Court had appointed four eminent personalities from varying backgrounds to a committee of administrators to supervise management of the BCCI.

The Committee of Administrators consisted of **Mr Vinod Rai**, the former Comptroller & Auditor General of India, as the Chairman of the Committee, **Mr Ramchandra Guha**, eminent writer, thinker and cricket historian, **Ms Diana Edulji**, former eminent cricketer and Captain of India Women's Cricket Team and **Mr Vikram Limaye**, Managing Director & CEO of IDFC.

Mr Ramchandra Guha and Mr Vikram Limaye have since resigned from the COA. The COA now comprises of Mr Vinod Rai, Chairman and Ms Diana Edulji, Member.



UNITED BY CRICKET

BCCI HAS BEEN COMMITTED TO BRINGING TOP-CLASS CRICKET WITHIN THE REACH OF PEOPLE THROUGHOUT THE NATION. THIS YEAR, SEVERAL CITIES SAW THEIR FIRST TEST MATCHES BEING PLAYED THERE. THE MISSION TO IMPROVE INFRASTRUCTURE FOR BOTH PLAYERS AND FANS REMAINED UNABATED. SOCIAL MEDIA WAS USED AGGRESSIVELY TO STAY IN CLOSE TOUCH REAL-TIME WITH MILLIONS OF FANS. BCCI REMAINS DEDICATED TO THE LARGEST AND MOST PASSIONATE SPORTS COMMUNITY IN THE COUNTRY.



NEW TEST VENUES

MAHARASHTRA

Maharashtra Cricket Association staged a Test Match for the first time in 2016-17 between India and Australia from 23 February, 2017. Several initiatives were taken by the Association for the successful conduct of the Test Match and a Press conference was held to highlight the following:

- a) First ticket of the Test Match was given to Kedar Jadhav
- b) Free tickets were given to local Schools Students every day
- c) A day before the Test Match all the players from Maharashtra who represented India in Test Cricket were felicitated

SAURASHTRA

The first-ever Test Match in Rajkot played between India and England at Saurashtra Cricket Association Stadium from 9-13 November, 2016 marked a historic occasion! It was not only a matter of pride and privilege to have a Test Match staged at the SCA Stadium in Rajkot; it was also a dream come true, as being a Test centre is indeed the ultimate prestige for any cricket association.

The Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat, Shri Vijaybhai Rupani, accepted the invitation of Saurashtra Cricket Association, and was present on the first day of the match, i.e. 9th November 2016. Saurashtra Cricket Association provided complimentary tickets to hundreds of young school and college students, including under-privileged students (who were also provided with lunch), as well as students from Sainik School, Balachhadi – thereby extending the benefit of witnessing the Test Match to our youth.

Also, under the aegis of Suraksha Setu Society – a Bond of Trust between Police and Public – T-shirts were distributed by the Police to divyang (disabled) students who had come to watch the first-ever Test Match in Rajkot.

Along with Hon'ble Chief Minister, Shri Bhupendrasinh Chudasama, Hon'ble Minister of Revenue and Education - Government of Gujarat, Shri Anurag Singh Thakur, the then President - BCCI, Shri Ajay Shirke, the then Hon. Secretary - BCCI, Shri Rahul Johri, CEO - BCCI, other dignitaries of BCCI and VIP guests graced the occasion with their august presence.

On this historic occasion of the first-ever Test Match played in the region of Saurashtra / Kutch, Saurashtra Cricket Association held a felicitation ceremony on 9th November, 2016,

PUT TO TEST

the first day of the match. Shri Vijaybhai Rupani, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat felicitated the star cricketers from the region for their valued contribution to the world of cricket.

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Mr. Salim Durani, Mr. Dilip Doshi, Mr. Karsan Ghavri, Mr. Yajurvindra Singh, Mr. Dhiraj Parsana, Mr. Cheteshwar Pujara, Mr. Ravindra Jadeja and Mr. Jaydev Unadkat were felicitated for their valued contribution for representing Team India in Test matches and also the Saurashtra Team in Ranji Trophy.

The Board of Control for Cricket in India and the England & Wales Cricket Board were also felicitated. Mr. Anil Kumble received the memento on behalf of BCCI. Both Captains, Mr. Virat Kohli of India and Mr. Alastair Cook were felicitated. Mr. Stuart Broad of England was felicitated on Rajkot Test being his 100th Test Match. Mr. Sitanshu Kotak was felicitated for his valued contribution representing Saurashtra Team in 121 Ranji Trophy matches. Mr. Jaydev Shah was felicitated for his valued contribution as captain of the Saurashtra team for a record 96 times – a domestic Ranji Trophy record – and for completing 100 matches of Ranji Trophy.

INFRA BOOST IN STATES

KARNATAKA

M. Chinnaswamy Stadium, Bengaluru

The Karnataka State Cricket Association (KSCA) has rightfully earned the bragging rights for this iconic, state-of-the-art, stadium in Bengaluru which has a Solar System, a Sub Air System, an STP plant, a Bio Gas Plant, Rain Water Harvesting facility, etc. In fact even if there are heavy rains for a couple of hours before the start of a match, the pitch and the grounds can be made ready well in time for the match.

What also makes the M.Chinnaswamy Stadium unique is its Stair-lift and Gallery for senior citizens & differently-abled spectators. In order to provide comfort and to facilitate easy approach to differently-abled spectators, a separate gallery of about 50 seats with ramp facility has been created for physically challenged spectators at B Lower Stand on the Northern side.

Similarly for senior citizens and differently-abled spectators, a mechanized Stair-lift has been installed at the main entry to the stadium to facilitate approach to stands, in addition to lifts and elevators.



Stair-lift for senior citizens and differently-abled persons

Alur Stadium, Bengaluru North

KSCA has developed 3 side-by-side international level grounds at Alur Stadium – replete with Pavilions and other facilities – on 27 acres of land in the outskirts of Bengaluru. KSCA also understood and appreciated the importance of practice before important matches, and created an Indoor Facility which stays unaffected by weather conditions. This facility is now being successfully used by players of national and international levels.

KSCA Hubli Stadium

KSCA has also developed a Stadium along with a Sports Centre in Hubli where the BCCI domestic matches and a few international level matches are regularly organised, apart from the State's own Karnataka Premier League (KPL) matches. This ground has flood light facilities and day and night matches are held.



KSCA Hubli Stadium

KSCA Belgaum Stadium

The BCCI domestic matches and a few international level matches have been played at this Stadium which has a ground stretching across an area of 15 acres. The Sports Centre facilities are being created and these are in final stages.



KSCA Belgaum Stadium

KSCA Shivamogga Stadium

Two international level grounds with a huge common Pavilion have been completed by KSCA in Shivamogga. These grounds stretching across an area of 30 acres are ideal for the BCCI age group matches as well as Ranji Trophy matches.



KSCA Shivamogga Stadium

Srikantadatta Narasimha Raja Wadeyar Ground (SDNRW) KSCA Mysuru Stadium

KSCA has entered into a 23-years lease to use the grounds at Manasagangothri, Mysuru and it has developed the Stadium and the Pavilion.

Mysuru now boasts of facilities to play international level matches, BCCI domestic matches and KPL fixtures. In fact such matches have already been successfully organised. This ground also has flood light facilities and day and night matches are held.



SDNRW KSCA Mysuru Stadium

Hoddur Village, Madikeri Taluk, Kodagu District

Kodagu is known for sports activities where a 12.7 acres pristine land has been taken on lease for 30 years from the Government of Karnataka in June 2016. Developmental work is in progress.



PUNJAB

Punjab Cricket Association (PCA) is presently having its International Cricket Stadium at Mohali since 1993. Over the years the requirements of the game have changed tremendously and the additional requirements are not being met ideally in the current stadium. Initially the present stadium had open spaces all around but over a period, residential complexes and markets and a hockey sports complex have come up, leaving hardly any open space for the movement of public and for parking facilities. Moreover, people in the surrounding areas feel disturbed due to noise pollution during International / IPL matches.

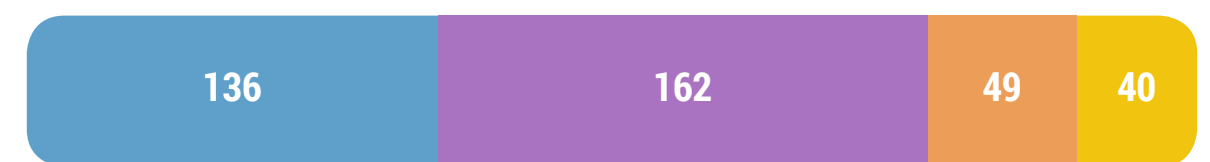
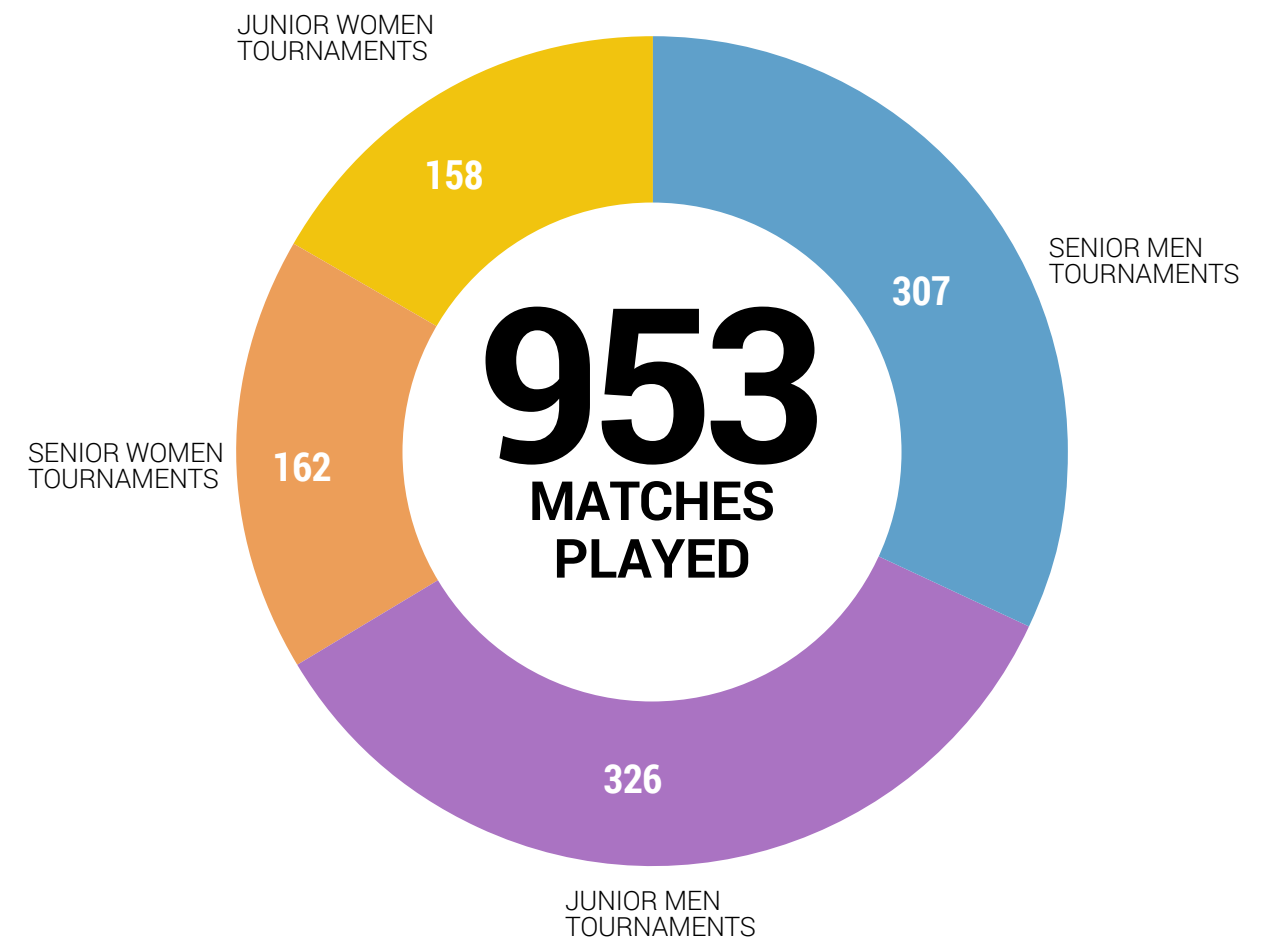
The new stadium which is being constructed on 42 acres of land is approximately three times the area of the present stadium with enhanced facilities such as players' dressing room with an attached fully-equipped gym, catering facilities, and above all, parking facilities for 1600 cars to cater to media, match officials, VVIPs and the spectators buying high-end tickets. To cater to spectators' comfort in different blocks there will be improved eating areas, more washrooms / public conveniences and more circulation area. The foundation work for South Pavilion, Players' Pavilion, Corporate Pavilion, North Pavilion and General Stands (East and West) has been completed. The boundary wall of the stadium has also been constructed, while ninety percent of the outfield of the main cricket ground has been laid with sub-surface drainage system along with grass and construction of the moat. The new stadium site in Mullanpur – also known as New Chandigarh – is centrally located and is just 12 kilometres from the airport / railway station.

VIDARBHA

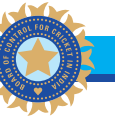
As a major stadium infrastructure initiative, the Vidarbha Cricket Association (VCA) has installed a state-of-the-art fire safety system costing Rs. 3.06 Crores at Jamtha Stadium. The fire system covers the entire VCA Jamtha Stadium and is the only one of its kind in the whole region.

VCA also has installed a Turnstile System covering all the entry points to the base costing Rs. 5.73 Crores at Jamtha Stadium. The indoor net arena of VCA Cricket Academy has been fully air-conditioned with a hi-tech Carrier AC System at a cost of Rs.15 Lakhs.

DOMESTIC SEASON 2016-17

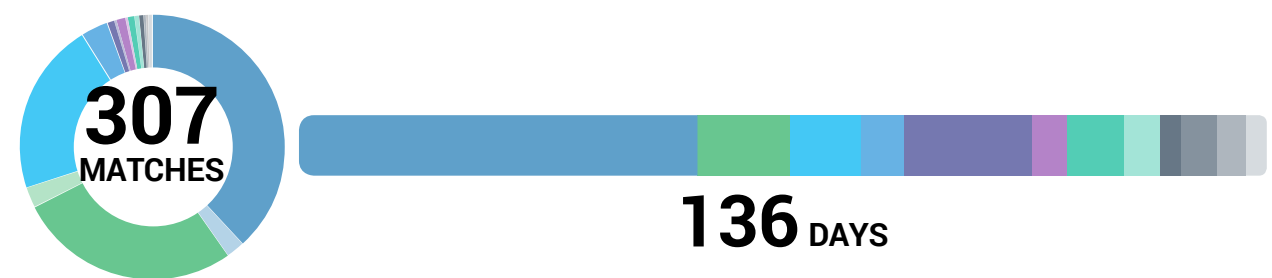


387 PLAYING DAYS



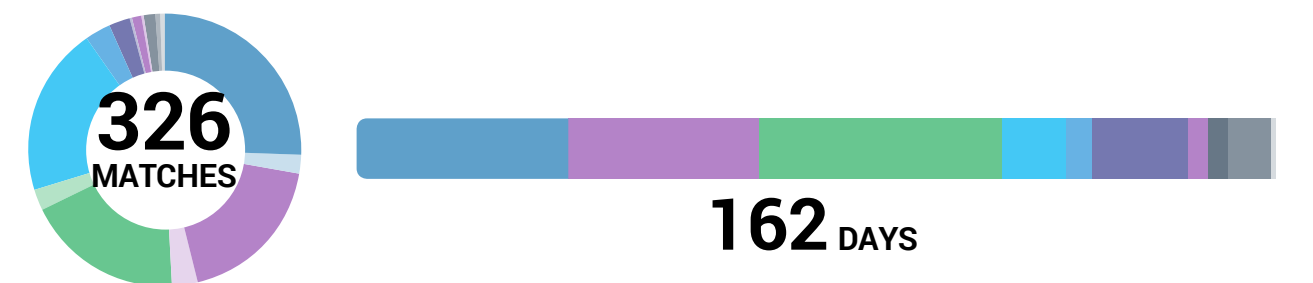
SENIOR MEN TOURNAMENTS

NO. OF MATCHES	NO. OF PLAYING DAYS	Tournament Name
117 LEAGUE GAMES 7 KNOCK OUT	56 DAYS	RANJI TROPHY
84 LEAGUE GAMES 7 KNOCK OUT	13 DAYS	VIJAY HAZARE ONE DAY
65 GAMES	10 DAYS	T20 ZONAL LEAGUE
10 GAMES	6 DAYS	SYED MUSHTAQ ALI INTER ZONAL
3 GAMES 1 KNOCK OUT	18 DAYS	DULEEP TROPHY
3 GAMES 1 KNOCK OUT	5 DAYS	PROF D B DEODHAR TROPHY
3 KNOCK OUTS	8 DAYS	VIZZY TROPHY
1 GAME	5 DAYS	Z R IRANI CUP
2 GAME	3 DAYS	ENGLAND TOUR OF INDIA WARM UP GAME
1 GAME	5 DAYS	AUSTRALIA TOUR OF INDIA WARM UP GAME
1 GAME	4 DAYS	NEW ZEALAND TOUR OF INDIA WARM UP GAME
1 GAME	3 DAYS	BANGLADESH TOUR OF INDIA WARM UP GAME



JUNIOR MEN TOURNAMENTS

NO. OF MATCHES	NO. OF PLAYING DAYS	Tournament Name
84 LEAGUE GAMES 7 KNOCK OUTS	40 DAYS	COOCH BEHAR TROPHY UNDER 19
60 LEAGUE GAMES 10 KNOCK OUTS	36 DAYS	COL C K NAYUDU TROPHY
60 LEAGUE GAMES 9 KNOCK OUTS	46 DAYS	VIJAY MERCHANT TROPHY UNDER 16
65 GAMES	12 DAYS	VINOO MANKAD TROPHY UNDER 19 ONE DAY LIMITED OVERS ZONAL LEAGUE
10 GAMES	5 DAYS	VINOO MANKAD TROPHY UNDER 19 INTER ZONAL ONE DAY
8 GAMES 1 KNOCK OUT	18 DAYS	ASSOCIATES AND AFFILIATES U19 TOURNAMENT
3 GAMES 1 KNOCK OUT	4 DAYS	CHALLENGER TROPHY MEN'S UNDER 19 ONE DAY LIMITED OVERS
5 GAMES	5 DAYS	ENGLAND UNDER 19 TOUR OF INDIA ONE DAY SERIES
2 GAMES	8 DAYS	ENGLAND UNDER 19 TOUR OF INDIA MULTI DAY
1 GAME	1 DAY	ENGLAND UNDER 19 TOUR OF INDIA ONE DAY WARM UP GAME

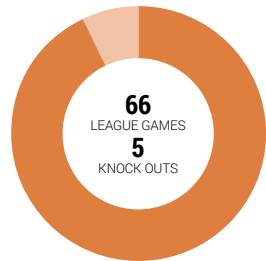




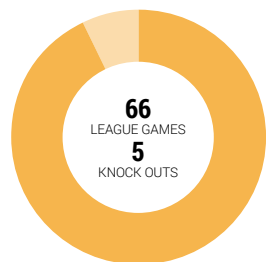
SENIOR WOMEN TOURNAMENTS

NO. OF MATCHES

NO. OF PLAYING DAYS



SENIOR WOMEN'S
ONE DAY LEAGUE



SENIOR WOMEN'S
T20 LEAGUE



SENIOR WOMEN'S INTER ZONAL
THREE DAY GAME



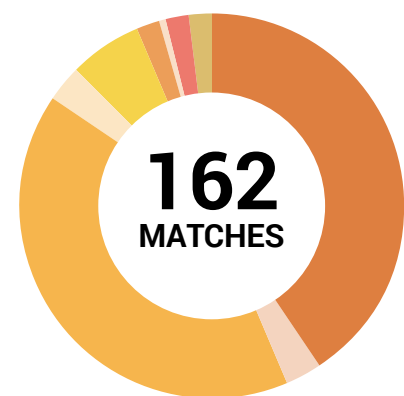
SENIOR WOMEN'S CHALLENGER TROPHY ONE DAY MATCH



INDIAN WOMEN VS WEST INDIES WOMEN ODI SERIES



INDIAN WOMEN VS WEST INDIES WOMEN T20 SERIES



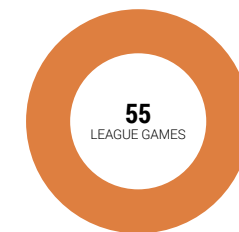
JUNIOR WOMEN TOURNAMENTS

NO. OF MATCHES

NO. OF PLAYING DAYS



WOMEN'S UNDER 23
ZONAL LEAGUE



WOMEN'S UNDER 19
ZONAL LEAGUE



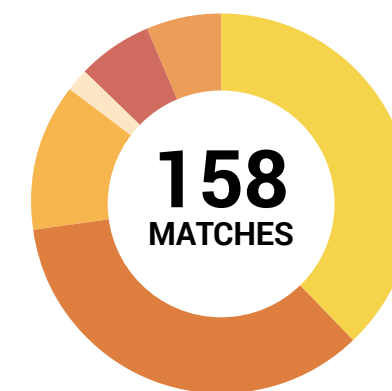
WOMEN'S UNDER 19 SUPER LEAGUE

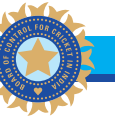


WOMEN'S UNDER 19 INTER ZONAL TWO DAY

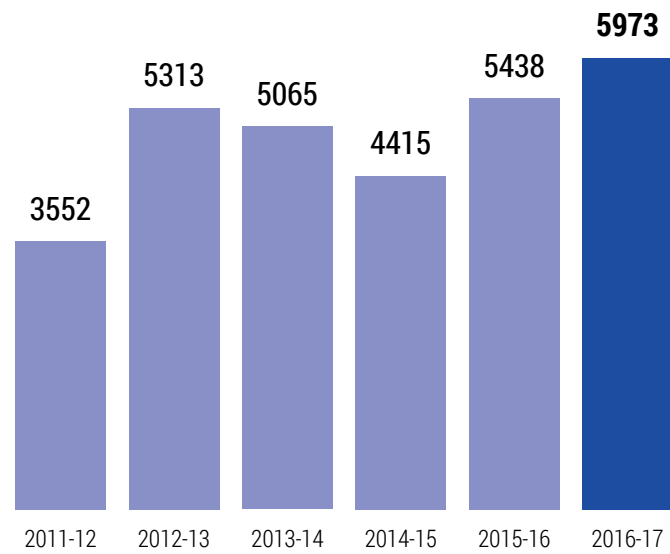


WOMEN'S UNDER 23 INTERZONAL ONE DAY LIMITED OVERS

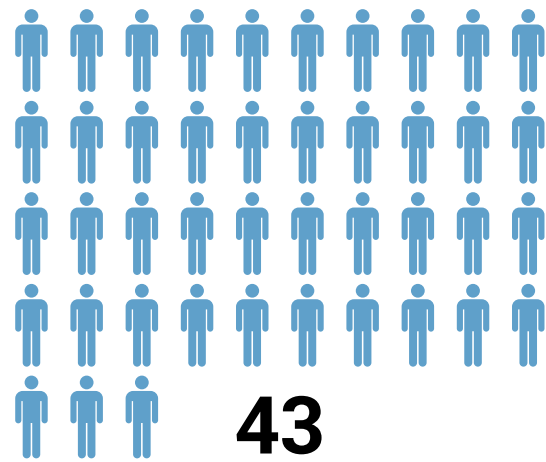
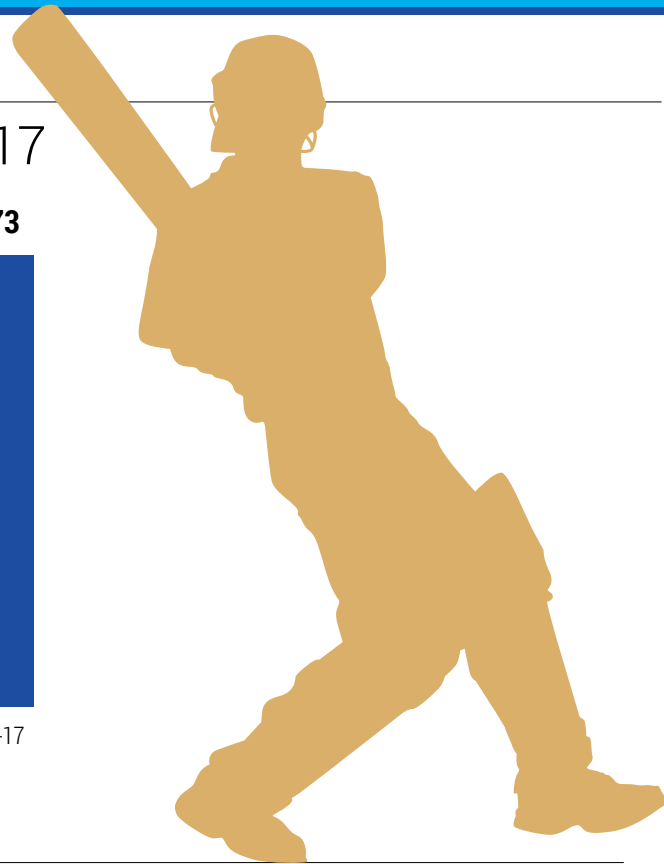




DOMESTIC SEASON 2016-17



5973 REGISTERED PLAYERS

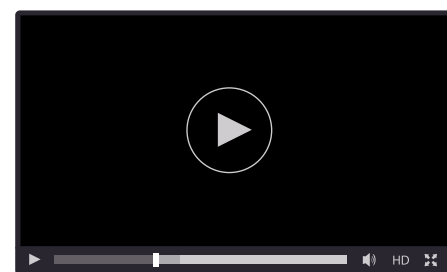


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BCCI PANEL MATCH REFEREES



157 GROUNDS USED



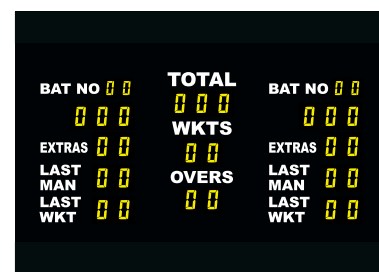
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BCCI ACCREDITED VIDEO ANALYST



107

BCCI PANEL UMPIRES



152

BCCI ACCREDITED SCORERS

PRIZE MONEY

DOMESTIC TOURNAMENTS 2016-17

TOURNAMENTS	WINNER	RUNNER-UP
Senior Men		
Irani Cup	25 Lakhs	Nil
Duleep Trophy	40 Lakhs	20 Lakhs
Ranji Trophy	2 Crores	1 Crore
Losing Semi Finalists	50 Lakhs each	
Vijay Hazare Trophy	30 Lakhs	15 Lakhs
Group Winners	10 Lakhs each	
Prof D B Deodhar Trophy	25 Lakhs	15 Lakhs
Mushtaq Ali Trophy - Twenty20	25 Lakhs	10 Lakhs
Junior Men		
Col C K Nayudu Trophy	20 Lakhs	10 Lakhs
Losing Semi Finalists	2.5 Lakhs each	
Cooch Behar Trophy	15 Lakhs	7.5 Lakhs
Losing Semi Finalists	2.5 Lakhs each	
Vinoo Mankad Trophy - Zonal Winner	2 Lakhs each	
Under-19 Inter Zonal after Vinoo Mankad Trophy	10 Lakhs	5 Lakhs
Vijay Merchant Trophy	8 Lakhs	4 Lakhs
Losing Semi Finalists	1.5 Lakhs each	
Senior & Junior Women		
Senior Women's One Day Elite Group	6 Lakhs	Nil
Senior Women's One Day Plate Group	3 Lakhs	1.5 Lakhs
Senior Women's (Inter Zonal) One Day	4 Lakhs	2 Lakhs
Women's Challenger Trophy	10 Lakhs	4 Lakhs
Senior Women's T20 Elite Group	5 Lakhs	Nil
Senior Women's T20 Plate Group	3 Lakhs	1.5 Lakhs
Senior Women's 3 Day Inter Zonal	4 Lakhs	2 Lakhs
Women Under-23 Inter State - Group Winner	2 Lakhs each	Nil
Women Under-23 Inter Zonal	4 Lakhs	2 Lakhs
Women Under-19 Inter State One Day	4 Lakhs	2 Lakhs
Losing Semi Finalists	1 Lakh each	
Women Under-19 Inter Zonal	3 Lakhs	1.5 Lakhs

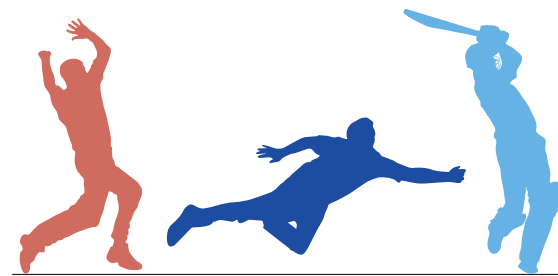
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MAN OF THE MATCH AWARDS SENIOR MEN DOMESTIC TOURNAMENTS



137 PLAYERS AWARDED



₹ 25,000 EACH



₹ 34.25 LAKHS TOTAL PRIZE MONEY

BCCI ON SOCIAL MEDIA

NUMBERS THAT MATTER

TWITTER

13.9 MN video views
548 MN impressions

FACEBOOK

380 MN video views
4600 MN reach of posts

INSTAGRAM

57.2 MN engagements
2.9 MN followers



	FB AND TWITTER VIDEO VIEWS, INSTAGRAM ENGAGEMENT	INCREASE IN FANS	REACH/IMPRESSION
	Video Views: 380 MN	Increase in Fans: 3.8 MN	Post Reach: 4600 MN
	Video Views: 13.9 MN	Increase in followers: 3.1 MN	Tweet Impression: 548 MN
	Engagement: 57.2 MN	Increase in followers: 2.9 MN	

DURATION: SEPTEMBER 1, 2015 TO JULY 26, 2016



Summary of suggestions received at the Captains and Coaches Cricket Conclave held on 23rd May, 2017 at Mumbai

The suggestions and comments made by the Coaches and Captains with regards to scheduling of matches are summarized as under:

- a) Majority of the members were of the opinion that the Ranji Trophy League matches should be played on Home and Away basis with constant monitoring of the pitch and outfield by the members of the BCCI Ground and Pitch Committee.
- b) The Ranji Trophy Knockout matches could be played at neutral venues.
- c) Toss to be awarded to the visiting side.
- d) Ranji Trophy Matches to be divided in 4 groups so that the number of games is spread over.
- e) Graded Balls to be used.
- f) Rest and gaps between Vijay Hazare Trophy and Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy to be increased so that the workload of players is balanced.
- g) Syed Mushtaq Ali All-India Tournament to be played as Inter-State Super League as against the Zonal system which was played this year.
- h) Syed Mushtaq Ali Tournament – timing to be better – go towards Day and Night.
- i) Match Fees to Players in Domestic tournament to be hiked.
- j) Standard diet plan to be introduced at all venues.
- k) Medical facilities in the Domestic matches – some neutral grounds are very poor.
- l) Umpiring standard to be reviewed.
- m) BCCI Curators to oversee preparations in Home and Away.
- n) Captain's report on umpires to be re-introduced.

IN REMEMBRANCE

NAME	ASSOCIATION	DEATH DATE	PARTICULARS
Sunil Gudge	Maharashtra Cricket Association	05/03/16	Former First Class Cricketer
Kommireddy Gopala Krishna	Andhra Cricket Association	12/10/16	Former Ranji Trophy Player
Ramesh Bhatia	Madhya Pradesh Cricket Association		Former First Class Cricketer
Ranjan Baidoor	Mumbai Cricket Association	04/04/16	Former Ranji Trophy Player
M.Y. Gupte	Mumbai Cricket Association	05/07/17	Former Test Umpire
Pravin Trikamji Shah	Saurashtra Cricket Association	03/02/17	Former First Class Cricketer
A.C. Rajamanickam	Tamil Nadu Cricket Association		Former Ranji Trophy Player
Bharat Thakre	Vidarbha Cricket Association		Former Ranji Trophy Player
Bhaskar Y. Joshi	Vidarbha Cricket Association		Former Ranji Trophy Player
Punya Brata Dutta	The Cricket Association of Bengal	11/12/16	Former Ranji Trophy Player
Subrata Banerjee	The Cricket Association of Bengal	19/08/16	Former ODI Umpire
Amit Kr.Hore	The Cricket Association of Bengal	14/11/16	Former Ranji Trophy Player
Aloke Bhattacharjee	The Cricket Association of Bengal	24/12/16	Former Ranji Trophy Player
Tapan Jyoti Banerjee	The Cricket Association of Bengal	29/05/17	Former Ranji Trophy Player
Gour Ghosh	The Cricket Association of Bengal	07/08/17	Former Ranji Trophy Player
K. Purshotham	The Karnataka State Cricket Association	17/10/16	Former Ranji Trophy Player
M.S. Hanumesh	The Karnataka State Cricket Association	27/09/17	Former Ranji Trophy Player



BCCI PLAYER'S CONTRACTS 2016- 17

MEN

GRADE-A (Rs. 2 CRORES)

- 1 M S DHONI
- 2 VIRAT KOHLI
- 3 R ASHWIN
- 4 AJINKYA RAHANE
- 5 CHETESHWAR PUJARA
- 6 RAVINDRA JADEJA
- 7 MURALI VIJAY

GRADE-A (Rs. 1 CRORES)

- 1 K L RAHUL
- 2 YUVRAJ SINGH
- 3 ROHIT SHARMA
- 4 WRIDHHIMAN SAHA
- 5 BHUVNESHWAR KUMAR
- 6 UMESH YADAV
- 7 ISHANT SHARMA
- 8 MOHAMMAD SHAMI
- 9 JASPRIT BUMRAH

GRADE-A (Rs. 50 LAKHS)

- 1 AMIT MISHRA
- 2 AXAR PATEL
- 3 SHIKHAR DHAWAN
- 4 AMBATI RAYUDU
- 5 MANISH PANDEY
- 6 KARUN NAIR
- 7 HARDIK PANDYA
- 8 AASHISH NEHRA
- 9 KEDAR JADHAV
- 10 YUZVENDRA CHAHAL
- 11 PARTHIV PATEL
- 12 JAYANT YADAV
- 13 MANDEEP SINGH
- 14 DHAWAL KULKARNI
- 15 SHARDUL THAKUR
- 16 RISHABH PANT
- 17 KULDEEP YADAV
- 18 DINESH KARTHIK

WOMEN

GRADE-A (Rs. 15 LAKHS)

- 1 MITHALI RAJ
- 2 JHULAN GOSWAMI
- 3 HARMANPREET KAUR
- 4 EKTA BISHT

GRADE-A (Rs. 10 LAKHS)

- 1 SMRITI MANDHANA
- 2 RAJESWARI GAYAKWAD
- 3 POONAM YADAV
- 4 DEEPTI SHARMA
- 5 VEDA KRISHNAMURTHY
- 6 THIRUSH KAMINI
- 7 SHIKHA PANDEY
- 8 VANITHA V R
- 9 ANUJA PATIL
- 10 SUSHMA VERMA
- 11 DEVIKA VAIDYA
- 12 MANSI JOSHI
- 13 NUZHAT PARWEEN
- 14 PREETI BOSE
- 15 S MEGHANA
- 16 MONA MESHARAM
- 17 PUNAM RAUT



Team India celebrates after winning the 5th ODI and the Series

INDIA vs NEW ZEALAND – 5 ODIs

After the conclusion of the Test series, India hosted New Zealand in a five-match ODI series and bagged the series 3-2. The venue at Dharamsala for the first ODI got a slice of history as it was the 900th ODI for India.

No other country has played as many and the match also witnessed all-rounder Hardik Pandya making his ODI debut. He opened the bowling with Umesh Yadav and removed opener Martin Guptill before taking two more wickets. In just his first game, Pandya picked the Man of the Match award as India took a 1-0 lead.



Commemorative coin (900th ODI for India) used for the toss during the 1st ODI held at HPCA Stadium, Dharamsala

Kane Williamson hit 118 in the 2nd ODI at New Delhi to level the series 1-1 but Virat Kohli's stunning 154 not out off just 134 balls while chasing 286 gave India a seven-wicket win.



Hardik Pandya receives his ODI cap from former Indian cricketer Kapil Dev. He also picked up the Man of the Match Award in his debut game



Virat Kohli celebrates his 150 runs during the 3rd ODI held at the IS Bindra Stadium, Mohali

In the same match MS Dhoni also passed 9000 ODI runs. The stage was set for a grand final after New Zealand secured a narrow 19-run win in the fourth ODI at Ranchi.

India elected to bat first after winning the toss at Visakhapatnam where Jayant Yadav made his ODI debut and received

his ODI cap from Virender Sehwag. Rohit Sharma struck 70 and Virat Kohli hit 65 as India posted 269/5. New Zealand's chase never took off as Amit Mishra ran through the line-up taking 5/18 from just his six overs. The visitors were shot out for just 79 and could last for only 23.1 overs. The leg spinner was named Man of the Match as well as Man of the Series.



Amit Mishra celebrates the wicket of BJ Watling of New Zealand during the 5th ODI. He was named Man of the Match and also Man of the Series



India and New Zealand players stand for the national anthems before the start of the 1st Test Match of the Series

INDIA vs NEW ZEALAND TEST SERIES, 2016-17 – 3 TESTS

13 Test matches in a marathon home season and India began their campaign with a 3-match Test series against New Zealand. The ball was set rolling at Kanpur with the two teams looking for a head start in a view to take momentum with them through the series. Captain Virat Kohli called it right and decided to bat first. India scored a modest total of 318 with half centuries from M Vijay and Cheteshwar Pujara. All-rounders R Ashwin and Ravindra Jadeja scored crucial 40s. New Zealand replied to India's 1st innings score with 262 on the board, captain Kane Williamson leading with the bat with a calm and composed 75. Jadeja picked up a fiver and Ashwin played perfect support with a four-wicket haul. India were dominant with the bat in the second innings and set the Kiwis a target of 434 runs. It was too much to ask for from the visitors as they fell to R Ashwin's spin trap. He picked up six in the second essay thus helping India clinch the first Test by 197 runs.

The action moved to Eden Gardens and the second Test was mainly remembered for Bhuvneshwar Kumar's fantastic spell of swing bowling that restricted New Zealand to just 204 in reply to India's 316 in the first innings. He bowled a disciplined line and length to put New Zealand on the backfoot and pinning the advantage to India in just a

matter of two sessions. The headlines with the bat were then reserved for Rohit Sharma who got a strong 82 to make his presence felt in whites. Wriddhiman Saha remained unbeaten with a patient 54 and India ended



Bhuvneshwar Kumar celebrates the wicket of Mitchell Santner of New Zealand during the 2nd Test Match



Virat Kohli and Ajinkya Rahane celebrate their centuries during day 2 of the 3rd Test Match

up setting a target of 376. Yet again the bowling came to the fore and New Zealand were bundled out for 197. Mohammed Shami, Ashwin and Jadeja picked up three wickets a piece with the first innings hero picking up one. India won the Test by 178 runs and took an unassailable lead of 2-0 in the series.

The final Test at Indore showcased India's batting dominance. India, after winning the toss, scored a mammoth 557/5 declared, with captain Virat Kohli leading by example with a classy 211. It was a double century that had patience, poise and character written all over it. Giving him good company was Ajinkya Rahane who scored 188. The duo shared a 365-run stand for the fourth wicket. New Zealand's reply was yet again restricted owing to R Ashwin's spin brilliance. He took six, with spin partner Jadeja accounting for two and the visitors could put just 299 on the board. India, deciding to bat again, set New Zealand a total of 475 runs to get, and much of the credit had to go to Cheteshwar Pujara's composed unbeaten 101. In reply, it was that man again – R Ashwin – who picked up seven wickets to wrap up New Zealand for

153. Ashwin was awarded the Man of the Match and Man of the Series for picking up a whopping 27 wickets in the 3-match Test series.



Cheteshwar Pujara celebrates his century during day 4 of the 3rd Test Match



Captain Virat Kohli applauds Kedar Jadhav for scoring a hundred during the 1st ODI between India and England

ENGLAND TOURS INDIA – 3 ODIs

Bat dominated the ball in this high-octane three match ODI series which India won 2-1. In all three matches, totals in excess of 315 were registered. England set the tone in the first ODI when they made exactly 350 with Ben Stokes hitting a half-century in only 33 balls. Needing 351 to win, India were 63/4 with Shikhar Dhawan, K L Rahul, Yuvraj Singh and M S Dhoni back in the pavilion. Against all odds, India staged a stunning rescue act with Virat Kohli (122) and local star Kedar Jadhav putting on a 200-run stand for the fifth wicket. A 38-run stand between R Ashwin and Hardik Pandya ensured a thrilling win for the home team.

The second ODI again showed India's batting might with Yuvraj Singh blazing his way to 150 and M S Dhoni smashing 134 to power India to 381/6. The visitors replied strongly with captain Eoin Morgan's breezy ton, but his run-out with just nine balls to go, handed India a close win and with it the series.

Having come close, England finally won the third ODI at Kolkata. Having been asked to bat first, England made 321/8 and won the match by just 5 runs. With 16 needed in six balls, Jadhav started with a six and a four, but two dot balls allowed England to claw back. Jadhav was eventually out on the fifth ball. Having scored 232 runs in the series, Jadhav was named the Man of the Series.



ENGLAND TOURS INDIA – 3 T20Is

With a 2-1 victory in the shortest format, India ended a successful run against England on a high. The three T20Is were held at Green Park Stadium, Kanpur, Vidarbha Cricket Association Stadium, Nagpur and M Chinnaswamy Stadium in Bengaluru. Parvez Rasool made his T20I debut for India in the first match that the visitors won by seven wickets.

India bounced back in the second game thanks to K L Rahul's 71 off 47 balls that took India to 144/8. Ashish Nehra, the veteran fast bowler, took 3/28 to help India register a five-run victory. Jasprit Bumrah was named Man of the Match for his tidy spell of 4-0-20-2.

The third match will always be remembered for magical figures of 6/25 by Yuzvendra Chahal. The leg spinner rocked the English line-up after India posted a massive 202/6. England lost eight wickets for eight runs. Suresh Raina top scored with 63 off 45 balls while M S Dhoni made 56 from as many balls. Chahal became the first Indian bowler to take a five-wicket haul in a T20I and was unanimously named Player of the Match and Series.



India are series champions during the 3rd T20I between India and England

The third match will always be remembered for magical figures of 6-25 by Yuzvendra Chahal



Murali Vijay celebrates his century during day one of the Test match



Virat Kohli celebrates his 200 runs during day two of the Test match

BANGLADESH TOURS INDIA – ONE-OFF TEST

With an unbeaten run of 18 Test matches, India took on Bangladesh in the historic one-off Test at Hyderabad. While India had played a big role in Bangladesh getting Test status and even played their first-ever Test, Bangladesh was visiting India for a Test for only the first time. Having improved considerably in the last few years, Bangladesh was not going to be mere pushovers, but at the same time, India was the firm favourite having all its bases covered.

India started strongly with M Vijay notching up a century and captain Virat Kohli registering his third double hundred. The middle-order continued to punish the bowlers as Ajinkya Rahane missed out on a hundred while wicket-keeper Wriddhiman Saha hit the second Test hundred of his career and his first one at home. Batting at No. 6, he remained not out as India put on a massive 687/6d in the first innings.



Wriddhiman Saha celebrates his century during day two of the Test match



Bangladesh captain Mushfiqur Rahim hit a century but his team was bowled out for 388 in 127.5 overs. Umesh Yadav was the pick of the bowlers taking three wickets. India declared their second innings at 159/4, setting Bangladesh a target of 459. By the end of Day 4, India picked three wickets, but on the final day, the visitors put up some resistance, losing just two wickets in the morning session.

In the second session, Ishant Sharma led the attack and upped the ante. He was lethal and accurate and it was a show of excellent fast bowling. He picked two crucial wickets to trigger the slide before Ravindra Jadeja and R Ashwin picked four wickets each to help India to a massive 208 runs win.

It was India's sixth straight series win, their best-ever. Since August 2015, the Indian team has registered wins against Sri Lanka and West Indies in away series and beaten South Africa, New Zealand, England and Bangladesh at home.



Ishant Sharma celebrates the wicket of Shabbir Rahaman of Bangladesh during day five of the Test match



Team India pose with the winners trophy during day five of the only Test match between India and Bangladesh



India are crowned champions during day four of the 4th Test

AUSTRALIA TOURS INDIA – 4 TESTS (BORDER-GAVASKAR TROPHY)

Two nations, two Test playing powerhouses and an exciting four-match Test series in hand. A long home season couldn't have been brought to a better ending with India and Australia locking horns in a battle for Test supremacy. Here were two teams that had had their fair share of history. Tempers would flare, stares would be shared and

there were scores to settle as the series got underway in Pune in the 1st Test. The pitch was touted to aid the quicks, but what turned up over the course of the Test match was a rank turner at disposal. Australia won the toss and elected to bat first and managed to post 260 on the back of fifties from Matt Renshaw and Mitchell Starc lower



Steve O'Keefe celebrates the wicket of Wriddhiman Saha during day three of the 1st Test



down the order. Owing to some late flurry in the latter part of the innings, Australia made a competitive total on a dry wicket. India's reply looked strong until wickets began to fall in a hurry taking India to 44-3 at one stage. Opener K L Rahul looked good at one end trying to steady the ship but Steve O'Keefe engineered a collapse to dismiss India for 105.

O'Keefe, ended up with figures of 6 for 35 taking full advantage of an extremely helpful surface. With a 156-run lead, Australia made 286 courtesy a 109 from captain Smith which gave Australia a match winning lead. India chasing 441 runs for victory were bowled out for 107. It turned out to be a no-contest with O'Keefe again coming to the fore with another six-wicket haul ably supported with a four wicket haul from Nathan Lyon. Australia won the Test by 333 runs and took a 1-0 lead.

The action then shifted to Bengaluru for the second Test. With a win in the first Test, Australia had the momentum with them and they continued their good work by bowling India out for 189 despite K L Rahul's 90. If it was O'Keefe in Pune, it was Lyon here as he successfully employed his trademark overspin to great effect to take 8 for 50. To top it off, Australia were 40 for no loss on Day 1.

It was advantage Australia all the way though things took a slight turn on Day 2 with India bowling tight lines to keep the visitors at check. Renshaw and Shaun Marsh scored vital 60s but it was Ravindra Jadeja's 6/63 that did all the talking, helping India wrap up Australia for 276. India in their second essay began to wipe off the 87-run deficit at a good pace with K L Rahul scoring his second half century of the match. But it was the staunch resistance from Cheteshwar Pujara and Ajinkya Rahane scoring 92 and 52 respectively, that helped India to a possibly defendable lead of 187.

As it turned out, it was enough as Ravichandran Ashwin came to the party



R Ashwin celebrates the wicket of Mitchell Starc during day four of the 2nd Test

with six wickets in the second innings as Australia were bowled out for 112. India had managed to come from behind and level the series 1-1 with a 75-run victory. The Bengaluru Test was not short of drama and tension though. The DRS came into the picture more often than not and Steve Smith looking at the dressing room for some guidance after being trapped LBW in the 2nd innings was probably the most talked about and debated issue post the 2nd Test.

With so much tension and tempers being displayed at Bengaluru, Ranchi – the venue for the 3rd Test – braced itself for yet another exciting match. It however turned out to be a run-fest



Ravindra Jadeja celebrates the wicket of Matthew Wade during day one of the 4th Test

with Australia amassing 451 in the first innings after electing to bat first. Quality knocks from captain Smith (178*) and

Glenn Maxwell (104) showed that Australia were unperturbed by all the controversy surrounding the team and they were here and meant business. India had a solid start in reply, courtesy the fifties from Vijay and Rahul, but towards the end of day 3, India had faltered to 6 for 328 as Pat Cummins in his first Test after five years unexpectedly caused havoc with four vital wickets including captain Kohli's (6) – who was struggling with both form and a shoulder injury from fielding on Day 1.

However, both Pujara and Saha applied themselves superbly to ensure India were on the right track to post a huge total. Pujara made 202, Saha got 117, Jadeja scored an unbeaten 54 and India declared on 603/9. Australia's second innings started late on Day 4 and ended with the scoreboard reading 23/2 at the end of day's play. Shaun Marsh and Peter Handscomb were the heroes on the final day making patient fifties and helping Australia end at 204/6 – ultimately ending the Test in a draw. Cheteshwar Pujara was awarded the Man of the Match for his mammoth double century.



Sunil Gavaskar presents India Captain Virat Kohli with the ICC Test Mace during day four of the 4th Test



With the series level at 1-1, it was everything to play for in the fourth and final Test at Dharamsala. Australia had to just draw the Test to retain the Border-Gavaskar trophy while India had to win to regain it. India were dealt with a big blow when captain Kohli's shoulder failed to heal in time, which meant, vice-captain Ajinkya Rahane had to take over the reins. Young Kuldeep Yadav was handed his debut in whites and he right away showed what an asset he could be in longer formats. Yadav picked up four wickets and the chinaman bamboozled the visitors with some crafty wrist spin. The gamble in playing Kuldeep seemed to work with Australia folding up for 300. Smith yet again showed his class scoring 111, though there were meaningful fifties from David Warner and Matthew Wade.

India would have hoped to bat Australia out of the Test and series. However, they took just a slender 32-run lead in the first innings with fifties from Rahul, Pujara and

a counter-attacking 63 from Jadeja even as Nathan Lyon braved a worn out spinning finger to have figures of 5 for 92 after the 1st innings. Australia were in deep trouble in the second innings managing just 137 setting a target of 106 for India to win the series.

Jadeja, Ashwin and Umesh Yadav picked three wickets apiece and India braced themselves to chase the total with ease. That they did, as K L Rahul scored an unbeaten match-winning 51, with Rahane playing perfect foil with an unbeaten 38. India sealed the series 2-1 and regained the Border-Gavaskar Trophy in style. Ravindra Jadeja was adjudged Man of the Match and the Man of the Series for his remarkable 25 wickets in the series. Controversies, landmarks, Test cricket of the highest quality – this series had it all and was undoubtedly one of the most gripping India-Australia Test series till date.

ICC CHAMPIONS TROPHY 2017

The ICC Champions Trophy is the second-most popular tournament after the ICC World Cup. The eighth edition of the tournament was held in England and Wales from 1 June to 18 June 2017. Two-time winners India entered the tournament as favourites and under Virat Kohli's leadership, they indeed played like one. India was placed in Group B alongside arch-rivals Pakistan, Sri Lanka, and South Africa. India had a fine run up until the final, where they lost to Pakistan.

For the Men in Blue, the tournament kick-started in a grand fashion, as they took on Pakistan in their first game. Intentions were made clear right from the start, as boosted by Rohit Sharma's emphatic knock of 91 runs, India posted 319/2 in 50 overs. India were also aided by impactful knocks from Virat and Yuvraj Singh. The bowlers wreaked havoc as Pakistan were dismantled for just 164 runs with Umesh Yadav picking up three wickets. India won the match by 124 runs (D/L Method).

India faced another sub-continent neighbour Sri Lanka in their second match and were again batting first. Shikhar Dhawan and Rohit Sharma added 138 runs for the first wicket. M S Dhoni then hit 63 from 52 balls as India put on another strong total of 321 runs in 50 overs. However, Sri Lanka managed to stitch important partnerships and won the match by seven wickets.

With the defeat in the second game, India faced a must-win situation against South Africa and the game was a virtual quarter-final. Bowling first, South Africa were restricted to 191 in 44.3 overs in London. Bhuvneshwar Kumar and Jasprit Bumrah scalped two wickets apiece, while Ashwin, Jadeja and Pandya picked one each. India's chase was anchored by a 128-run partnership between Dhawan and Virat. Dhawan scored 78 while skipper Kohli remained unbeaten at 76.

India's semi-final opponents were Bangladesh and the game was held at Edgbaston. India won the toss and asked Bangladesh to bat first. Bhuvneshwar Kumar took two quick wickets and Bangladesh kept losing wickets at regular intervals before a late cameo from captain Mashrafe Mortaza helped his team to 264/7 in 50 overs. The India openers provided another flying start and put on 87 on the board. Once Dhawan got out, Bangladesh struggled for further breakthroughs. Rohit Sharma registered yet another hundred and Virat remained not out on 96.

With a nine-wicket win over Bangladesh, India booked their place in the final and set up a clash with Pakistan at the Lord's Cricket Ground, London.

The dream final between India and Pakistan generated tremendous interest among the fans and the atmosphere inside the stadium matched the high intensity seen on the field. India opted to field after winning the toss and seemed to have started on a right note, but some errors on the field hurt them in the end. Pakistan opener Fakhar Zaman scored a century that propelled his team to 338. Despite the big score, it looked like the target was within India's reach going by the excellent show from the batsmen. Mohammed Amir then bowled a tight spell and swung the match in his team's favour by removing both Rohit Sharma and Virat Kohli in quick succession. India were soon reduced to 54-5. Hardik Pandya and Ravindra Jadeja then conjured up a quick

80 runs stand, but with Hardik getting run-out, India suffered a major blow. India lost by 180 runs and Pakistan clinched their first-ever ICC Champions Trophy.

The tournament belonged to two Indian openers Shikhar Dhawan and Rohit Sharma as both scored over 300 runs. Virat Kohli notched up 258 runs at a staggering average of 129. Later, Shikhar Dhawan, Virat Kohli and Bhuneshwar Kumar were chosen in the team of the tournament named by the ICC.



INDIA TOURS WEST INDIES – 5 ODIs, 1 T20I

Soon after the ICC Champions Trophy, the Indian team toured the West Indies in June and July 2017 to play five ODIs and a T20I. India won the ODI series 3–1 whereas the home team won the one-off T20I match by 9 wickets.

India's chinaman bowler Kuldeep Yadav made his ODI debut in the first game played at the Queen's Park Oval, Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago. India were asked to bat first, but the match had to be abandoned due to rain. Ajinkya Rahane and Shikhar Dhawan opened the innings and the two put on 132 runs for the first wicket. Rahane made 62 from 78 balls. Shikhar Dhawan looked set for a hundred before getting out on 87. India were 199/3 in 39.2 overs when the game had to be halted due to rain.

The home team won the toss again in the next game and elected to field. The match was reduced to 43 overs as the rain had delayed the start of play. The openers fired once again as they put on 114 this time. Ajinkya Rahane went on to get a fine century and Virat Kohli made 87 runs as India posted 310/5 in 43 overs. In reply, the Indian bowlers fired in unison as the home team was shot out for 205 runs. Kuldeep Yadav picked three

wickets and India won the match by 105 runs, their largest margin of victory against the West Indies in the Caribbean. India had another easy win in the third game as bowlers once again stood out. After India scored 251-4 with M S Dhoni making an unbeaten 78, West Indies were bowled out for 158 runs. R Ashwin took 3/28 from his 10 overs and Dhoni was adjudged Player of the Match.

West Indies pulled off a narrow 11-run victory in the fourth one-day game, but India sealed the series in style with Virat Kohli scoring a record 18th ton in chases. With his century in the fifth game, Virat overtook Sachin Tendulkar for the most number of hundreds in chases.

Ajinkya Rahane was named Player of the Series for his 336 runs. The lone T20 was played at Sabina Park, Kingston, Jamaica. West Indies won the toss and elected to field first. After having made his debut in the ODI series, Kuldeep Yadav made his T20I debut. Dinesh Karthik top-scored for India with 48 from 29 balls that took the visitors to 190/6. Evin Lewis then put up a show as he blasted 125 not out from just 62 balls to take his team to a nine-wicket win.

INDIA TOURS SRI LANKA – 3 TESTs, 5 ODIs, 1 T20I

The India cricket team toured Sri Lanka between July and September 2017 to play three Test matches, five One Day Internationals (ODIs) and a Twenty20 International match. India blanked the home team 3-0 in Tests, 5-0 in ODIs and 1-0 in the lone T20 series. India left a stamp of dominance in all three Tests. They won the first at Galle by 304 runs, the second at Colombo by an innings and 53 runs, and third at Pallekele by also an innings and 171 runs.

The first Test saw Hardik Pandya make his Test debut even as R Ashwin played his 50th Test. Opting to bat first after winning the toss, Shikhar Dhawan nearly scored a double century before missing out narrowly to be dismissed on 190. Dhawan and Cheteshwar Pujara (153) put on a staggering 253 runs for the second wicket as India put on a daunting 600 on the board. In his first innings for India, Hardik made a half-century.

In reply, Sri Lanka were bowled out for 291 with every India bowler picking up a wicket. This time Virat Kohli scored a century as India declared at 240-3, setting a target of 550 runs. Spin twins Ravindra Jadeja and R Ashwin picked three wickets each as Sri Lanka were bowled out for 245.

It was a similar story in the second Test as India put on 622/9 declared with Pujara scoring 133 and Rahane making 132. The Lankan batters could not read Ashwin, who picked up his five-wicket haul to be bowled out for 183. Asked to follow on, this time Jadeja picked up five wickets as Sri Lanka, after showing resistance with two batsmen making centuries, still lost by an innings and 53 runs.

Hardik Pandya's maiden Test century (also his maiden first-class hundred) propelled India to 487 runs. In one over of Malinda Pushpakumara, he smashed two fours and three sixes to amass 26 runs, the most by an India batsman in an over. Sri Lanka could not recover and were bowled out for 135 runs with Kuldeep Yadav taking four wickets. In the second innings, the story did not change as they were shot down for 181 runs with R Ashwin taking four wickets and Mohammed Shami claiming three.

Hardik Pandya was named Player of the Match while Shikhar Dhawan picked up the Player of the Series award. If the home team hoped for some respite in the ODI series there was none as India continued their exemplary show even in white ball cricket. India registered an easy nine wickets win in the first one day as Shikhar Dhawan remained unbeaten on 132 runs and India knocked down the target of 217 in just 28.5 overs. Giving him company was Virat Kohli, who remained unbeaten on 82 from 70 balls. Despite Akila Dananjaya's 6/54, Sri Lanka lost the 2nd ODI that was marred by rain. India were set a revised target of 231 runs from 47 overs, which they chased in 45.1 overs.

Jasprit Bumrah picked up his first five-wicket haul in the third ODI and Rohit Sharma's excellent 124 not out helped India chase down Sri Lanka's 217/9 in 45.1 overs. The fourth ODI was a ball-chasing exercise as both Rohit Sharma (104) and Virat Kohli (131) struck magnificent centuries – the two putting on 219 runs for the 2nd wicket. Sri Lanka could manage just 207, handing India a 168-run win.

Virat Kohli's 30th ODI century guided India to a six-wicket in the final ODI, but the match also witnessed two crucial milestones as Bhuvneshwar Kumar registered his maiden five-wicket haul in ODIs and M S Dhoni became the first wicket-keeper to effect 100 stumpings in ODIs. Bhuvneshwar Kumar was named Player of the Match while Jasprit Bumrah was named Player of the Series.

The one-off T20 was held at the R. Premadasa Stadium, Colombo and it was Virat's 50th T20I. Yuzvendra Chahal picked three wickets in his four overs to restrict Sri Lanka to 170/7 in the allotted 20 overs. Virat led from the front as he attacked the Lankan bowlers to all parts of the ground en route his 82 off just 54 balls. Manish Pandey scored his maiden fifty to ensure India's chase always remained on course. With this win, India completed a 9-0 sweep and Virat was named the Player of the Match.



INDIA 'A' TOURS AUSTRALIA

Quadrangular One-Day Series (Aug-Sep 2016)



Manish Pandey celebrates and acknowledges the crowd after scoring a century

India 'A' won the Quadrangular tournament played between India 'A', Australia 'A', National Performance Squad (NPS) and South Africa 'A'. The Manish Pandey-led team beat Australia 'A' by 57 runs in the final to lift the trophy. The captain finished as the highest run-getter of the tournament with 359 runs including two centuries.

All teams played each other twice during the league and the top two teams battled in the final to claim the title. Although India 'A' had lost to Australia 'A' in both their league encounters, they beat South Africa 'A' once and NPS twice with bonus points to finish at the second place in the points table. Their second match against South Africa 'A' was without a result due to rain.

In their first match, India 'A' were bowled out for 55 by Australia 'A' and lost to the hosts by eight wickets. They then beat South Africa 'A' by three wickets. Dhawal Kulkarni's four-for and two wickets each by Jaydev Unadkat and Hardik Pandya helped restrict

the Proteas to 230/8. Pandey then led India 'A' to victory with a century. They followed



Karun Nair (72) leading the way set the opponents a 305-run target

it up with an 86-run win over NPS. A solid performance by the batting unit, with Karun Nair (72) leading the way, set the opponents a 305-run target. Unadkat and Kulkarni claimed three wickets apiece to wrap-up NPS for 218.

While the match against South Africa 'A' was washed out, India 'A' beat NPS comprehensively by six wickets. Varun Aaron (three wickets) and Co. restricted the opposition for 207/8 while half-centurions – Kedar Jadhav (93*) and Shreyas Iyer (62)



Kedar Jadhav scores 93



Shreyas Iyer in action

– led the team to the target with 70 balls to spare. India 'A' then lost a cliff-hanger to Australia 'A' in the last game of the league stage. After the hosts had posted 322/6 on the board, Manish Pandey (110) and Sanju Samson (87) kept India in the chase. However, after the departure of the batsmen, India 'A' were held to 321/8 and lost by one run.

In the final though, India 'A' pulled off a thumping 57-run win over Australia 'A'. Mandeep Singh (95) and Pandey (61) helped set Australia 'A' a 267-run target after electing to bat. The Indian attack then spun the home team out for 209. Yuzvendra Chahal claimed a four-for while Nair, Axar Patel and Kulkarni claimed two wickets each.



INDIA 'A' TOURS AUSTRALIA

Two Four-Day Matches – Australia 'A' vs India 'A' (Sep 2016)

India 'A' lost the two-match series to Australia 'A' 0-1. The home team won the first of the two four-day games held in Brisbane while the rain-truncated second game ended in a draw. The series was played with the pink ball.

Opting to bat first in the first match, India 'A' were bowled out for 230 in the first innings by Mitchell Swepson (4/78) and David Moody (3/26). Openers Akhil Herwadkar and Faiz Fazal got the team off to a decent start, while Manish Pandey made a determined 77 to help the side to a respectable total. While Joseph Burns (78) and Peter Handscomb (87) scripted the hosts reply, Varun Aaron and Jayant Yadav picked three wickets each to bowl them out for 228. While India 'A' looked to build

on the marginal two-run lead they were bowled out for 156 in the second innings.

As the teams fought to maintain an upper-hand, Cameron Bancroft helped Australia 'A' to a three-wicket win on the final day with an unbeaten 58-run knock.

In the second match, India 'A' were bundled out for 169 in the first innings by the Australia 'A' pacers Kane Richardson (4/37) and Jackson Bird (3/53) after being asked to bat. In reply the hosts were propelled to 435 by Hilton Cartwright (117). While Akhil Herwadkar (82*) toiled to anchor the innings, India 'A' lost quick wickets. They were 158 for four when play was called off on the last day due to inclement weather. The match ended in a draw and India 'A' lost the series.



Akhil Herwadkar (82) toiled to anchor the innings in a 4-day game against Australia 'A'

INDIA 'A' TOURS SOUTH AFRICA

One-Day Tri-Series (Jul-Aug 2017)

India 'A' won the one-day Tri-Series played between India 'A', South Africa 'A' and Afghanistan 'A'. Manish Pandey finished as the top run-getter with 307 runs while Shardul Thakur finished at No.2 in the highest wicket-takers list with nine wickets from four matches.

Bowled out for 152, India 'A' lost their opening game of the series to South Africa 'A' by two wickets. In the second match, Vijay Shankar (3/24) and Axar Patel (3/33) then helped bowl out Afghanistan for 149 while Karun Nair (57) and Manish Pandey (41*) chased down the target with ease.

With an unbeaten 86, skipper Pandey helped India 'A' to 322/5 in the next match against Afghanistan 'A'. Mohammed Siraj (3/49), Vijay Shankar (2/21) and Siddarth Kaul (2/35) then bowled the side to a 113-run win. Pandey continued to star for India 'A' and helped the team to a thrilling one-wicket win over South Africa 'A' with two balls to spare. Chasing 267, the captain took his side to the finish line with an unbeaten 93 off 85 balls.

In the final Farhaan Behardien's 101* powered South Africa 'A' to 267/7 after



Manish Pandey finished as the top run-getter

Pandey asked the hosts to bat. Shreyas Iyer and Vijay Shankar then scripted India's comfortable win to claim the series. After being left on 20/2, the pair joined forces to take India to a seven-wicket win. Iyer slammed 140* off 131 balls while V Shankar made 72 and Pandey chipped in with an unbeaten 32.

Two Four-Day Matches – South Africa 'A' vs India 'A' (Aug, 2017)

While the hosts won the first match by 235 runs, India 'A' won the second by six wickets to draw the series (1-1).

After Stephen Cook's century in the first innings put the hosts in an advantageous position, the South Africa 'A' attack bundled India 'A' out for 120. Adding to the lead, the hosts posted 220/5 before declaring their innings thus setting India 'A' a 447-run target. Pacer, Carl Dala claimed five for 36 to bowl the visitors out for 211 in the second innings and helped South Africa 'A' to a 1-0 lead in the two-match series.

In the second match, India 'A' came from behind to level the series. The hosts were

once again in an advantageous position after Cook's 98 had helped them to 322 in the first innings. Although the India 'A' top-order put crucial runs on the board the middle-order wilted in the face of the South Africa 'A' attack thus conceding a 46-run lead. The Ankit Rajpoot-led attack however, bowled South Africa 'A' out for 177 in the second innings. While Cook remained unbeaten on 70, Rajpoot and S Nadeem claimed three wickets each to bowl the opposition out and keep India 'A' in the game. Chasing 224, while R Samarth scored a half-century, Nair starred in the victory with a vital 90-run knock.



ASIAN CRICKET COUNCIL EMERGING TEAMS ASIA CUP IN BANGLADESH (MAR-APR 2017)

The tournament held in Bangladesh comprised of eight teams divided into two groups. India U-23 were part of Group A along with Sri Lanka U-23, Afghanistan and Malaysia. Although they had four points from two wins, the same as Sri Lanka U-23 and Afghanistan, their lesser net run rate knocked India U-23 out of the tournament.

The Baba Aparajith-led team beat Sri Lanka by 35 runs in their opening game of the series and followed it up with a seven-wicket win against Malaysia. However, they lost to Afghanistan by two wickets in the last match of the league phase and finished at No.3 in the points table on net run rate.

The captain's century helped set Sri Lanka U-23 a 289-run target. Aswin Crist and Kanishk Seth then claimed three wickets each to bowl the opponents out for 253 and begin the campaign with a win. In a low scoring game they then beat Malaysia. After restricting Malaysia to 163 for nine they chased down the target in 30.1 overs. Shubman Gill anchored the chase with an unbeaten half-century after Aamir Gani (3/27), Kamlesh Nagarkoti (2/14) and Rahul Chahar (2/37) set up the match for India.

Group B comprised of Pakistan U-23, Bangladesh U-23, Nepal and Hong Kong. Sri Lanka U-23 beat Pakistan U-23 by five wickets to lift the Cup.

WEST INDIES TOURS INDIA – ODI & T20I SERIES, 2016

India swept the three-match ODI series in Vijayawada 3-0 against the visiting West Indies side. The Mithali Raj-led team beat the touring side with clinical precision in front of a full house in Vijayawada.



Mithali Raj leads the way for India

While the spinners – Ekta Bisht (3/14) and Rajeshwari Gayakwad (4/21)



Ekta Bisht (3 for 14)

dominated the show, Mithali (46*) and Veda Krishnamurthy (52*) helped chase down the 132-run target in the first game. The second ODI too was a low scoring game with the Jhulan Goswami-led attack restricting West Indies to 153 for seven. Smriti Mandhana then led the chase with



Rajeshwari Gayakwad

a determined 62-ball 44. Deepti Sharma contributed with a well-compiled 32 while Mithali once again ensured victory with



Smriti Mandhana led the chase with a determined 62-ball 44

a 51-ball 45-run knock. The five-wicket win in the second match gave India an unassailable 2-0 lead in the series. Krishnamurthy helped set up the third game for India with a 79-ball 71. Defending the 199-run target Gayakwad claimed four for 34 to help India to a 15-run win.

However, despite their comprehensive victory, India remained in the lower half of the ICC Women's Championship table and had to play the qualifiers for the ICC Women's World Cup in Sri Lanka later.

Although they dominated the ODIs, India lost the T20I series 0-3 to the World T20 champions, West Indies. In the first match, T20 captain, Harmanpreet Kaur's unbeaten 50-ball 68 and Krishnamurthy's quick-fire half-century helped set West Indies a 151-run target. But the visitors cruised to a six-wicket win with five balls to spare. In the second T20I, chasing 138 runs, the Indian lineup, barring the skipper (43 runs), caved in, leading to a 31-run loss. This was followed by a 15-run loss to West Indies in the last T20I. After restricting the visitors to 139 for four, India managed to scrape together only 124 for three in their allotted 20 overs.



Harmanpreet Kaur's unbeaten 50-ball 68

ASIAN CRICKET COUNCIL WOMEN'S T20 ASIA CUP 2016 IN THAILAND

The Harmanpreet Kaur-led Women's T20I team lifted the trophy in December



Harmanpreet Kaur in action at the ACC Women's T20 Asia Cup 2016

2016 with a comprehensive 17-run win over Pakistan in Bangkok. India remained unbeaten throughout the league phase of the tournament played between the six Asian teams. They beat Bangladesh by 64 runs in the tournament opener and followed it up with a nine-wicket win over Thailand. Harmanpreet's all-round performance (26* and 2/16) helped India triumph over archrivals Pakistan in their third match. They beat Sri Lanka by 52 runs and Nepal by 99 runs to finish at the top of the points table.

In the final against Pakistan – the No.2 ranked team – Mithali slammed an unbeaten 65-ball 73 to set the opponents a 122-run target. India then restricted Pakistan to 104 for six, with an Ekta Bisht-led attack (2/22), to register a 17-run victory and reclaim the title for the sixth time.

Mithali was the highest run-getter in the tournament with 220 runs while Bisht finished at the top of the wicket-taker's list.



ICC WOMEN'S WORLD CUP 2017 QUALIFIERS IN SRI LANKA

The India Women's team continued their unbeaten streak into the ICC Women's World Cup Qualifiers. After remaining unbeaten as ten teams fought to enter the next stage, they finished at the top of the table in the Super Six phase as well. The Mithali Raj-led team then clinched a thrilling one-wicket win over South Africa in the final as they booked themselves a place in the ICC Women's World Cup 2017.

Youngsters Devika Vaidya (89) and Deepti Sharma (54) gave a glimpse of their mettle as India, further boosted by Mithali's 70* set Sri Lanka a 260-run target in the opening game of the all-important tournament. A clinical performance by the spinners – Rajeshwari Gayakwad (2/19) and Ekta Bisht (2/27) helped India register a 114-run win. They followed it up with a nine-wicket win over Thailand and a 125-run win against Ireland. Then, with a nine-wicket victory over Zimbabwe, India finished at the top of the Group A points table. Group B comprised of South Africa, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Scotland and Papua New Guinea.

India continued to dominate in the Super Six stage as well. They began by beating South Africa by 49 runs in the first game. Mithali's 85-ball 64 took India to 205 for eight after being asked to bat; the

performance also earned her the Player of the Match award. Shikha Pandey (4/34) and Bisht (3/22) then skittled South Africa out for 156. In the next Super game, India registered a thumping nine-wicket win against Bangladesh with superb knocks by Mona Meshram (78*) and captain Mithali Raj (73*) who made the target of 156 look easy.

In India's next match against Pakistan, Bisht's 5/8 helped bundle the arch rivals out for 67 and earned her the Player of the Match. India registered a seven-wicket win in the low-scoring game.

The final was a nerve-wracking encounter with South Africa setting India a target of 245 runs. Gayakwad claimed three wickets while Shikha Pandey picked two after South Africa elected to bat in the final game. Meshram's half-century and No.3 bat, Deepti Sharma's 71 kept India in the chase as both teams fought hard to seize the advantage. With pressure mounting as India continued to lose wickets in the death overs, stand-in captain Harmanpreet Kaur took India to a last ball finish with a determined 41* off 41 deliveries.

Player of the Match in the final, Deepti Sharma finished with 253 runs in the tournament while Bisht was the highest wicket-taker for India with 13 scalps.

INDIA TOURS SOUTH AFRICA – QUADRANGULAR SERIES, 2017

India Women continued their domination in the one-day format in South Africa and broke records in the lead up to the ICC Women's World Cup, 2017. The Mithali Raj-led team emerged triumphant in the tournament played between India, South Africa, Ireland and Zimbabwe. During the course of the matches, ace pacer Jhulan Goswami became the leading wicket-taker in Women's ODIs. She created the record when she trapped South African Raisibe Ntozakhe leg-before to register her 181st wicket.

India registered a ten-wicket win over Ireland as they chased down 97 runs. In their next they thrashed South Africa by seven wickets. After Goswami (3/20) and Shikha Pandey (3/22) restricted the hosts to 119, Mithali (51*) took the team to the finish line with Harmanpreet Kaur. They then beat Zimbabwe by nine wickets and in their next victory over Ireland the

Indian team broke records. The highlight of the 249-run win over Ireland was Deepti Sharma and Punam Raut's record opening stand of 320 runs in 45.3 overs which was the first time that Women's ODIs have witnessed a partnership in excess of 300 runs.

Subsequently, a loss to South Africa by eight runs ended their winning streak. However, they followed it up with a ten-wicket win over Zimbabwe and then again faced-off with South Africa in the final.

The Indian bowlers restricted the hosts to 156 after opting to bowl. Jhulan Goswami claimed three for 22 while Poonam Yadav too took three wickets and Shikha Pandey claimed two. Raut (70*) then took the team to the target with Mithali (62*). Raut was adjudged the Player of the Match for her knock in the final while Deepti Sharma – the highest run-getter in the series – was awarded the Player of the Series.



ICC WOMEN'S WORLD CUP 2017 IN ENGLAND

India opened their account in the ICC Women's World Cup with a win over England. India's top-order – Punam Raut (86), Smriti Mandhana (90) and Mithali Raj (71) helped set England a stiff target. Defending the 281-run total, the Indian attack bowled the hosts out for 246. Deepti Sharma claimed three wickets while Shikha Pandey picked two as India began their campaign with a 35-run victory.

In the match against West Indies the spinners played a vital role. Deepti, Poonam Yadav and Harmanpreet Kaur claimed two wickets each to restrict the opponents to 183 for eight. Mandhana then took the team to a seven-wicket win with an unbeaten 106 which gave her, her second successive Player of the Match award.



Smriti Mandhana celebrates her century during the ICC Womens World Cup 2017

In the match against Pakistan, Ekta Bisht's 5/18 helped India defend the score of 169. The spinner's five-for bundled the opposition out for 74 to keep India in the race for a place in the knock-outs. In the next game, Deepti Sharma's patient 110-ball 78 along with the skipper's half-century helped India set Sri Lanka a 233-run target. Goswami and Yadav then claimed two wickets each as they restricted the Sri Lanka team to 216 for seven and helped India to a 16-run win.

Chasing a 274-run target against South Africa, India lost by 115 runs. They also lost their next match to Australia by eight wickets. Raut's century and Mithali's 69-run effort went in vain as the Australians cruised to victory. The heavy losses meant India had to beat New Zealand in their last match of the league phase to qualify for the knock-outs. They beat the White Ferns by 186 runs to seal a semi-final berth. Mithali led the way with an elegant 123-ball 109, to set New Zealand a target of 266



Mithali Raj celebrates her fifty during the match with New Zealand

runs. While Harmanpreet Kaur (61 off 90) played a patient knock to support her, Veda Krishnamurthy's assault of 70 off 45 helped India post a solid total after being asked to bat. While the medium pacers accounted for the New Zealand openers, Rajeshwari Gayakwad, playing her first game of the tournament, combined forces with Deepti Sharma to tear through the line-up. The left-arm spinner finished with 5/15 as India bowled the White Ferns out for a paltry 79.

In the semi-final Harmanpreet Kaur's blistering 171* helped set the defending champions, Australia a 282-run target. In a match that was reduced to 42-overs-a-side due to rain, the hard-hitting all-rounder first laid the foundation with skipper Mithali Raj and then went on to clobber the opposition



Heather Knight Captain of England and Mithali Raj Captain of India pose with the Womens World Cup Trophy

as Deepti held up the other end. The Jhulan Goswami-led attack then bowled Australia out for 245. Shikha Pandey and Goswami claimed two wickets each while Deepti claimed three to bowl India into the final.



Mithali Raj celebrates her fifty during the match with New Zealand

However, India suffered a heart-breaking loss to England in the final. Jhulan Goswami (10-3-23-3) and Poonam Yadav (2/36) had helped restrict England to 228 for seven. Punam Raut then guided the Indian chase with a 115-ball 86 while Harmanpreet Kaur chipped in with 51 to keep the innings on course. But a batting collapse after the opener's departure resulted in India being bowled out for 219 runs. From being comfortably placed on 191 for four in the 43rd over, they were bowled out with eight balls remaining. During the course of the tournament, captain Mithali Raj became the top run-getter in Women's ODIs.



ASIAN CRICKET COUNCIL U-19 ASIA CUP 2016, SRI LANKA

(One-Day Tournament)

India U-19 won the Asian Cricket Council's U-19 Asia Cup held in December, 2016 in Sri Lanka. After topping the points table in the league phase, they beat Afghanistan U-19 in the semi-finals and Sri Lanka U-19 in the final to lift the Cup.

With the eight teams being divided in to two groups, India U-19 were part of Group A along with Sri Lanka, Nepal and Malaysia. Group B comprised Bangladesh, Afghanistan, Pakistan and Singapore. India remained unbeaten throughout the tournament.

India U-19 opened their campaign with a 235-run win over Malaysia U-19 and followed it up with a six-wicket win over Nepal U-19. They finished the league phase with a convincing six-wicket win over Sri Lanka U-19. Himanshu Rana starred in the semi-final clash against Afghanistan U-19. The opener propelled India U-19 to 294 with 130 off 123 balls. Kamlesh Nagarkoti,



Kamlesh Nagarkoti

Yash Thakur and Rahul Chahar then held the opposition to 217 for seven. The 77-run win set-up a clash for the title against Sri Lanka U-19.

Rana (71) and Gill (70) helped India U-19 to 273 for eight after electing to bat in the



Shubman Gill

day-night encounter in Colombo. Spinners Abhishek Sharma (4/37) and Chahar (3/22) then bowled the team to a 34-run title win.

Abhishek Sharma received the Player of the



Abhishek Sharma

Match in the final while Himanshu Rana was adjudged the Player of the Series.

ENGLAND U-19 TOURS INDIA

One-day series and Four-day matches (Jan-Feb, 2017)

The Indian colts won the five-match one-day bilateral series 3-1 in Mumbai. The home team lost the series opener to England U-19 by 23 runs, but won the next three matches, while the fifth match ended in a tie.

Opener Himanshu Rana's half-century and Harvik Desai's 62-ball 75 helped the hosts



Himanshu Rana

to 287 for eight after being asked to bat in the second match. Shivam Mavi and Ishan Porel claimed two wickets apiece while Anukul Roy picked three for 34 to bowl India to a 129-run win. In the third match, Rahul Chahar (4/33) and Roy (3/39) bowled England U-19 out for 215. Shubman Gill then led India to a seven-wicket win with an unbeaten 138-run knock. Gill followed the performance up with a 120-ball 160-run knock in the fourth match and was complemented by Prithvi Shaw (105 off



Prithvi Shaw

89) powering India U-19 to 382 for nine. Kamlesh Nagarkoti and Mavi then wrecked

the visitors' top-order and put India in a commanding position. Nagarkoti finished with a four-for as he helped India U-19 to a 230-run win.

The last game of the one-day series ended in a nail-biting tie. Electing to field, India U-19 restricted England U-19 to 226 for nine. Chasing the respectable target, India lost early wickets. S Radhakrishnan scored 65 and contributions from Ayush Jamwal and Yash Thakur lower down the order kept the innings alive. However, the hosts were bowled out on the last ball for 226.

Both the four-day matches played in Nagpur were drawn and the series ended 0-0. During the run-fest in the first match, England U-19 posted 501 for five before declaring their first innings. Lifted by D Ferrario's century, India U-19 replied with 431 on the board for the loss of eight wickets and declared the innings. 6 for 62 by S Joseph skittled the visitors out for 167 in their second outing. However, the hosts' top five batsmen returned for single digit scores in the second innings. Wicketkeeper-batsman S Lokeshwar then helped India U-19 to a draw with an unbeaten 92 with support from the lower order.



INDIA U-19 TOURS ENGLAND

One-day series and Four-day matches (Jul-Aug, 2017)

India U-19 put up a dominating performance in England in both formats of the game. The Prithvi Shaw-led one-day team swept the bilateral series 5-0 while the Himanshu Rana-led four-day side too won both matches to take the series 2-0.

Left-arm spinner Anukul Roy led the wreckage of the hosts' line-up with a four-for while Rahul Chahar and Shivam Mavi claimed three wickets each to bundle England U-19 out for 181 in the first match of the tour. Middle-order batsman, Salman Khan (60*) and Roy (43*) then took India to a five-wicket win after the early loss of the top-order batsmen. In the second match, the Indian colts again spun the hosts out for a paltry 175. Roy claimed 4/27 while Chahar picked 3/26 and Abhishek Sharma accounted for two wickets to set-up the match for India U-19. Shaw and Himanshu Rana then began the chase with a 110-run opening stand while Shubman Gill took the team to an eight-wicket win.

Electing to bat in the series decider India U-19 were propelled to a solid 327/7 by Gill. The No.3 bat's 127-ball 147 helped the visitors take an unassailable 3-0 lead in the series. The Kamlesh Nagarkoti-led attack then bowled India U-19 to a thumping 169-run win. The pacer claimed 3/20 as they skittled the hosts out for 158. India U-19 then won the rain-affected penultimate game by one run under the Duckworth-Lewis system and clinched a thrilling one-wicket win in the last game. Spinners Chahar and Abhishek Sharma claimed four and three wickets respectively to restrict England U-19 to 222/9 in the

fifth match. Shaw (52) and Harvik Desai (44) then set the chase on course. Although the hosts kept striking at regular intervals, useful contributions by the middle-order kept the innings in the fray. Nagarkoti then took India U-19 to the finish line with an unbeaten 26.

In the first four-day match, Manjot Kalra's 122 helped set-up the match for India U-19 by piling on 519 runs in the first innings while Nagarkoti's ten-wicket haul (5/49 in 1st innings and 5/63 in 2nd innings) helped dismantle the hosts' innings. Complemented by Mavi (4/51), the pacer put the visitors in a commanding position by bowling England U-19 out for 195 in their first outing. Shaw (69) and Riyan Parag (50) then helped India build on the lead. They posted 173/6 before declaring the innings, thus setting the home team a mammoth 498-run target. The Nagarkoti-led attack then bundled England U-19 out for 163 to claim a 334-run win.

India U-19 followed up the performance with a 97-run win in the second match. Although the middle-order collapsed, Mavi's unbeaten 86 and Ashok Sandhu's fifty helped India U-19 to a respectable 292 in the first innings after electing to bat. While England U-19 fought back with Will Jacks scoring a century, Nagarkoti and Co. bowled them out for 284 to seize a marginal eight-run lead. Gill's century in the second innings helped India U-19 to a solid 330. The Indian attack then bowled England U-19 out for 241 to claim victory.



VIRAT KOHLI

Tests

The 2016-17 season was particularly rewarding for Virat Kohli, India's dynamic captain who notched up four double centuries in Test cricket. He became the first player in Test history to score double centuries in four consecutive Test series. He scored double tons against West Indies, New Zealand, England and Bangladesh in consecutive series.

He completed 4000 runs in Mumbai against England in his 52nd Test match (89th innings).

Virat scored 1252 runs in the 2016/17 Test season. He became the first Indian captain to aggregate 1000 runs in a Test season. His 1215 runs in the year of 2016 are also the most by an Indian captain in a calendar year in Test cricket, surpassing Rahul Dravid's tally of 1095 in 2006. Virat Kohli's 235 against England at Mumbai is the highest individual score by an Indian captain in Test cricket. He overhauled M S Dhoni's 224, which he scored in 2013 at Chennai against Australia.

ODIs

He scored his 15th century in a successful run chase at Pune against England and broke Sachin Tendulkar's record of most centuries in successful ODI chases (14 tons).

He also completed 1000 runs as captain in ODIs at Kolkata against England. He completed the milestone in just 17 innings to break the record held by AB de Villiers (18 innings).



RAVINDRA JADEJA

Tests

Ravindra Jadeja completed 100 wickets in Mumbai against England in his 24th Test match and he completed 1000 runs at Dharamshala against Australia in his 30th Test match.

He scored 571 runs and took 71 wickets in the 2016/17 season.

Jadeja is now only the third player after Kapil Dev (1979/80) and Mitchell Johnson (2008/09) to do the double of 500 runs and 50 wickets in a Test series.

ODIs

He completed 150 wickets at Kolkata against England in his 129th ODI match.



CHETESHWAR PUJARA

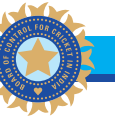
Tests

Cheteshwar Pujara completed 3000 runs at Visakhapatnam against England in his 40th Test match (67th innings).

Pujara scored 1316 runs, played 3757 balls and batted for 2784 minutes during the 2016/17 Test season, which are the most by an Indian player. Gautam Gambhir scored 1316 runs, faced 2612 balls and batted 3752 minutes during the 2008/09 Test season.

He was named Man of the Match in the third Test against Australia at Ranchi for his double century that helped India post a total in excess of 600.





Ravichandran Ashwin with the Garfield Sobers Trophy & the ICC Test Player of the Year Trophy

2016 ICC CRICKETER OF THE YEAR (SIR GARFIELD SOBERS TROPHY) – RAVICHANDRAN ASHWIN

2016 ICC TEST CRICKETER OF THE YEAR – RAVICHANDRAN ASHWIN

R Ashwin became the third India player and 12th player overall to win the prestigious Sir Garfield Sobers Trophy after being named as the ICC Cricketer of the Year 2016.

Ashwin followed in the footsteps of Rahul Dravid (2004) and Sachin Tendulkar (2010), while other recipients of the Sir Garfield Sobers Trophy included Andrew Flintoff and Jacques Kallis (joint-winners in 2005), Ricky Ponting (2006 and 2007), Shivnarine Chanderpaul (2008), Mitchell Johnson (2009 and 2014), Jonathan Trott (2011), Kumar Sangakkara (2012), Michael Clarke (2013) and Steve Smith (2015).

Ashwin was also adjudged the ICC Test Cricketer of the Year, which made him only the second India player after Dravid (2004) to bag the two coveted prizes in the same year.

During the voting period, the spinner played eight Tests in which he took 48 wickets and scored 336 runs. Ashwin also claimed 27 wickets in 19 T20Is. Ashwin had finished as the number-one ranked Test bowler in the world in 2015, a position he reclaimed twice in 2016.



Lakshmipathy Balaji



Ashish Nehra

LAKSHMIPATHY BALAJI

Indian speedster Lakshmipathy Balaji announced his retirement from the sport in 2016, after a 16-year professional career. The Tamil Nadu cricketer last played for India in the 2012 World T20 and even held nerve against South Africa, where with 2 needed, he dismissed Morne Morkel to clinch a thrilling one-run win.

His best moments came in the 2004 Tour to Pakistan, when he formed a competent fast bowling pair with Irfan Pathan, helping India win both the Test as well as the ODI series. Post retirement, Balaji is now the bowling coach of the Tamil Nadu team.

ASHISH NEHRA

Ashish Nehra played his last international game on November 1, 2017 at his home ground Feroz Shah Kotla in Delhi. The DDCA renamed both ends of the ground as "Ashish Nehra End" on the occasion of his farewell match and he received accolades from cricketing circles across the globe.

He will be most remembered for his spell of 6/23 against England in the 2003 World Cup. He returned with economical figures in the epic semi-final clash against Pakistan in the 2011 World Cup and unfortunately missed out the final due to an injury. He played his last Test in 2004 against Pakistan and could not prolong his career as he underwent surgeries and suffered many injuries through the course of his career.

However, he played a successful role in the 3-0 T20I series win against Australia in 2016 and mentored young bowlers like Bumrah and Hardik in the 2016 T20 World Cup. He has had a stint with IPL franchises and is undoubtedly an inspiration for aspiring fast bowlers for the way he crossed numerous hurdles with a hunger to serve Indian cricket.



SELECTION COMMITTEES – SENIOR, JUNIOR & WOMEN

INDIA, INDIA 'A' AND OTHER TEAMS PICKED BY THE SR. SELECTION COMMITTEE 2016-17

June 2016 – India 'A', 'B' & 'C' teams picked for the Duleep Trophy

India 'A'

1. Abhinav Mukund
2. K S Bharat
3. Sudip Chatterjee
4. Mandeep Singh
5. Gurkeerat Mann
6. Arun Karthick
7. Yuvraj Singh (Captain)
8. Akshay Wakhre
9. Kuldeep Yadav
10. Nathu Singh
11. Anureet Singh
12. Ishwar Pandey
13. M Vijay
14. Virat Kohli
15. Wriddhiman Saha
16. Amit Mishra
17. Umesh Yadav
18. Shardul Thakur

India 'B'

1. Gautam Gambhir (Captain)
2. Mayank Agarwal
3. Sheldon Jackson
4. Baba Aparajith
5. Siddesh Lad
6. Dinesh Karthik
7. Parveez Rasool
8. K Monish
9. Krishna Das
10. Suryakumar Yadav
11. Mohit Sharma
12. Pankaj Singh
13. K L Rahul
14. Cheteshwar Pujara
15. Rohit Sharma
16. R Ashwin
17. Ishant Sharma
18. Bhuvneshwar Kumar

India 'C'

1. Robin Uthappa
2. Jalaj Saxena
3. Ambati Rayudu
4. Rohan Prem
5. I D Singh
6. Suresh Raina (Captain)
7. Parthiv Patel
8. Harbhajan Singh
9. Shreyas Gopal
10. Ashoke Dinda
11. Sandeep Sharma
12. Ankit Rajput
13. Shikhar Dhawan
14. Ajinkya Rahane
15. Stuart Binny
16. Ravindra Jadeja
17. Md. Shami
18. Jaspreet Bumrah

June 2016 – India 'A' team picked for Tri Series in Australia

1. Faiz Fazal
2. Akhil Herwadkar
3. Shreyas Iyer
4. Karun Nair
5. Manish Pandey
6. Kedar Jadhav
7. Naman Ojha (Captain)
8. Vijay Shankar
9. Axar Patel
10. Jayant Yadav
11. Varun Aaron
12. Dhawal Kulkarni
13. Jaydev Unadkat
14. Barinder Sran
15. Shahbaz Nadeem
16. Sanju Samson

Stand by

1. Hardik Pandya
2. Yuzvendra Chahal
3. Unmukt Chand
4. Nathu Singh
5. Mandeep Singh

September 2016 – Indian Team picked for the Test Series against New Zealand

1. Virat Kohli (Captain)
2. K L Rahul
3. Cheteshwar Pujara
4. Ajinkya Rahane
5. M Vijay
6. Rohit Sharma
7. R Ashwin
8. Wriddhiman Saha
9. Ravindra Jadeja
10. Md. Shami
11. Ishant Sharma
12. Bhuvneshwar Kumar
13. Shikhar Dhawan
14. Amit Mishra
15. Umesh Yadav

October 2016 – Indian Team picked for the One Day Series against New Zealand

1. M S Dhoni
2. Rohit Sharma
3. Ajinkya Rahane
4. Virat Kohli (Captain)
5. Manish Pandey
6. Suresh Raina
7. Hardik Pandya
8. Axar Patel
9. Jayant Yadav
10. Amit Mishra
11. Jaspreet Bumrah
12. Dhawal Kulkarni
13. Umesh Yadav
14. Mandeep Singh
15. Kedar Jadhav

November 2016 – Indian Team picked for the Test Series against England

1. M Vijay
2. Gautam Gambhir
3. Cheteshwar Pujara
4. Virat Kohli (Captain)
5. Ajinkya Rahane
6. R Ashwin
7. Wriddhiman Saha
8. Ravindra Jadeja
9. Amit Mishra
10. Md. Shami
11. Ishant Sharma
12. Umesh Yadav
13. Hardik Pandya
14. Karun Nair
15. Jayant Yadav

January 2017 – India 'A' team picked for 1st one day warm up match on 10 Jan against England

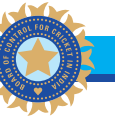
1. Shikhar Dhawan
2. Mandeep Singh
3. Ambati Rayudu
4. Yuvraj Singh
5. M S Dhoni (Captain)
6. Hardik Pandya
7. Sanju Samson
8. Kuldeep Yadav
9. Yuzvendra Chahal
10. Ashish Nehra
11. Mohit Sharma
12. Siddharth Kaul

January 2017 – India 'A' team picked for 2nd one day warm up match on 12 Jan against England

1. Rishab Pant
2. Ajinkya Rahane (Captain)
3. Suresh Raina
4. Deepak Hooda
5. Ishan Kishan
6. Sheldon Jackson
7. Vijay Shankar
8. Shahbaz Nadeem
9. Parveez Rasool
10. Vinay Kumar
11. Pradeep Sangwan
12. Ashoke Dinda

January 2017 – Indian team picked for 3 ODI Series against England

1. K L Rahul
2. Shikhar Dhawan
3. Virat Kohli (Captain)
4. M S Dhoni
5. Manish Pandey
6. Kedar Jadhav
7. Yuvraj Singh
8. Ajinkya Rahane
9. Hardik Pandya
10. R Ashwin
11. Ravindra Jadeja
12. Amit Mishra
13. Jaspreet Bumrah
14. Bhuvneshwar Kumar
15. Umesh Yadav


January 2017 – Indian team picked for 3 T20 Series against England

1. K L Rahul
2. Mandeep Singh
3. Virat Kohli (Captain)
4. M S Dhoni
5. Yuvraj Singh
6. Suresh Raina
7. Rishab Pant
8. Hardik Pandya
9. R Ashwin
10. Ravindra Jadeja
11. Yuzvendra Chahal
12. Manish Pandey
13. Jaspreet Bumrah
14. Bhuvneshwar Kumar
15. Ashish Nehra

January 2017 – Rest of India team picked for the Z R Irani Cup against Gujarat CA, Ranji Trophy Champions

1. Abhinav Mukund
2. Akhil Herwadkar
3. Cheteshwar Pujara (Captain)
4. Karun Nair
5. Manoj Tiwari
6. Wriddhiman Saha
7. Kuldeep Yadav
8. Shahbaz Nadeem
9. Pankaj Singh
10. K Vignesh
11. Siddharth Kaul
12. Shardul Thakur
13. Akshay Wakhre
14. Ishan Kishan
15. Prashant Chopra

January 2017 – India 'A' team picked for a warm up match against Bangladesh

1. Abhinav Mukund (Captain)
2. Priyank Panchal
3. Shreyas Iyer
4. Ishank Jaggi
5. Rishab Pant
6. Ishan Kishan
7. Vijay Shankar
8. Hardik Pandya
9. Shahbaz Nadeem
10. Jayant Yadav
11. Kuldeep Yadav
12. Aniket Choudhary
13. C V Milind
14. Nitin Saini

January 2017 – Indian team picked for one-off Test Match against Bangladesh

1. M Vijay
2. K L Rahul
3. Cheteshwar Pujara
4. Virat Kohli (Captain)
5. Ajinkya Rahane
6. Karun Nair
7. Wriddhiman Saha
8. R Ashwin
9. Ravindra Jadeja
10. Jayant Yadav
11. Umesh Yadav
12. Ishant Sharma
13. Bhuvneshwar Kumar
14. Amit Mishra
15. Abhinav Mukund
16. Hardik Pandya

January 2017 – India 'A' team picked for a warm up match against Australia

1. Akhil Herwadkar
2. Priyank Panchal
3. Shreyas Iyer
4. Ankit Bawane
5. Rishab Pant
6. Ishan Kishan
7. Hardik Pandya (Captain)
8. Shahbaz Nadeem
9. K Gautham
10. Kuldeep Yadav
11. Navdeep Saini
12. Ashoke Dinda
13. Md. Siraj
14. Rahul Singh
15. Baba Indrajith

January 2017 – Indian team picked for first 2 Test Matches against Australia

1. M Vijay
2. K L Rahul
3. Cheteshwar Pujara
4. Virat Kohli (Captain)
5. Ajinkya Rahane
6. Wriddhiman Saha
7. R Ashwin
8. Ravindra Jadeja
9. Ishant Sharma
10. Bhuvneshwar Kumar
11. Umesh Yadav
12. Karun Nair
13. Jayant Yadav

14. Kuldeep Yadav
15. Abhinav Mukund
16. Hardik Pandya

March 2017 – Indian team picked for last 2 Test Matches against Australia

1. M Vijay
2. K L Rahul
3. Cheteshwar Pujara
4. Virat Kohli (Captain)
5. Ajinkya Rahane
6. Wriddhiman Saha
7. R Ashwin
8. Ravindra Jadeja
9. Ishant Sharma
10. Bhuvneshwar Kumar
11. Umesh Yadav
12. Karun Nair
13. Jayant Yadav
14. Kuldeep Yadav
15. Abhinav Mukund

March 2017 – India 'A' team picked for Emerging Asia Cup in Bangladesh

1. Abhimanyu Eshwaran
2. Prithvi Shaw
3. Shubman Gill
4. Baba Aparajith (Captain)
5. Hanuma Vihari
6. Virat Singh
7. Shivam Chowdhary
8. Ankush Bains
9. Rahul Chahar
10. Mayank Dagar
11. Amir Gani
12. Ashwin Christ
13. KR Shashikanth
14. Kamlesh Nagarkoti
15. Kanishk Seth

March 2017 – India 'A' and India 'B' teams picked for Deodhar Trophy
India 'A'

- Mandeep Singh
2. Shreyas Iyer
3. Ambati Rayudu
4. Manoj Tiwari
5. Rishab Pant
6. Deepak Hooda
7. Harbhajan Singh
8. Krunal Pandya

9. Shahbaz Nadeem
10. Siddharth Kaul
11. Shardul Thakur
12. Prasidh Krishna
13. Pankaj Rao
14. Ruturaj Gaikwad

India 'B'

1. Parthiv Patel (Captain)
2. Shikhar Dhawan
3. Manish Pandey
4. Mayank Agarwal
5. Ishank Jaggi
6. Gurkeerat Mann
7. Axar Patel
8. A K Karnewar
9. Ashoke Dinda
10. Kulwant Khejroliya
11. Dhawal Kulkarni
12. Govinda Poddar
13. Sreevats Goswami
14. C V Milind

INDIA U-19 AND OTHER TEAMS PICKED BY THE JUNIOR SELECTION COMMITTEE
November 2016 – India U-19 team picked for Youth Asia Cup played in Sri Lanka

1. Prithvi Shaw
2. Shubman Gill
3. Himanshu Rana
4. Salman Khan
5. Priyam Garg
6. Abhishek Sharma (Captain)
7. Harvik Desai
8. Yash Thakur
9. Ayush Jamwal
10. Rahul Chahar
11. Kamlesh Nagarkoti
12. Heramb Parab
13. Vivek Anand Tiwary
14. Het Patel
15. Shiva Singh


January 2017 – India U-19 boys picked for a fitness camp at NCA, Bengaluru

1. Himanshu Rana
2. Shubhman Gill
3. Nikin Jose
4. Rohan Kunnumal
5. B B Das
6. Priyam Garg
7. Salman Khan
8. Sanket Srivastava
9. S Radhakrishnan
10. Het Patel
11. Harvik Desai
12. Vasudev Patil
13. Swapnil Fulpagar
14. Abhishek Sharma
15. Anukul Roy
16. Rahul Chahar
17. Ayan Chaudhary
18. Bhagath Varma
19. Parth Rekhade
20. Heramb Parab
21. Kamlesh Nagarkoti
22. Yash Thakur
23. Vivek Ananad Tiwary
24. Shivam Mavi
25. Umesh K Yadav

January 2017 – India U-19 boys picked for a warm up match against England U-19

1. Sudip Kumar Garami
2. Manjot Kalra
3. S Radhakrishnan
4. Vasudev Patil
5. Anukul Roy (Captain)
6. Mayank Rawat
7. Akash Sengupta
8. Parth Rekhade
9. R Srivastava
10. Ishan Porel
11. Shivam Mavi

January 2017 – India U-19 boys picked for 5 One Day Series against England U-19

1. Prithvi Shaw
2. Himanshu Rana
3. Shubhman Gill
4. Abhishek Sharma
5. Priyam Garg
6. Salman Khan
7. Het Patel
8. Kamlesh Nagarkoti
9. Rahul Chahar

10. Shiva Singh
11. Yash Thakur
12. Heramb Parab
13. Vivek Anand Tiwary
14. Harvik Desai
15. Ayush Jamwal
16. Mayank Rawat
17. Rohan Kunumal
18. Ishan Porel

January 2017 – India U-19 boys picked for Test Match against England U-19

1. Abhishek Goswami
2. Rohan Kunnumal
3. Saurabh Singh
4. R I Thakur
5. Utkarsh Singh
6. Jonty Sidhu (Captain)
7. Daryl Ferrario
8. Siddharth Akre
9. S Lokeshwar
10. Mayank Markande
11. Sijomon Joseph
12. Harsh Tyagi
13. Rishabh Bhagath
14. Kanishk Seth
15. Vineet Panwar

June 2017 – India U-19 boys picked for tour of UK to play 2 Test Matches against England U-19

1. Prithvi Shaw
2. Shubhman Gill
3. Manjot Kalra
4. Himanshu Rana (Captain)
5. Ryan Parag
6. S Radhakrishnan
7. Harvik Desai
8. Het Patel
9. Bhagath Varma
10. Ashok Sandhu
11. Rahul Chahar
12. Kamlesh Nagarkoti
13. Shivam Mavi
14. Darshan Nalkande
15. Vivek Anand Tiwary

June 2017 – India U-19 boys picked for tour of UK to play 5 One Day Series against England U-19

1. Prithvi Shaw (Captain)
2. Shubhman Gill
3. Himanshu Rana
4. S Radhakrishnan
5. Salman Khan
6. Abhishek Sharma
7. Harvik Desai
8. Het Patel
9. Anukul Roy
10. Shiva Singh
11. Rahul Chahar
12. Kamlesh Nagarkoti
13. Shivam Mavi
14. Yash Thakur
15. Ishan Porel

INDIA WOMEN'S AND OTHER TEAMS PICKED BY THE WOMEN'S SELECTION COMMITTEE
October 2016 – Senior Women's Selection Committee met to pick India Red, India Blue and India Green team for Women's Challenger Trophy
India Red

1. Harmanpreet Kaur (Captain)
2. Smriti Mandhana
3. S Meghana
4. Devika Vaidya
5. Vanitha V R
6. Niranjana N
7. Jhulan Goswami
8. Sukanya Parida
9. Ekta Bisht
10. Rajeshwari Gayakwad
11. Mandeep Kaur
12. D Hemlata
13. Kalpana R

India Blue

1. Mithali Raj (Captain)
2. Poonam Raut
3. M D Thirush Kamini
4. Mona Meshram
5. Veda Krishnamurthy
6. Madhushmita Behara
7. Anuja Patil
8. Kavita Patil
9. Shikha Pandey
10. Mansi Joshi
11. Preeti Bose
12. Poonam Yadav
13. Shushma Verma

India Green

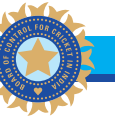
1. Deepti Sharma (Captain)
2. Tanushree Sarkar
3. Jemima Rodriguez
4. Manali Dakshini
5. E Padmaja
6. Radha Yadav
7. Pratyusha C
8. S I Gulia
9. Nuzhat Parween
10. Disha Kasat
11. Anusha N
12. Yashi Pandey
13. Sanjula Naik

November 2016 – India Women's team picked for the 3 ODI and 3 T20 Series against West Indies in Vijaywada
Indian Team for ODI Series

1. Mithali Raj (Captain)
2. Harmanpreet Kaur
3. Smriti Mandhana
4. M D Thirush Kamini
5. Mona Meshram
6. Veda Krishnamurthy
7. Devika Vaidya
8. Shushma Verma
9. Jhulan Goswami
10. Shikha Pandey
11. Sukanya Parida
12. Poonam Yadav
13. Ekta Bisht
14. Rajeshwari Gayakwad
15. Deepti Sharma

Indian Team for T20 Series

1. Harmanpreet Kaur (Captain)
2. Smriti Mandhana
3. Mithali Raj
4. S Meghana
5. Vanitha V R
6. Anuja Patil
7. Deepti Sharma
8. Nuzhat Parween
9. Ekta Bisht
10. Poonam Yadav
11. Preeti Bose
12. Veda Krishnamurthy
13. Jhulan Goswami
14. Shikha Pandey
15. Mansi Joshi


November 2016 – Indian Women's team picked for the ACC Women's Asia Cup at Thailand

1. Harmanpreet Kaur (Captain)
2. Smriti Mandhana
3. Mithali Raj
4. S Meghana
5. Vanith V R
6. Anuja Patil
7. Veda Krishnamurthy
8. Shushma Verma
9. Nuzhat Parween
10. Poonam Yadav
11. Ekta Bisht
12. Preeti Bose
13. Jhulan Goswami
14. Shikha Pandey
15. Mansi Joshi

February 2017 – India Women's probables picked for ICC Women's World Cup Qualifier played at Sri Lanka

1. Mithali Raj (Captain)
2. Harmanpreet Kaur
3. Smriti Mandhana
4. M D Thirush Kamini
5. Veda Krishnamurthy
6. Devika Vaidya
7. Sushma Verma
8. Ekta Bisht
9. Rajeshwari Gayakwad
10. Poonam Yadav
11. Jhulan Goswami
12. Shikha Pandey
13. Sukanya Parida
14. Mona Meshram
15. Deepti Sharma
16. Mansi Joshi
17. Nuzhat Parween
18. Neenu Chaudhary

February 2017 – Indian Women's team picked for the ICC World Cup Qualifier

1. Mithali Raj (Captain)
2. Harmanpreet Kaur
3. Smriti Mandhana
4. M D Thirush Kamini
5. Veda Krishnamurthy
6. Devika Vaidya
7. Sushma Verma
8. Jhulan Goswami
9. Shikha Pandey
10. Sukanya Parida

11. Poonam Yadav
12. Ekta Bisht
13. Rajeshwari Gayakwad
14. Deepti Sharma

March 2017 – Women's probables picked for fitness and training camp before Quadrangular Series in South Africa

1. Mithali Raj
2. Mona Meshram
3. M D Thirush Kamini
4. Devika Vaidya
5. Neena Chaudhary
6. Shikha Pandey
7. Sukanya Parida
8. Kavita Patil
9. Ekta Bisht
10. Poonam Yadav
11. Preeti Bose
12. Nuzhat Parween
13. S Meghana
14. Veda Krishnamurthy
15. Punam Raut
16. Deepti Sharma
17. Vanitha V R
18. Jhulan Goswami
19. Mansi Joshi
20. Soni Yadav
21. Manali Dakshini
22. Rajeshwari Gayakwad
23. Anuja Patil
24. Sushma Verma
25. Tania Bhatia

April 2017 – Indian Women's team picked for Quadrangular Series in South Africa

1. Mithali Raj (Captain)
2. Harmanpreet Kaur
3. Punam Raut
4. Deepti Sharma
5. Veda Krishnamurthy
6. Mona Meshram
7. Devika Vaidya
8. Jhulan Goswami
9. Shikha Pandey
10. Mansi Joshi
11. Ekta Bisht
12. Poonam Yadav
13. Rajeshwari Gayakwad
14. Sushma Verma
15. Nuzhat Parween

May 2017 – Indian Women's team picked for the ICC WWC 2017 at England

1. Mithali Raj (Captain)
2. Harmanpreet Kaur
3. Veda Krishnamurthy
4. Punam Raut
5. Smriti Mandhana
6. Mona Meshram
7. Deepti Sharma
8. Jhulan Goswami
9. Shikha Pandey
10. Ekta Bisht
11. Mansi Joshi
12. Rajeshwari Gayakwad
13. Poonam Yadav
14. Nuzhat Parween
15. Sushma Verma

August 2017 – Senior Women's Selection Committee selected players for the National Camp

1. Vanitha V R
2. S Meghana
3. Devika Vaidya
4. Anuja Patil
5. Tania Bhatia
6. Priyanka Priyadarshini
7. T P Kanwar
8. Gauhar Sultana
9. Pooja Vastrakar
10. Manali Dakshini
11. Soni Yadav
12. Jasia Akthar
13. M D Thirush Kamini
14. Jemimah Rodrigues
15. Neena Chaudhary
16. Nuzhat Parween
17. Kadimbini Mahakund
18. D Hemlata
19. Preeti Bose
20. Ananya Upendra
21. Kavita Patil
22. Meghna Singh
23. Sukanya Parida
24. H B Deol

SENIOR DOMESTIC CRICKET – MEN



Duleep Trophy Winners - India Blue

DULEEP TROPHY

The 2016-17 season's first domestic tournament was the Duleep Trophy played in Greater Noida from August 23 to September 14. The prestigious tournament was given a makeover as matches were a day-night affair and played with the pink ball for the first time.

The tournament contested by India Red, India Blue and India Green saw a host of marquee stars with Yuvraj Singh, Gautam Gambhir and Suresh Raina being named captains. The tournament generated a lot of interest as for the first time the pink ball was being used by the Board.

The tournament got off to a rousing start with as many as 17 wickets falling on the opening day of the first match between India Red and India Green. This was largely because of erratic shot-making rather than any demons that the pink ball carried. It was not all about seamers alone as Pragyan Ojha and Kuldeep Yadav picked three wickets each on the first day.

Abhinav Mukund and Sudip Chatterjee got centuries in the second innings and India Red won the first match by 219 runs. The second match was a drawn affair as rain played spoilsport with only 35 and 30 overs of play possible on Day 1 and Day 2 respectively. The third day saw only 16.2 overs getting bowled while no play was possible on the fourth day.

India Blue and India Red contested the final with India Blue securing a big 355 runs win. Opting to bat first, Cheteshwar Pujara's mammoth 256 not out and Sheldon Jackson's 134 took India Blue to 693/6 declared. In reply, India Red were bowled out for 356 with Stuart Binny making 98.

India Blue declared their second innings at 179-5, setting a target of 517 runs. Nothing changed much in the fourth innings for India Red as Ravindra Jadeja ran through the line-up taking 5/76. India Red were bowled out for 161 runs in 44.1 overs.

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
C Pujara	India Blue	2	3	1	453	256*	226.5	66.81	678	2	0	0	57	0
Mayank Agarwal	India Blue	3	5	0	420	161	84	60.78	691	1	1	3	51	2
Sheldon Jackson	India Blue	3	5	2	368	134	122.67	80.53	457	2	1	0	36	12
Gautam Gambhir	India Blue	3	5	0	356	94	71.2	56.51	630	0	3	1	40	0
Abhinav Mukund	India Red	3	4	1	248	169	82.67	71.68	346	1	1	0	32	0

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
Kuldeep Singh Yadav	India Red	3	5	119	12	474	17	27.88	3.98	42	460	64.43	1.55
Shreyas Gopal	India Green	2	4	78.4	5	365	14	26.07	4.64	33.71	295	62.5	1.6
Ravindrasinh A Jadeja	India Blue	1	2	52.1	11	171	10	17.1	3.28	31.3	238	76.04	1.32
Karn Sharma	India Blue	3	4	54.1	7	260	10	26	4.8	32.5	229	70.46	1.42
Pragyan Ojha	India Green	2	4	64.2	4	286	8	35.75	4.45	48.25	245	63.47	1.58



Ranji Trophy Winners - Gujarat

RANJI TROPHY

This tournament was started in the year 1934-35 and it is the premier national tournament. The first ever National Championship was played on knockout basis and result on first innings lead was to be decisive in case the match was not completed. The country was divided into 4 zones, North, West, East and South. 15 teams participated during the inaugural year.

Over the years this tournament has undergone changes in format, being played on league cum knockout basis, i.e. played on league, super league and knockout basis. In the 2002-03 season, BCCI decided to divide the 27 teams into 2 groups: 15 Teams in Elite Division and 12 Teams in Plate Division. Elite Division was sub-divided into 2 groups of 8 teams ('A' group) and 7 teams ('B' group) and the Plate Division consisted of 2 groups of 6 teams each. The matches were played on round robin league basis followed by knockout to decide the champion among the elite group teams.

In 2012-13 season, the Elite and Plate format was done away with and the 27 teams were divided into 3 groups A, B, and C consisting of 9 teams each. 3 teams each from the A and B group and 2 teams from the C group qualified for the knockout to decide the champion.

RANJI TROPHY WINNERS

TEAM	NO. OF WINS
Bombay/Mumbai	41
Karnataka	8
Delhi	7
Baroda	5
Holkar	4
Madras/Tamil Nadu	2
Bengal	2
Hyderabad	2
Maharashtra	2

TEAM	NO. OF WINS
Railways	2
Rajasthan	2
Haryana	1
Nawanagar	1
Punjab	1
Western India	1
Uttar Pradesh	1
Gujarat	1

POINTS POSITION AT THE END OF THE LEAGUE

GROUP A	POINTS	GROUP B	POINTS	GROUP C	POINTS
Mumbai	30	JSCA	39	Hyderabad	31
Gujarat	26	KSCA	37	Haryana	31
TNCA	26	Odisha	22		

Quarter Finals

MATCH	DATES	WINNER
Mumbai V/s Hyderabad	23-27 Dec 2016	Mumbai
TNCA V/s KSCA	23-27 Dec 2016	TNCA
Gujarat V/s Odisha	23-27 Dec 2016	Gujarat
Haryana V/s JSCA	23-27 Dec 2016	JSCA

Semi Finals

MATCH	DATES	WINNER
Mumbai V/s TNCA	01-05 Jan 2017	Mumbai
Gujarat V/s JSCA	01-05 Jan 2017	Gujarat

The Final was played between Mumbai and Gujarat in Gujarat on 10-14 Jan 2017. Gujarat won by 5 wickets.

India's premier domestic tournament, the Ranji Trophy 2016-17 kicked off from October 6, 2016. This edition of the tournament witnessed a sea change as for the first time ever, the competition was held at neutral venues. For the most coveted trophy in India's domestic calendar, 28 teams battled it out with Chhattisgarh making their debut under Mohammed Kaif's leadership.

Group A and Group B consisted of nine teams while Group C had 10 teams including Chhattisgarh.

Mumbai, Gujarat, Tamil Nadu from Group A and Jharkhand, Karnataka, Odisha from Group B qualified for the quarterfinals with Hyderabad and Haryana from Group C completing the line-up.

Mumbai, Tamil Nadu and Jharkhand registered outright victories while Gujarat earned a first innings lead against Odisha to make it to the final four.

The first semi-final was played between Tamil Nadu and Mumbai, where Ganga Sridhar Raju and Prithvi Shaw made their first-class debut. Prithvi went on to become the first player for Mumbai to score a century on debut in the Ranji Trophy since Amol Muzumdar did so in the 1993-94 tournament. Mumbai won the match by six wickets with Prithvi being declared Player of the Match.

In the second semi-final, Gujarat faced Jharkhand at Vidarbha Cricket Association Ground, Nagpur. Although Jharkhand managed to take a first innings lead, Jasprit Bumrah did the star turn for Gujarat as he claimed 6/29 to shoot Jharkhand out for just 111 in their second innings. A handsome 123 runs win helped Gujarat qualify for the final.

The big final was played at the Holkar Stadium, Indore from 10-14 January 2017. Winning the toss and opting to bowl first, Mumbai were bowled out for 228 in 83.5 with Prithvi once again the top-scorer (71). Captain Parthiv Patel's 90 took Gujarat to 328, giving them a lead of 100 runs.



In their second essay, Mumbai made 411 with Gujarat's Chintan Gaja taking 6/121. Gunning for their first-ever Ranji Trophy title, Gujarat were set a target of 312 runs. At Stumps on Day 4, Gujarat were 47/0 and needed 265 on the final day. Two wickets fell in quick succession on the fifth day morning session and it looked like Gujarat would succumb under pressure.

Marathon man Parthiv once again put his hand up and bailed his team out with a fantastic century. In what may be termed as his most-important domestic knock, Parthiv made 143 off 196 balls that helped Gujarat chase down the target. This was the highest successful run-chase in the final of the Ranji Trophy and Gujarat's long wait to win the Ranji Trophy finally ended.

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
P K Panchal	Gujarat	10	17	2	1310	314*	87.33	54.61	2399	5	1	4	171	3
N R Saini	Haryana	10	18	2	989	227	61.81	52.86	1871	4	1	2	125	3
P S Chopra	Himachal	9	17	0	986	237	58	85.89	1148	3	0	4	135	20
Rishabh Pant	Delhi	8	11	0	972	308	88.36	107.40	905	4	1	2	103	49
Rahul Singh Gahlaut	Services	9	15	2	945	182	72.69	61.85	1528	2	2	7	125	9

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
Shahbaz Nadeem	Jharkhand	10	19	494	101	1434	56	25.61	2.9	52.93	2264	76.38	1.31
A A Sanklecha	Maharashtra	8	13	259	65	696	43	16.19	2.69	36.14	1233	79.34	1.26
Shadab Jakati	Goa	9	16	344	67	1031	41	25.15	3	50.34	1555	75.34	1.33
Pankaj Singh	Rajasthan	8	15	275.4	65	905	41	22.07	3.28	40.34	1276	77.15	1.3
Md Siraj	Hyderabad	9	17	270.3	75	776	41	18.93	2.87	39.59	1262	77.76	1.29



Z R Irani Cup Winners - Rest of India XI

Z R IRANI CUP

This Cup was instituted in the year 1959-60.

The idea of a fixture between the Ranji Trophy Champions and the Rest of India was first mooted in 1941-42.

A five-day match played annually between the Ranji Trophy Champions of the preceding year and Rest of India team, the tournament started in 1959-60 and was played at the end of the season. At some point of time, this tournament was played as the season opener. Now the Irani Cup match is played immediately after the end of the Ranji Trophy tournament.

The teams that have won the Z R Irani Cup are as under:

Z R IRANI CUP WINNERS

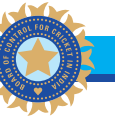
TEAM	NO. OF WINS
Rest of India	27
Bombay	15
Delhi	2
Haryana	1
Hyderabad	1
Karnataka	6
Railways	2
Tamil Nadu	1

The Final was played between Gujarat and Rest of India XI in Mumbai. Rest of India XI won by 6 wickets.

The 2017 Irani Cup was played between Ranji Champions Gujarat and Rest of India. Staged at the Brabourne stadium in Mumbai, Gujarat won the toss and elected to bat first.

Gujarat amassed 358 in their first innings with Chirag Gandhi notching up 169 in the 1st innings. For Rest of India though, pacers Siddarth Kaul and Pankaj Singh picked up 9 wickets between them with Kaul ending up with a fifer. Rest of India's reply was dismal as they were bundled out for 226. Only Cheteshwar Pujara's contribution was noteworthy – with a score of 86 in the first essay.

The advantage tilted towards Gujarat at this stage, but that was not to be. Rest of India put up a stellar bowling performance and cleaned up the Ranji champions for 246 setting a target of 379. Wriddhiman Saha's mammoth unbeaten 203 and Cheteshwar Pujara's sedate 116 helped Rest of India cruise to a six-wicket win. Wicket-keeper batsman Saha was adjudged the Man of the Match for his double ton and Rest of India were crowned Irani Cup champions of 2017.



Vijay Hazare Trophy Winners - TNCA

VIJAY HAZARE TROPHY

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This tournament was started in the year 1993-94. It was played among Senior Men's teams from 2009-10 on zonal basis and the top 2 teams from each zone qualified for the all India knockout.

The format was changed in the 2015-16 season. The 27 teams participating in the Vijay Hazare Trophy are divided into 4 groups as under and the matches are played on round robin league basis in each group. Top 2 teams in each group qualify for the knockout to decide the champion. The matches are played in coloured clothing using white ball.

Group A - 7 Teams Group B - 7 Teams Group C - 7 Teams Group D - 6 Teams

The Tournament was played in four Groups A, B, C, D			
Teams Qualified			
GROUP A		GROUP B	
Vidarbha	20	TNCA	20
Baroda	16	Maharashtra	20
GROUP C		GROUP D	
Bengal	20	KSCA	24
Gujarat	16	JSCA	16
The All India Knock out was played at Delhi			

Semi Final		
MATCH	DATES	WINNER
Baroda V/s TNCA	16-03-2017	TNCA
JSCA V/s Bengal	16-03-2017	Bengal

The Final was played between TNCA and Bengal 18 Mar 2017. TNCA won by 37 runs.

Tamil Nadu claimed the Vijay Hazare Trophy for the fifth time with a 37-run win over Bengal at the Feroz Shah Kotla Stadium in the 2016-17 season.

Powered by Dinesh Karthik's determined century, Tamil Nadu set the opposition a 218-run target even as the Ashoke Dinda-led attack put-up a disciplined performance to keep the line-up in check. The Tamil Nadu attack, complemented by good fielding, then bowled Bengal out for 180 to clinch victory.

After Vijay Shankar elected to bat, Dinda claimed three of the top five Tamil Nadu batsmen in his longish first spell while Mohammed Shami, who was in the team for Syan Gosh, accounted for Baba Aparajith to leave the side on 49 for four in the 11th over.

However, Dinesh continued to fight back and played some crisp shots as he found the gaps to keep the scoreboard ticking. He was complemented by Baba Indrajith in rebuilding the wobbly innings. The pair put together 85 runs for the fifth wicket until Indrajith was run out. With a modest total on the board and the early strikes, Bengal were on the backfoot after losing four wickets for just 68 runs. Bengal continued to lose wickets and fell short by 37 runs.

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
Dinesh Karthik	Tamil Nadu	9	9	2	607	118	86.71	102.02	595	2	3	4	75	6
A R Easwaran	Bengal	9	9	1	472	127	59	80.55	586	2	1	2	43	4
R D Gaikwad	Maharashtra	7	7	0	444	132	63.43	92.89	478	1	2	3	50	12
Manoj Tiwary	Bengal	9	9	2	378	116*	54	89.57	422	1	1	2	33	7
K M Jadhav	Maharashtra	7	7	0	375	113	53.57	136.36	275	1	0	2	43	17

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
Aswin Crist	Tamil Nadu	9	9	69.1	5	353	20	17.65	5.1	20.75	255	61.45	1.63
K D Patel	Saurashtra	6	6	58.1	1	258	17	15.18	4.44	20.53	194	55.59	1.8
Rahil Shah	Tamil Nadu	9	9	72	3	294	16	18.38	4.08	27	239	55.32	1.81
A K Sarkar	Tripura	6	6	55	8	237	16	14.81	4.31	20.63	213	64.55	1.55
Shardul	Mumbai	6	6	49.1	1	236	16	14.75	4.8	18.44	176	59.66	1.68



Prof D B Deodhar Trophy Winners - TNCA

PROF D B DEODHAR TROPHY

Prof D B Deodhar Trophy was introduced in 1973-74 and was played as a 60-over tournament until 1980-81 when it was reduced to a 50-over a side tournament played between the zonal teams. It was played between teams representing each of the 5 zones on league basis until 2007-2008 season, and later it was converted into a knockout format in 2008-09.

In the 2015-16 season the tournament was played between the winner of Vijay Hazare Trophy and 2 teams picked by the National Selection Committee.

The teams that have won the Prof D B Deodhar Trophy are as under:

DEODHAR TROPHY WINNERS

TEAM	NO. OF WINS
West Zone	13
South Zone	8
Central Zone	5
North Zone	14
East Zone	5
India 'A'	1

This year the tournament was played between the winner of Vijay Hazare Trophy (TNCA) and India 'A' and India 'B' teams. The match results are as under:

TEAMS	RESULTS
India 'A' V/s India 'B'	India 'B' won by 23 runs
TNCA V/s India 'B'	India 'B' won by 32 runs
India 'A' V/s TNCA	TNCA won by 73 runs

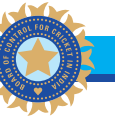
The Final was played between TNCA and India 'B'. TNCA won by 42 runs.

The 2016-17 edition of the prestigious one-day tournament was held in Visakhapatnam from 25 to 29 March 2017. The competition was played between India A, India B and Tamil Nadu, the winners of the Vijay Hazare Trophy. The teams were led by Harbhajan Singh, Parthiv Patel and Vijay Shankar respectively.

Tamil Nadu continued their excellent performance throughout the season and once again prevailed in the final over India B. Their captain Dinesh Karthik once again played a stellar knock to guide the team to yet another championship win. Lifting the Deodhar also completed Tamil Nadu's trophy collection having already won the major domestic crowns such as Ranji Trophy, Vijay Hazare, Irani and Syed Mushtaq Ali in the past.

Karthik's ton (126 off 91 balls) helped Tamil Nadu notch up 303/9 in 50 overs. In reply, India B could manage only 261. Shikhar Dhawan scored 45 for them while Gurkeerat Mann hit 64 to be their top-scorer. Rahil Shah took the three crucial wickets of Shikhar Dhawan, Manish Pandey and Gurkeerat Singh Mann and ensured the advantage firmly stayed with Tamil Nadu.

Dinesh Karthik was declared Player of the Match.



Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy Winners - East Zone

SYED MUSHTAQ ALI TROPHY

This is a Twenty20 Tournament started in 2006-2007. The Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy was played on inter-state basis in each of the zones and top 2 teams from each zone qualified for the all India league cum knockout.

The format of the Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy was changed from the 2015-16 season. The 27 teams participating in the Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy were divided into 4 groups as under:

Group A - 7 Teams Group B - 7 Teams Group C - 7 Teams Group D - 6 Teams

The matches were played on round robin league basis and top 2 teams from each group qualified for the league cum knock out to decide the champion. The matches were played with coloured clothing and white ball.

ZONE	TEAMS	ZONE	POINTS
North Zone	Delhi, J&K	East Zone	16
South Zone	KSCA, TNCA	Central Zone	12
East Zone	Bengal, Assam	South Zone	4
West Zone	Mumbai, Baroda	West Zone	4
Central Zone	MPCA, Rajasthan	North Zone	4

East Zone won the Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy.

The eight edition of the Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy was played on an inter-zonal format wherein five zones competed in a round-robin tournament. The tournament was held between 12–18 February 2017 and all matches were played in Mumbai. The zonal tournaments were hosted in Baroda (West), Chennai (South), Dharamsala (North), Jaipur (Central) and Kolkata (East).

Naman Ojha, Manoj Tiwary, Harbhajan Singh, Vinay Kumar and Parthiv Patel were named captains of Central Zone, East Zone, North Zone, South Zone and West Zone respectively.

East Zone won the tournament on the basis of most wins. East Zone ended their tournament with a spotless record, winning all four of their matches to finish with 16 points, four ahead of second-placed Central Zone.

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
Tanmay Agarwal	Hyderabad	5	5	0	250	91	50	162.34	154	0	2	2	32	5
A R Bawane	Maharashtra	4	4	1	235	90*	78.33	129.83	181	0	1	3	24	7
Mahesh Rawat	Railways	5	5	2	222	63*	74	137.89	161	0	0	3	24	4
Vishnu Vinod	Kerala	5	5	0	218	64	43.6	165.15	132	0	0	2	18	14
Shreevats Goswami	Bengal	4	4	1	202	81	67.33	127.85	158	0	1	2	26	2

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
Ankit Rajpoot	Uttar Pradesh	5	5	19	0	138	14	9.86	7.26	8.14	49	42.98	2.33
Umar Nazir	J & K	5	5	19.4	1	90	11	8.18	4.58	10.73	74	62.71	1.59
Amit Mishra	Railways	5	5	17	0	100	10	10	5.88	10.2	55	53.92	1.85
Manpreet Singh Grewal	Punjab	5	5	20	0	124	10	12.4	6.2	12	74	61.67	1.62
Puneet Datey	Madhya Pradesh	5	5	18	0	120	10	12	6.67	10.8	47	43.52	2.3



JUNIOR DOMESTIC CRICKET – MEN



Col C K Nayudu Trophy Winners - Punjab

COL C K NAYUDU TROPHY (U-23)

This tournament was started in 1974-75. It is played on multi-day basis in the Under-23 age group between the respective Associations. The teams are divided into 2 groups:

15 teams play in the Elite Division

12 teams play in the Plate Division

The teams which qualified at the end of the League:

Elite Division	
GROUP A	POINTS
Gujarat	13
Baroda	10
GROUP B	POINTS
Punjab	16
Andhra	16
GROUP C	POINTS
Kerala	16
Vidarbha	13

Plate Division	
GROUP A	POINTS
UPCA	26
Haryana	21
GROUP B	POINTS
KSCA	27
HPCA	26

Elite Group Knockout		
MATCH	PERIOD	WINNER
Quarter Finals		
Punjab V/s Haryana	10-13 Feb 2017	Punjab
Baroda V/s Vidarbha	10-13 Feb 2017	Vidarbha
Andhra V/s HPCA	10-13 Feb 2017	Andhra
Kerala V/s Gujarat	10-13 Feb 2017	Gujarat
Semi Finals		
Punjab V/s Vidarbha	19-22 Feb 2017	Punjab
Andhra V/s Gujarat	19-22 Feb 2017	Andhra
Final		
Punjab V/s Andhra	09 Mar 2017	Punjab

Punjab won by 101 runs

BATTING

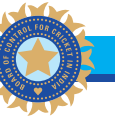
Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
E C Sen	Himachal	7	12	1	618	108	56.18	69.28	892	1	3	4	76	9
Salman Nizar	Kerala	5	10	2	573	148	71.63	53.85	1064	2	1	3	60	9
P S Khanduri	Himachal	7	12	1	537	113	48.82	65.33	822	1	2	4	73	0
Sumit Kumar	Jharkhand	4	5	0	535	178	107	63.69	840	2	2	3	70	5
Rahul V Shah	Gujarat	6	10	2	528	96	66	51.31	1029	0	3	5	60	4

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
Karan Kaila	Punjab	7	12	296.5	99	601	47	12.79	2.02	37.89	1479	83.04	1.2
A A Bama	Haryana	7	12	406.1	166	741	35	21.17	1.82	69.63	2086	85.6	1.17
Suchith J	Karnataka	6	12	144.4	31	471	35	13.46	3.26	24.8	666	76.73	1.3
R K Choudhury	Vidarbha	6	10	244.5	50	805	34	23.68	3.29	43.21	1093	74.4	1.34
K V Sasikanth	Andhra	7	13	198	62	491	34	14.44	2.48	34.94	962	80.98	1.23

Plate Group Knockout		
MATCH	PERIOD	WINNER
Semi Finals		
HPCA V/s UPCA	01-04 Feb 2017	HPCA
Haryana V/s KSCA	01-04 Feb 2017	Haryana
Third Place		
UPCA V/s KSCA	19-22 Feb 2017	KSCA

**SCA, MPCA & Hyderabad relegated to Plate Group
Haryana, HPCA & KSCA promoted to Elite Group**



Cooch Behar Trophy (U-19) Winners - Bengal

COOCH BEHAR TROPHY (U-19)

This tournament was started in 1945-46 for the under-19 age group and was played as multi-day game in the zonal league format with top 2 teams qualifying for the all India knockout.

Later the format was changed to make it similar to Ranji Trophy. The teams were divided into Elite and Plate groups and they played each other in the group on round robin league basis followed by knockout matches to decide the champion.

In 2014-15, the format was changed and the teams were divided into 4 groups and the matches were played on round robin league basis followed by knockout to decide the champion. The league matches as well as the knockout matches were of 4-day duration.

Group A - 7 Teams Group B - 7 Teams Group C - 7 Teams Group D - 6 Teams

Teams Qualified							
GROUP A	POINTS	GROUP B	POINTS	GROUP C	POINTS	GROUP D	POINTS
Assam	33	DDCA	26	Baroda	28	JSCA	29
HPCA	24	Bengal	24	Punjab	27	MPCA	29

Group Knockout					
Quarter Finals			Semi Finals		
MATCH	PERIOD	WINNER	MATCH	PERIOD	WINNER
Assam V/s JSCA	02-05 Jan 2017	Assam	Assam V/s Bengal	11-14 Jan 2017	Bengal
Bengal V/s Punjab	02-05 Jan 2017	Bengal	HPCA V/s DDCA	11-14 Jan 2017	DDCA
HPCA V/s Baroda	02-05 Jan 2017	HPCA	The Final was played between DDCA and Bengal on 19-22 Jan 2017. Bengal won by 1st innings lead.		
MPCA V/s DDCA	02-05 Jan 2017	DDCA			

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
Jonty Sidhu	Delhi	9	15	2	874	200	67.23	59.09	1479	2	3	5	88	13
Manjot Kalra	Delhi	9	16	1	742	203	49.47	73.61	1008	1	0	6	109	10
Riyan Parag	Assam	8	14	2	642	202*	53.5	62.70	1024	2	0	2	99	7
H J Rana	Haryana	4	8	1	632	158	90.29	78.80	802	4	0	0	76	4
Mayank Rawat	Delhi	9	15	3	626	137*	52.17	76.25	821	1	2	4	63	29

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
Rahul Singh	Assam	8	15	274.1	96	565	54	10.46	2.06	30.46	1376	83.65	1.2
Ayan B Chaudhari	Jharkhand	7	13	275.5	109	479	45	10.64	1.74	36.78	1420	85.8	1.17
Harsh Tyagi	Delhi	7	12	278.4	92	586	45	13.02	2.1	37.16	1388	83.01	1.2
Sijomon Joseph	Kerala	6	11	263.1	93	605	41	14.76	2.3	38.51	1312	83.09	1.2
Sandipan Das	Bengal	8	14	271.1	73	707	36	19.64	2.61	45.19	1272	78.18	1.28

VINOO MANKAD TROPHY UNDER-19 ZONAL INTER STATE ONE DAY LIMITED OVERS

This tournament was started in 1995-96. The tournament is played on league basis between teams representing the 5 zones. The Zonal Selection Committee of each zone selects the players to participate in the tournament.

ZONE	TEAMS
North	Punjab 14, Delhi 14
South	Kerala 14, TNCA 14
East	JSCA 16, Bengal 12
West	Mumbai 14, Gujarat 08
Central	UPCA 20, VCA 16

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
S F Khan	Team Rajasthan	5	5	2	354	137*	118	86.76	408	2	0	1	36	1
Prithvi Shaw	Mumbai	3	3	0	277	113	92.33	110.80	250	2	0	1	31	4
S J Nikin Jose	Karnataka	5	5	1	272	90	68	69.57	391	0	1	3	17	1
Rohan S Kunnummal	Kerala	4	4	0	269	162	67.25	104.26	258	1	0	1	32	4
Priyam Garg	Uttar Pradesh	5	5	1	233	96	58.25	85.98	271	0	2	2	21	6

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
Shiva Singh	Uttar Pradesh	5	5	49.4	5	155	17	9.12	3.12	17.53	200	67.11	1.49
R D Chahar	Team Rajasthan	5	5	38.2	3	131	15	8.73	3.42	15.33	159	69.13	1.45
Rahul Singh	Assam	5	5	34.1	10	82	13	6.31	2.4	15.77	151	73.66	1.36
Pradipta Pramanik	Bengal	4	4	32.4	6	94	13	7.23	2.88	15.08	140	71.43	1.4
Y R Thakur	Vidarbha	5	5	41.5	4	171	12	14.25	4.09	20.92	144	57.37	1.74



Vinoo Mankad (U-19) Inter Zonal Winners - Central Zone

VINOO MANKAD TROPHY UNDER-19 INTER ZONAL ONE DAY LIMITED OVERS

The matches were played at HPCA.

ZONE	POINTS
Central Zone	12
West Zone	12
North Zone	8
South Zone	8
East Zone	0

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
Rohan S Kunnummal	South Zone	4	4	0	253	128	63.25	97.68	259	1	0	1	33	2
Shubman Gill	North Zone	4	4	1	246	153*	82	93.18	264	1	0	0	33	2
J K Singh	West Zone	4	4	0	237	84	59.25	91.86	258	0	1	3	31	2
Prithvi Shaw	West Zone	4	4	0	232	126	58	128.18	181	1	0	1	41	1
Priyam Garg	Central Zone	4	3	1	195	100*	97.5	89.86	217	1	0	1	14	3

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
K I Nagarkoti	Central Zone	4	4	36.1	5	150	11	13.64	4.15	19.73	146	67.28	1.49
S K K Ahmed	Central Zone	4	4	34	6	152	9	16.89	4.47	22.67	143	70.1	1.43
I A Sayed	West Zone	4	4	38	1	236	8	29.5	6.21	28.5	122	53.51	1.87
R D Chahar	Central Zone	3	3	28	3	104	8	13	3.71	21	108	64.29	1.56
A Nagwaswalla	West Zone	4	4	40	6	180	7	25.71	4.5	34.29	152	63.33	1.58



Challenger Trophy (U-19) Winners - India Red

CHALLENGER TROPHY U-19

This tournament was started in 2015-16. It is played on league basis between the three teams picked by the National Selection Committee, viz. India Blue, India Red and India Green.

TEAMS	RESULTS
India Red V/s India Blue	India Blue won by 19 runs
India Green V/s India Red	India Red won by 3 wickets
India Blue V/s India Green	India Green won by 7 wickets

The Final was played between India Red and India Green.

India Red won by 9 wickets.



Vijay Merchant Trophy Winners - Vidarbha

VIJAY MERCHANT TROPHY U-16

This tournament was started in 1979-80. It is played in each of the 5 zones on round robin league basis. Top 2 teams qualify for the all India knockout. All the league matches are of 3-day duration and all knockout matches are of 4-day duration.

Teams which qualified for the Knockout:

ZONE	TEAMS
North Zone	Punjab 19, Haryana 17
South Zone	Hyderabad 25, KSCA 15
East Zone	Bengal 29, JSCA 23
West Zone	Mumbai 15, Gujarat 11
Central Zone	UPCA 18, VCA 18

All the knockout matches were played in Bengaluru.

MATCH	PERIOD	WINNER
Pre Quarter Finals		
Hyderabad V/s Gujarat	03-06 Jan 2017	Hyderabad
Vidarbha V/s KSCA	03-06 Jan 2017	Vidarbha
Quarter Finals		
UPCA V/s JSCA	09-12 Jan 2017	UPCA
Haryana V/s Bengal	09-12 Jan 2017	Bengal
Punjab V/s Hyderabad	14-17 Jan 2017	Hyderabad
Vidarbha V/s Mumbai	14-17 Jan 2017	Vidarbha

MATCH	PERIOD	WINNER
Semi Finals		
Hyderabad V/s UPCA	20-23 Jan 2017	UPCA
Bengal V/s Vidarbha	20-23 Jan 2017	Vidarbha

The Final was played between UPCA and Vidarbha on 26-29 Jan 2017. Vidarbha won by 171 runs.

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
Tilak Varma	Hyderabad	8	12	2	960	202*	96	44.47	2159	5	1	2	123	7
A Mokhade	Vidarbha	8	13	1	526	101*	43.83	38.68	1360	2	1	2	73	0
Dibya Majumder	Bengal	7	10	2	520	131	65	38.52	1350	3	1	1	57	0
Sayan Kumar Biswas	Bengal	7	11	2	518	201	57.56	41.08	1261	1	1	2	75	0
Varun Lavande	Mumbai	5	7	0	506	133	72.29	66.06	766	1	3	4	73	9

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
Rohit Dattatraya	Vidarbha	8	14	326.2	81	902	61	14.79	2.76	32.1	1513	77.27	1.29
Kartik Tyagi	Uttar Pradesh	7	13	256.2	71	601	50	12.02	2.34	30.76	1260	81.92	1.22
Pankaj Yadav	Jharkhand	6	12	271.5	85	677	45	15.04	2.49	36.24	1331	81.61	1.23
Shubhang Hegde	Karnataka	6	12	308.1	134	532	43	12.37	1.73	43	1590	85.99	1.16
Prayas Ray Barman	Bengal	7	14	276.4	108	484	41	11.8	1.75	40.49	1426	85.9	1.16



Vizzy Trophy Winners - North Zone

VIZZY TROPHY – UNIVERSITY CRICKET

This tournament was started in 1979-80 to promote university cricket. It is played between the 4 zonal university teams (North, South, West and East) as multi-day games on knockout basis. The zonal university teams are selected on the basis of the performance in the Inter University Championship for Rohinton Baria Trophy conducted by the All India Universities Board.

All the matches were played in Mumbai this year.

TEAMS	DATE	RESULT
North Zone V/s South Zone	29-31 Mar 2017	North won
West Zone V/s East Zone	29-31 Mar 2017	West won
West Zone V/s North Zone	3-6 Apr 2017	North won

North Zone won on 1st innings lead.



SENIOR DOMESTIC CRICKET – WOMEN



Women's Challenger Trophy Winners - India Red

WOMEN'S CHALLENGER TROPHY

The Tournament was first played in 2008. Three teams are selected by the National Selectors and the Tournament is played on round robin league basis.

This year the tournament was played in Baroda.

MATCH	DATE	WINNER
India Red V/s India Blue	22 Oct 2016	India Blue won by 1 wicket
India Green V/s India Red	23 Oct 2016	India Red won by 6 wickets
India Blue V/s India Green	24 Oct 2016	India Blue won by 21 runs

The Final was played between India Blue and India Red on 30 Oct 2016.

India Red won by 7 wickets.



One Day Limited Overs Tournament Elite Group Winners - RSPB



One Day Limited Overs Tournament Plate Group Winners - HPCA

ONE DAY LIMITED OVERS TOURNAMENT

This tournament was started in 2006. It was played between the members in each of the 5 zones on round robin league basis followed by knockout. The format was changed from 2013-14 onwards.

The teams are divided into 2 Divisions:

10 Teams in Elite Division

Remaining Teams in Plate Division

ELITE DIVISION			
GROUP A	POINTS	GROUP B	POINTS
Maharashtra	16	MPCA	12
Delhi	8	RSPB	10
Top two teams from each group qualified for the Super League stage			

ELITE SUPER LEAGUE	
TEAM	POINTS
RSPB	12
Maharashtra	4
MPCA	4
DDCA	4

RSPB won the Elite Super League with 12 points.



The Plate Division is divided into 3 groups A, B and C.

PLATE A	POINTS	PLATE B	POINTS	PLATE C	POINTS
Kerala	16	Odisha	12	HPCA	14
KSCA	12	UPCA	12	Haryana	14

Top two teams from each group qualified for the Plate Division Knockout stage

ROUND	MATCH	VENUE	DATE	WINNER
Quarter Final	Odisha V/s KSCA	Baroda	15 Oct 2016	KSCA
Quarter Final	Haryana V/s UPCA	Baroda	15 Oct 2016	UPCA
Semi Final	HPCA V/s KSCA	Baroda	17 Oct 2016	HPCA
Semi Final	UPCA V/s Kerala	Baroda	17 Oct 2016	UPCA

The Final was played between HPCA and UPCA in Baroda on 19 Oct 2016.

HPCA won by 48 runs.

STATISTICS – COMBINED FOR ELITE AND PLATE DIVISIONS

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
N M Chaudhary	Himachal	7	7	2	348	103*	69.6	63.85	545	1	2	2	31	0
S S Mandhana	Maharashtra	7	7	1	226	74	37.67	85.93	263	0	0	2	36	2
Mona	Vidarbha	5	5	1	225	71*	56.25	58.29	386	0	0	3	23	1
Vanitha V R	Karnataka	7	6	0	214	70	35.67	96.83	221	0	0	2	23	6
Neha R Tanwar	Delhi	5	5	2	201	74	67	59.12	340	0	0	2	23	0

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
T P Kanwer	Himachal	7	7	68	21	133	17	7.82	1.96	24	345	84.56	1.18
Shivangi Raj	Uttar Pradesh	5	5	45	17	70	14	5	1.56	19.29	223	82.59	1.21
Ekta Bisht	Railways	5	5	37.5	16	67	13	5.15	1.77	17.46	191	84.14	1.19
Poonam Yadav	Railways	5	5	38	7	114	13	8.77	3	17.54	166	72.81	1.37
Sahana S Pawar	Karnataka	7	7	59.4	10	129	13	9.92	2.16	27.54	284	79.33	1.26



Sr. Women's T20 Championship Elite Super League Winners - RSPB



Sr. Women's T20 Championship Plate Division Winners - DDCA

TWENTY20 CHAMPIONSHIP

This Tournament was started in 2009 and was played in each zone between the members on round robin league basis followed by knockout matches to decide the champion. From 2014-15 season, the tournament format was changed as under:

10 Teams in Elite Division

Remaining Teams in Plate Division

ELITE DIVISION			
GROUP A	POINTS	GROUP B	POINTS
RSPB	16	MPCA	16
Bengal	12	Hyderabad	12

Top two teams from each group qualified for the Elite Super League

ELITE SUPER LEAGUE	
TEAMS	POINTS
RSPB	12
Hyderabad	4
Bengal	4
MPCA	4

RSPB won the Elite Super League with 12 points.



The Plate Division is divided into 3 groups A, B and C.

PLATE A	POINTS	PLATE B	POINTS	PLATE C	POINTS
DDCA	20	KSCA	12	Vidarbha	16
Haryana	12	Baroda	12	Saurashtra	16

Top two teams from each group qualified for the Plate Division Knockout stage

ROUND	MATCH	DATE	VENUE	WINNER
Quarter Final	Haryana V/s Baroda	11 Jan 2017	Nagpur	Baroda
Quarter Final	KSCA V/s Saurashtra	11 Jan 2017	Nagpur	KSCA
Semi Final	Vidarbha V/s Baroda	13 Jan 2017	Nagpur	Baroda
Semi Final	KSCA V/s DDCA	13 Jan 2017	Nagpur	DDCA

The Final was played between Baroda and DDCA in Nagpur on 15 Jan 2017.

DDCA won by 5 runs.

STATISTICS – COMBINED FOR ELITE AND PLATE DIVISIONS

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
Mithali	Railways	7	6	4	311	100*	155.5	113.50	274	1	1	2	40	3
Punam Raut	Railways	7	7	3	274	75*	68.5	121.24	226	0	1	3	30	9
Mona	Vidarbha	6	6	2	265	75*	66.25	109.96	241	0	1	2	32	2
M Jadeja	Saurashtra	6	6	4	246	45*	123	86.32	285	0	0	0	17	1
Latika Kumari	Delhi	7	7	2	245	59*	49	115.02	213	0	0	2	40	0

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
Nidhi Buley	Madhya Pradesh	7	7	27.5	0	144	18	8	5.17	9.28	83	49.7	2.01
R B Dabhi	Saurashtra	6	6	23.4	1	89	13	6.85	3.76	10.92	86	60.56	1.65
Reema Malhotra	Delhi	7	7	18.3	0	103	13	7.92	5.57	8.54	42	37.84	2.64
Babita Negi	Delhi	7	7	23.5	1	105	12	8.75	4.41	11.92	71	49.65	2.01
Ashwani Kumari	Jharkhand	5	5	18	1	88	12	7.33	4.89	9	63	58.33	1.71

INTER ZONAL LEAGUE – THREE DAY FORMAT

In 2006, BCCI started a multi-day (2-day) game for women, which was played between the 5 zonal teams. In 2015-16, this tournament was converted into a 3-day game on league basis.

The matches of the Inter Zonal Women's tournament were held at Bhilai on league basis.

ZONE	POINTS
Central Zone	19
West Zone	12
North Zone	9
East Zone	7
South Zone	3

JUNIOR DOMESTIC CRICKET – WOMEN



One Day League (U-23) Inter Zonal Winners - West Zone

ONE DAY LEAGUE (UNDER-23)

This tournament was started in the year 2015-16 and is played in the one day limited overs format on league basis within the 5 zones. This is followed by the inter zonal tournament to decide the champion.

League

ZONE	TEAMS
North Zone	HPCA 12, Haryana 12
South Zone	Andhra 20, Kerala 12
East Zone	Bengal 12, JSCA 08
West Zone	Mumbai 12, Baroda 12
Central Zone	MPCA 20, RSPB 16

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
D Hemalatha	Tamil Nadu	4	4	1	410	152	136.67	96.02	427	2	2	2	55	3
N S Chauhan	Himachal	4	4	1	362	213*	120.67	95.01	381	1	0	2	49	4
S M Khatri	Haryana	4	4	3	263	102*	263	56.68	464	1	0	2	24	0
N Anusha	Andhra	5	5	2	254	102*	84.67	62.72	405	1	0	1	29	0
T S Hasabnis	Maharashtra	4	4	1	227	92	75.67	71.84	316	0	1	3	27	0

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
T P Kanwer	Himachal	4	4	35.1	6	92	15	6.13	2.62	14.07	170	80.57	1.24
C H Jhansi Lakshmi	Andhra	5	5	44	10	100	12	8.33	2.27	22	208	78.79	1.27
Radha P Yadav	Baroda	4	4	38	14	83	11	7.55	2.18	20.73	178	78.07	1.28
Aneena Mathews	Kerala	5	5	49	8	132	11	12	2.69	26.73	220	74.83	1.34
Minnu Mani	Kerala	5	5	43.1	4	141	11	12.82	3.27	23.55	189	72.97	1.37

Inter Zonal

ZONE	POINTS
South Zone	12
West Zone	8
Central Zone	8
East Zone	8
North Zone	4

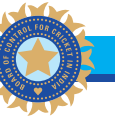
South Zone won the championship.

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
Taniya Bhatia	North Zone	4	4	1	209	85*	69.67	77.70	269	0	1	3	22	0
Y H Bhatia	West Zone	4	4	1	209	94*	69.67	68.30	306	0	2	2	25	0
S Meghana	South Zone	3	3	0	195	125	65	97.01	201	1	0	1	32	0
H B Deol	North Zone	4	4	0	183	88	45.75	53.98	339	0	2	2	22	0
D Hemalatha	South Zone	4	4	0	171	94	42.75	73.08	234	0	1	2	17	1

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
Devayani Prasad	East Zone	4	4	38.4	3	140	12	11.67	3.62	19.33	144	62.07	1.61
Sanjula Naik	South Zone	2	2	11	2	35	8	4.38	3.18	8.25	46	69.7	1.43
C Prathyusha	South Zone	4	4	36	1	137	8	17.13	3.81	27	132	61.11	1.64
P Naik	West Zone	4	4	28.3	4	119	8	14.88	4.18	21.38	97	56.73	1.76
T P Kanwer	North Zone	4	4	40	10	104	7	14.86	2.6	34.29	182	75.83	1.32



Inter State One Day Limited Overs (U-19) Knockout Winners - Mumbai

INTER STATE ONE DAY LIMITED OVERS (UNDER-19)

This tournament was started in 2007. It is played between the members in each of the 5 zones on round robin league basis. The top 2 teams of each zone qualify for the All India Super League. The 10 teams are divided into two groups (A & B) and matches are played on league basis. This is followed by knockout matches to decide the champion.

Top two teams from each zone qualified for the Super League stage as under:

ZONE	TEAMS
North	Haryana 12, HPCA 12
South	KSCA 20, Andhra 16
East	JSCA 16, Bengal 12
West	Baroda 16, Mumbai 12
Central	UPCA 16, Team Rajasthan 12
The qualified teams were divided into two groups	
Venue : Andhra	

SUPER LEAGUE A		SUPER LEAGUE B	
TEAMS	POINTS	TEAMS	POINTS
Bengal	16	Mumbai	12
Baroda	12	UPCA	12
HPCA	4	Andhra	8
KSCA	4	JSCA	8
Team Rajasthan	4	Haryana	0

ROUND	DATE	MATCH	WINNER
Semi Final	23 Dec 2016	Bengal V/s UPCA	UPCA
Semi Final	23 Dec 2016	Mumbai V/s Baroda	Mumbai

The Final was played between Mumbai and UPCA.

Mumbai won by 8 wickets.

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
Jemimah R	Mumbai	6	6	5	376	122*	376	79.32	474	1	1	3	46	0
Tanusree Sarkar	Bengal	5	5	2	312	100*	104	63.41	492	1	0	3	37	0
N Anusha	Andhra	4	4	1	200	112*	66.67	65.36	306	1	1	1	25	1
Muskan Malik	Uttar Pradesh	6	6	0	170	70	28.33	54.31	313	0	0	1	24	0
Anjali Singh	Uttar Pradesh	6	6	1	141	58*	28.2	67.14	210	0	0	1	23	0

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
Jemimah R	Mumbai	6	6	48.5	9	114	15	7.6	2.33	19.53	230	78.5	1.27
Rashi Kanojiya	Uttar Pradesh	6	6	55.5	21	103	12	8.58	1.84	27.92	278	82.99	1.21
P Naik	Mumbai	6	6	44	12	101	11	9.18	2.3	24	196	74.24	1.35
Fatima Jaffer	Mumbai	6	6	38.4	4	104	11	9.45	2.69	21.09	174	75	1.33
S P Aich	Bengal	5	5	45	5	101	8	12.63	2.24	33.75	203	75.19	1.33



INTER ZONAL LEAGUE TWO DAYS (UNDER-19)

This tournament was started in 2014-15. It is played on league basis between 5 zonal teams as 2-day games.

ZONE	POINTS
West Zone	12
East Zone	10
South Zone	8
Central Zone	4
North Zone	4

West Zone won the championship.

BATTING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Not Outs	Runs Scored	Highest Score	Batting Average	Strike Rate	Balls Faced	100s	75s	50s	Fours	Sixes
S Shubha	South Zone	4	5	0	222	91	44.4	41.97	529	0	2	2	29	0
Jemimah R	West Zone	4	4	0	222	82	55.5	63.25	351	0	1	2	36	0
Vrushali Bhagat	West Zone	4	4	0	195	82	48.75	42.30	461	0	1	2	23	0
B J Ohlan	North Zone	4	6	1	188	139	37.6	47.24	398	1	0	0	24	0
Rasmi	East Zone	4	4	0	184	116	46	48.94	376	1	0	0	27	2

BOWLING

Player Name	Team Name	Matches	Innings	Overs Bowled	Maidens	Total Runs Conceded	Wickets Taken	Bowling Average	Economy Rate	Bowling SR	Dot Balls Bowled	Bowling Dot Ball Percent	Bowling Dot Ball Frequency
Rajni Devi	North Zone	4	4	75	13	211	16	13.19	2.81	28.13	326	72.44	1.38
Minnu Mani	South Zone	4	6	70	13	156	13	12	2.23	32.31	324	77.14	1.3
M K Dakshini	West Zone	4	5	76.2	20	199	13	15.31	2.61	35.23	366	79.91	1.25
C Prathyusha	South Zone	4	6	76.5	15	175	12	14.58	2.28	38.42	356	77.22	1.29
Radha P Yadav	West Zone	4	4	51.3	21	73	10	7.3	1.42	30.9	267	86.41	1.16



All the Awardees at the BCCI Annual Awards (NAMAN)

The year 2017 marked the advent of 'Naman' – which literally means bowing down in salutation. For the first time ever, the BCCI Annual Awards 2016-17 and the 5th M A K Pataudi Memorial Lecture were clubbed into one single event – Naman. It was also for the first time that a Lifetime Achievement Award was introduced for Women.

COL. C K NAYUDU LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD



Rajinder Goel receiving the Col. C K Nayudu Lifetime Achievement Award

RAJINDER GOEL

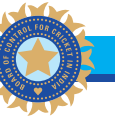
Born: September 20, 1942

The left-arm spinner was born in Narwana in Haryana. During a first-class career spanning two-and-half decades, Rajinder Goel tested batsmen across the country with his left-arm spin. He finished with a whopping 750 wickets under his belt when he retired in 1984-85.

In 157 matches, Goel picked 59 five-wicket hauls and 18 ten-wicket hauls. Besides his exploits in the first-class circuit, the spinner who played from Delhi and Haryana also played eight 'List A' matches during which he claimed 14 scalps with a best of four for 54.

In an era when batsmen like Vijay Manjrekar, Polly Umrigar, Manohar Hardikar, Ajit Wadekar, Sunil Gavaskar and of course G R Viswanath who were known to be very good players of spin, Goel had made a mark for himself. He would bowl into the leg-stump with accuracy and use the crease. His wicket-taking ball was the one that he used to slant in.

The Board of Control for Cricket in India was proud to honour Shri Rajinder Goel with the Col C K Nayudu Lifetime Achievement Award for 2016 for his contribution to the game.



Padmakar Shivalkar receiving the Col. C K Nayudu Lifetime Achievement Award

PADMAKAR SHIVALKAR

Born: April 14, 1940

The left-arm spinner was born in Mumbai and played 124 first-class games. He claimed 590 wickets. A product of the famous Shivaji Park Gymkhana, Shivalkar's accuracy to land the ball repeatedly on the same spot and then spin it viciously made him unique. He made his Ranji debut at 22 and retired when he was 48 Shivalkar also picked up 42 five-wicket hauls and on 13 occasions registered a 10-wicket haul.

The Board of Control for Cricket in India was proud to honour Shri Padmakar Shivalkar with the Col C K Nayudu Lifetime Achievement Award for 2016 for his contribution to the game.

BCCI LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FOR WOMEN

To recognize the contribution of women cricketers, the BCCI for the first time, introduced the Lifetime Achievement Award for Women.



Shantha Rangaswamy receiving the BCCI Lifetime Achievement Award for Women

SHANTHA RANGASWAMY

Born: January 1, 1954

Chennai-born Rangaswamy played 16 Tests between 1976 and 1991, and 19 ODIs between 1981 and 1986. In her Test career, she captained eight of the matches in 1976- 77 and four in 1983-84, and scored 750 runs at 32.60 including the first ever century scored by a woman cricketer against New Zealand, in 1986. In her ODI stint, she captained 16 matches and scored 287 runs. The right-handed batter and bowler who bowled at a medium pace took 21 wickets at a bowling average of 31.61, and clocked a best analysis of 4-42 against England.

Growing up in a joint family of about 20 cousins in a big house with a big compound, she played right from the time she was six-seven years old. Rangaswamy has also been a commentator and was given the prestigious Arjuna Award in 1976.

Here's the complete list of winners

AWARD	WINNER
Col. C K Nayudu Lifetime Achievement Award	Rajinder Goel, Padmakar Shivalkar
BCCI Lifetime Achievement Award for Women	Shantha Rangaswamy
BCCI Special Award	V V Kumar, (Late) Ramakant Desai
Polly Umrigar Award for Best International Cricketer	Virat Kohli
Dillip Sardesai Award (India's best cricketer in the West Indies series, 2016)	Ravichandran Ashwin
Lala Amarnath Award (best all-rounder in the Ranji Trophy 2015-16)	Jalaj Saxena (Madhya Pradesh)
Lala Amarnath Award (best all-rounder in domestic limited-overs competitions 2015-16)	Axar Patel (Gujarat)
Madhavrao Scindia Award (highest scorer in the Ranji Trophy 2015-16)	Shreyas Iyer (Mumbai)
Madhavrao Scindia Award (highest wicket-taker in the Ranji Trophy 2015-16)	Shahbaz Nadeem (Jharkhand)
M A Chidambaram Trophy (highest scorer in U-23 Col. C K Nayudu Trophy 2015-16)	Jay Bista (Mumbai)
M A Chidambaram Trophy (highest wicket-taker in U-23 Col. C K Nayudu Trophy 2015-16)	Satyajeet Bachhav (Maharashtra)
M A Chidambaram Trophy (highest scorer in U-19 Cooch Behar Trophy 2015-16)	Arman Jaffer (Mumbai)
M A Chidambaram Trophy (highest wicket-taker in U-19 Cooch Behar Trophy 2015-16)	Ninad Rathva (Baroda)
M A Chidambaram Trophy (highest scorer in U-16 Vijay Merchant Trophy 2015-16)	Abhishek Sharma (Punjab)
M A Chidambaram Trophy (highest wicket-taker in U-16 Vijay Merchant Trophy 2015-16)	Abhishek Sharma (Punjab)
M A Chidambaram Trophy - Best Woman Cricketer (Sr.) of 2015-16	Mithali Raj (Railways)
M A Chidambaram Trophy - Best Woman Cricketer (Jr.) of 2015-16	Deepti Sharma (Uttar Pradesh)
Best Umpire in Domestic Cricket	Nitin Menon
Best Performance in BCCI Domestic Tournaments	Mumbai Cricket Association (MCA)



V V Kumar receiving the BCCI Special Award



BCCI Special Award to Late Ramakant Desai being received by his wife



Shreyas Iyer receiving the Madhavrao Scindia Award for highest scorer in Ranji Trophy 2015-16



Shahbaz Nadeem receiving the Madhavrao Scindia Award for highest wicket-taker in the Ranji Trophy 2015-16



Virat Kohli receiving the Polly Umrigar Award



Ravichandran Ashwin receiving the Dilip Sardesai Award



Jay Bista receiving the M A Chidambaram Trophy for highest scorer in Col. C K Nayudu Trophy 2015-16



Satyajeet Bachhav receiving the M A Chidambaram Trophy for highest wicket-taker in Col. C K Nayudu Trophy 2015-16



Jalaj Saxena receiving the Lala Amarnath Award for best all-rounder in Ranji Trophy 2015-16



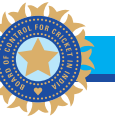
Axar Patel receiving the Lala Amarnath Award for best all-rounder in domestic limited-overs competitions 2015-16



Jay Bista (on behalf of Arman Jaffer) receiving the M A Chidambaram Trophy for highest scorer in Cooch Behar Trophy 2015-16



Ninad Rathva receiving the M A Chidambaram Trophy for highest wicket-taker in Cooch Behar Trophy 2015-16



Abhishek Sharma receiving the M A Chidambaram Trophy for highest scorer in Vijay Merchant Trophy 2015-16



Abhishek Sharma receiving the M A Chidambaram Trophy for highest wicket-taker in Vijay Merchant Trophy 2015-16



Mithali Raj receiving the Jagmohan Dalmiya Award for Best Woman Cricketer (Sr.) of 2015-16



Deepti Sharma's brother receiving the M A Chidambaram Trophy for Best Woman Cricketer (Jr.) of 2015-16 on her behalf



Nitin Menon receiving the award for Best Umpire in Domestic Cricket



Mumbai Cricket Association receives the award for Best Performance in BCCI Domestic Tournaments



Farokh Engineer delivers the 5th M A K Pataudi Memorial Lecture at Bengaluru

The 5th MAK Pataudi Lecture was delivered by Mr. Farokh Engineer, former wicket-keeper batsman on March 8 in Bengaluru. Mr. Engineer spoke at length about his experiences of sharing the Indian dressing room with the late Mansoor Ali Khan Pataudi.

The full text of the speech is reproduced below:

A very good evening to you all. Begum Sharmila ji, Mr. Vinod Rai and the Board of Administrators, members of BCCI, Prof. Shetty and Rahul Johri and the rest. Virat Kohli, members of the Indian team, distinguished guests, ladies and gentlemen, welcome to the garden city of Bengaluru. I'll never forget my Test wicket over here. First time I played in Bangalore, Andy Roberts down the leg side. I hit a fierce half volley and Viv Richards, who was fielding at short leg, turned around to take evasive action. The ball got stuck between his knees. Roberts said "skipper, don't move, don't move" and came and collected the ball. I think an over later, Sunil Gavaskar was out in another freak pattern. I think George Bernard Shaw once said 'One fool throws the ball, another fool hits it. And the greatest of all fools is one who runs after it and fetches it.' I suppose that's why I chose to be behind the timbers.

But today, we're here to honour... the BCCI awards of course. But it's the annual Mansoor Ali Khan Pataudi lecture, to honour and remember one of India's greatest captains who I had the honour of playing with throughout our careers. I am delighted to see a couple of other players, Bishan Singh Bedi, Prasanna, Ajit Wadekar who has just walked in. It's great to see Bish and Prasanna present some awards, and be honoured. In fact the first time Tiger Pataudi joined the Indian cricket team for net practice, he was accompanied by his entourage. One carrying his bats, one carrying his pads, his clothes... clothes on a hanger of course... something we were not accustomed to seeing. I was asked by Polly Umrigar to welcome him and introduce him to the players, most of whom were quite apprehensive as to how to address him, as after all he was a Prince, a Nawab. Tiger sensed it immediately and put all at ease by saying, "just call me Pat or Tiger". We had heard a lot about his exploits at Sussex, and despite his tragic loss of one eye, he was still a world-class batsman and cover-point extraordinaire. Just how much better a player he would've been with both eyes is a subject of speculation. In fact after a practice session one day, we all decided to have fun at Tiger's request... to put a patch on one eye and try and hold some catches. And the result was absolutely disastrous, I can assure you. So what Tiger did was



brilliant. He was naturally gifted. One can hardly remember him using his own bat. Almost daily he would feel the balance of all the bats in the dressing room and he would just pick one and go out to bat. Invariably it was mine. I am glad someone was making better use of my bat than I was.

But some evenings we would be invited to homes of Indian singers like Talat Mahmood, Mohd. Rafi, Mukesh, Lata and all that. And they would sing to us with a harmonium in their hands. And Tiger and I would completely murder the melodious tunes by trying to play the tabla. Once on a domestic flight, I was told that Lata Mangeshkar was on the flight and when she entered the aircraft, she said "Farokh ji, hum aapke bahot bade fan hain, Mangeshkar family (Mr. Farokh, we are very big fans of yours, the Mangeshkar family)" and I said, "Lata, main aapka bahot bada fan hoon" (Lata, I am also your very big fan). She said, "Main Lata nahin, main Asha hoon" (I am not Lata, I am Asha). I will always remember the look on Tiger's face. I am a Parsi after all. When we received our first pay cheque - 50 rupees per day we used to get playing Test cricket. 250 rupees for a 5-day match. Did you hear that Virat? We just played for the love, the pride and honour of playing for Mother India. And I remember, against Sri Lanka, Sunil Gavaskar and I were finishing a game in four days and we were getting all sorts of messages - "Arey pagal ho kya? Make the game last till the fifth day. Kal ke pachaas rupaye jayenge" (Are you mad? Make the game last till fifth day. Else we'll lose tomorrow's 50 rupees). My first taste of some money was... thank God Brylcreem thought I was a suitable model for them. I followed the great Keith Miller of Australia and Dennis Compton of England. So that was my first sense of a few bucks and of course being selected for World XI, both in England and Australia. The selectors for England Sir Don Bradman, Sir Len Hutton and Sir Frank Worrell. In Australia I was joined by Bishan and Sunil.

This was the great occasion to play for the World XI, it was the highest pinnacle of one's career. And my roommate was none other than the great Graeme Pollock of South Africa. Now Graeme in his pre-apartheid days, tried his best to get the whites and the non-whites to play together. But he couldn't succeed. Non-whites, we'll call them Blacks for instance, he just couldn't succeed. The Blacks were running the Whites out, the Whites were dropping catches off Blacks' bowling. He got them all in the dressing room and said "you've got to play for each other, you're playing for the same team. From today there's no Blacks and Whites in my team. You all are green". They all nod their heads and he says "What are you guys?" "Green." "Fantastic!" he says. "And as you go sit with the team coach, make sure the light green sit on the left, and the dark green sit on the right".

I was lucky to be invited to play for the Australian PM XI, on three occasions in Canberra. A real character was Bob Hawk, who insisted on being called Hawky. I can't imagine calling a PM Naren or something like that, but Hawky... And not a single sentence was uttered without the four-letter word. He also told me that "Farokh, do you know that box was worn by batsmen in 1868, the helmets came about only in 1968? Farokh, tell me, why did it take batsmen 100 years to realise that the brains are just as precious?"

Back to Tiger, we were all in awe of him when he started dating Rinku (Sharmila Tagore). She was not only the most beautiful girl we had ever seen, but also ever so gracious and a huge Bollywood icon. He got his leg pulled quite a few times in the dressing room. But lovely to see you looking as graceful as ever, although you're a granny.

Tiger was a practical joker. We were once in St Kitts. There was a hurricane a year before, and Tiger and I were responsible. We phoned everyone's room in a girl's voice and said that the hurricane was on its way

to hit the island, come as you are... in your shorts or pyjamas to the reception and you'll be evacuated to safety somewhere. But put your kettle on the top of the cupboard. So they all did that, and they were all in the reception, except me and Tiger. That's when they came to know we were pulling a fast one. And the Victoria Memorial at Kolkata, he told the boys and the team coach "that's one of my palaces". I think Chandu Borde really believed it. He says "zara chai peene ko jayenge ek din, yaar" (Let's go have some tea someday). Pataudi says "I don't want to disturb the staff there"... but he was a great leg-puller. In fact I make no apologies for speaking so much about Tiger, as after all, I want youngsters to know and respect what a great influence he was to Indian cricket. He was like a breath of fresh air that would walk into the dressing room. It was absolutely fantastic.

Congratulations to Virat and all the Indian team. You showed real fighting spirit there. I am going to call you Captain Marvel, if I may. You're really fantastic both on and off the field. On the field, we know he's arguably one of the finest batsmen today. As a captain you've been doing brilliantly. Keep it up. And as a man, you're second to none.

We were in Trinidad a few months ago, and I was with Sir Everton Weekes and Sir Garry Sobers. And Virat had very kindly sent a birthday greeting to Garry Sobers. And Garry had never met Virat before. So he said "Farokh, is it possible to arrange?" And it had rained so we were all in the dressing room. I sent a message around downstairs, if you're free to come for a minute. Within a minute, he and Anil Kumble came up and met Sir Everton Weekes and Sir Garry. And they thought what wonderful people you are. Although you're playing a Test match, you still came up and met them. That's fantastic, thank you again.

Mr. Vinod Rai, Mr. Ramachandra Guha and your fellow men of administrators, you

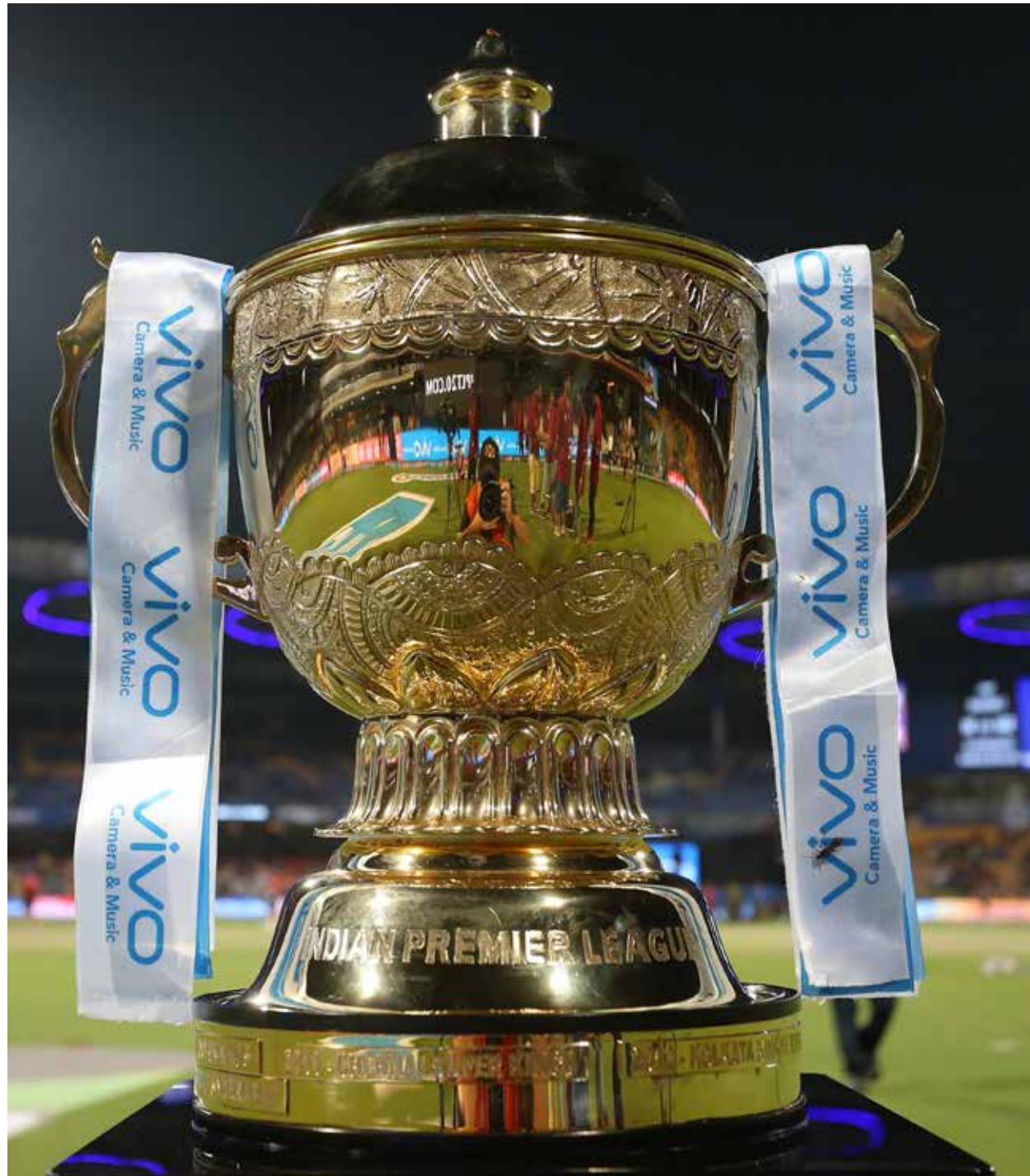
certainly have your job cut out Sir in the next four months, because we wish you luck, as we are all so passionate about our Indian cricket. And that we're cricket lovers. We not only want, but demand nothing but the best for Indian cricket. A suggestion may be made about having an elite cricket board comprising of... you've got some great cricketers here - Ravi Shastri, Anil Kumble, Laxman, Srinath... Dilip Vengsarkar certainly comes to mind straightaway, Sachin, Gavaskar. You have a huge array to choose from. People who are completely transparent, who have no axe to grind, total integrity, totally impartial and transparent, those are the men you need Sir, and I am sure you'll get them... they are around.

It has been suggested about having neutral curators after the Pune match. I'd even suggest the visiting captain has the choice of deciding to bat or field. I think that would make matters even. They won't accuse of us of anything. Today apart from anything, it has been mentioned that today is ladies day, so Rinku, congratulations to you and your family. And of course, it is the BCCI awards night, which is the most important thing. My congratulations to all the winners, and especially the winners of the Col. C K Nayudu Lifetime Achievement Award, for it is the greatest pinnacle in one's career. I hope I live long enough to get it one day. But my heartiest congratulations to two left-armers - Paddy Shivalkar and Rajinder Goel, who are the nominees, the thoroughly deserved nominees.

Unfortunately they were born and playing at the same time as the great Bishan Singh Bedi, so they didn't play as much Test cricket as they should have. But I've kept wickets to both of them, and they're absolutely brilliant. And they thoroughly deserve this. And I wish them all the best for that.

Thank You!

INDIAN PREMIER LEAGUE A GLORIOUS DECADE OF SUCCESS



2008

BATTING
Orange Cap Shaun Marsh **616** runs

BOWLING
Purple Cap Sohail Tanvir **22** wickets



2009

BATTING
Orange Cap Matthew Hayden **572** runs

BOWLING
Purple Cap RP Singh **23** wickets



2010

BATTING
Orange Cap Sachin Tendulkar **618** runs

BOWLING
Purple Cap Pragyan Ojha **21** wickets



2011

BATTING
Orange Cap Chris Gayle **608** runs

BOWLING
Purple Cap Lasith Malinga **28** wickets



2012

BATTING
Orange Cap Chris Gayle **733** runs

BOWLING
Purple Cap Morne Morkel **25** wickets



2013

BATTING
Orange Cap Michael Hussey **733** runs

BOWLING
Purple Cap Dwayne Bravo **32** wickets



2014

BATTING
Orange Cap Robin Uthappa **660** runs

BOWLING
Purple Cap Mohit Sharma **23** wickets



2015

BATTING
Orange Cap David Warner **562** runs

BOWLING
Purple Cap Dwayne Bravo **26** wickets



2016

BATTING
Orange Cap Virat Kohli **973** runs

BOWLING
Purple Cap Bhuvneshwar Kumar **23** wickets



2017

BATTING
Orange Cap David Warner **641** runs

BOWLING
Purple Cap Bhuvneshwar Kumar **26** wickets



IN 2017, THE IPL BRAND WAS ESTIMATED TO BE WORTH

\$5.3 BILLION (RS 37,100 CRORE) – 26% MORE THAN PREVIOUS YEAR!



2017 was special for the Indian Premier League (IPL), for it completed ten years this year. IPL has already established itself as the biggest and most valuable brand in cricket history and its 10th year only saw its value rising.

In 2017, the valuation appraisal firm Duff & Phelps estimated the IPL brand to be worth \$5.3 billion (Rs 37,100 Crore), up a phenomenal 26 per cent from \$4.2 billion the previous year.

Brand values of all the franchisees increased on average by 34 per cent compared to the previous year. However, what is interesting is that unlike most other sporting leagues in the world, the IPL brand is much more powerful than the individual franchisees. For instance, brands of the football clubs in the English Premier League (EPL) are

bigger than the EPL brand. IPL's uniqueness is the result of highly successful marketing initiatives, immaculate organisation, and intelligent social media engagement.

According to the Broadcast Audience Research Council of India, total TV viewership of IPL 2017 calculated by impressions stood at 125 crore, a 22.5 per cent jump from a year ago. Apart from fans who filled the stadiums for every match, 411 million viewers—or about one-third of the population of India—watched IPL10 on television, making it the most-viewed sporting tournament ever in Indian history.

Social media is also fuelling the growth of IPL. On Twitter, it has 4.9 million followers, and added over 1.8 million fans on Facebook during IPL10. The number of tweets pertaining to the IPL season crossed

8.5 million. As per media agency Maxus, approximately 6 million mentions on social media were registered in the 10th season, about twice those of the last season (approximately 3.1 million).

What is particularly heartening is that nearly 45 per cent of the television viewership came from rural India, evidence of the reach and pull of IPL.

The simple format and the short duration of IPL matches has made cricket attractive to a vast new audience. Over the decade, IPL has carried the message of the beautiful game to every nook and cranny of the country. This will surely over time inspire thousands of talented boys and girls from all strata of society to pick up the game and live their dreams.

IPL has truly taken the sport to the people. It could be a catalyst to a sporting and social revolution, and shape the future of cricket in India and the world.





Captains Zaheer Khan, Suresh Raina, Glenn Maxwell, Gautam Gambhir, Rohit Sharma, Steven Smith, Virat Kohli & David Warner pose with the VIVO IPL Trophy

IPL 10! BIGGER AND BETTER

Game-changing, innovative, entertaining, surprise packages, nail-biting finishes – you name it and the tenth edition of the VIVO IPL was akin to it all. Right from the buzzing auction hall in Bengaluru, to the grand stage at Hyderabad for the final, there was never a dull moment in this season, which also marked the 10th edition of the renowned league.

With 66 players purchased by the eight franchises at the auction, it was interesting to see how each team would fare in the league with the amount of talent that was on display.

Eight teams battled it out for domestic T20 supremacy and what transpired over the 47 days was pure cricket action and non-stop entertainment for the fans. To mark the league's tenth edition, the BCCI organized eight opening ceremonies (one

at each venue), instead of just one, like the previous years.

The opening ceremonies at each venue were a humdinger of an experience with the best in the Bollywood business shaking a leg before the commencement of the games. The tenth edition of the VIVO Indian Premier League remained the most-watched and top-rated product on Indian Television (Source: BARC)

The IPL Fan Parks, which were staged across 36 venues were a huge success with over 521,000 people visiting across the season.

What did the season have in store for the fans?

From the top of the points table in 2016 to its absolute bottom in this – Gujarat and Bangalore's change in fortunes were

the perfect example of how different an IPL season this was. The M Chinnaswamy Stadium pitch known for producing high scoring games, behaved of dissimilar nature, playing low and slow to be the lowest-scoring ground this year.

M S Dhoni wasn't leading a side for the first time in ten years. Kolkata Knight Riders evolved from a spin-heavy side to one of pace-bowling friendly attacks, perfectly adapting to an Eden Gardens pitch. The Rising Supergiant's fortunes were favourable in the 10th edition of the league as they beat Mumbai Indians at their fortress in the qualifier 1 to be the first team to reach the finals of VIVO IPL 10. The qualifier 2 of the season was played at the Chinnaswamy Stadium between Sunrisers Hyderabad and Kolkata Knight Riders, which was nothing short of a high tension drama, with rain playing an absolute villain for Sunrisers Hyderabad. Eliminator 2 was then played between Kolkata Knight Riders and Mumbai Indians, which Mumbai Indians won by 6 wickets and set up a date with Rising Pune Supergiants for the final game of the league.



Zaheer Khan of Delhi Daredevil and Kings XI Punjab captain Glenn Maxwell during VIVO IPL 2017



Kolkata Knight Riders captain Gautam Gambhir and Gujarat Lions captain Suresh Raina during VIVO IPL 2017



VIVO IPL 2017 Champions - Mumbai Indians (third time winners)



David Warner of Sunrisers Hyderabad won the Orange Cap in IPL 2017 with 641 runs



Bhuvneshwar Kumar of Sunrisers Hyderabad won the Purple Cap in IPL 2017 with a haul of 26 wickets

Hyderabad was abuzz with cricket enthusiasts and the final provided them with the best fodder to relish. In a low scoring game, Mumbai Indians clinched the title by 1 run and lifted the trophy for the third time.

The tenth edition of the league observed a phenomenal response across various platforms. Even though Mumbai Indians took home the trophy, two Sunrisers Hyderabad boys shone with the bat and ball throughout the season – David Warner received the Orange Cap for amassing 641 runs in the season and Bhuvneshwar Kumar was felicitated with the Purple Cap for his 26 wickets.

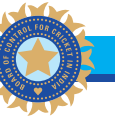
IPL FAN PARKS

In 2017, Fan Parks entered their third year, continuing to provide a place for fans in cities not hosting IPL matches to experience a stadium-like atmosphere viewing matches on the big screen. The Fan Parks bring together families and friends providing a great atmosphere and environment to enjoy the IPL.

Fan Parks were hosted in 36 cities across 21 states in 2017. Since their inception in 2015, IPL Fan Parks have now been hosted in 54 different cities across India. The total reported attendance across all Fan Parks in 2017 was 521,984 people which was an increase of 18.63% on the Fan Park attendance figures for 2016.

A number of IPL central sponsors took up the opportunity to have a presence at Fan Parks which created an enhanced experience for fans and gave additional value to IPL sponsors. Vivo had a stall that provided a number of free giveaway items and provided a phone as a prize at Fan Parks for the Lucky Fan of the Day competition. Vodafone and Yes Bank also had a presence across the country in supporting the Fan Park initiative.

IPL Franchises engaged with fans at the Fan Parks by providing flags and cheer items across locations to help grow the support of their teams and increase the level of excitement for fans across the country.



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VIEWERS

CUMULATIVE TV REACH

SOURCE: BARC

21

CHANNELS

GLOBAL BROADCAST

SOURCE: SONY PICTURES NETWORK

\$5.3 BN
VALUATION

SOURCE: DUFF & PHELPS



1,781,000

SPECTATORS

UP **15.4%** FROM PREVIOUS YEAR

521,984

FAN PARK VISITS

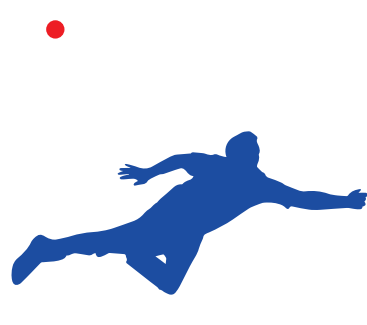
UP **18.6%** FROM PREVIOUS YEAR



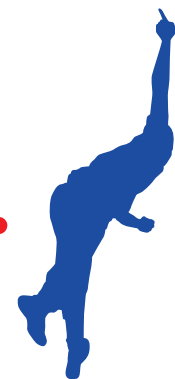
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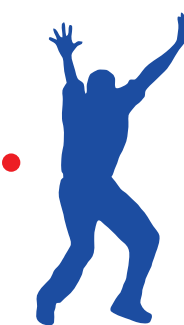
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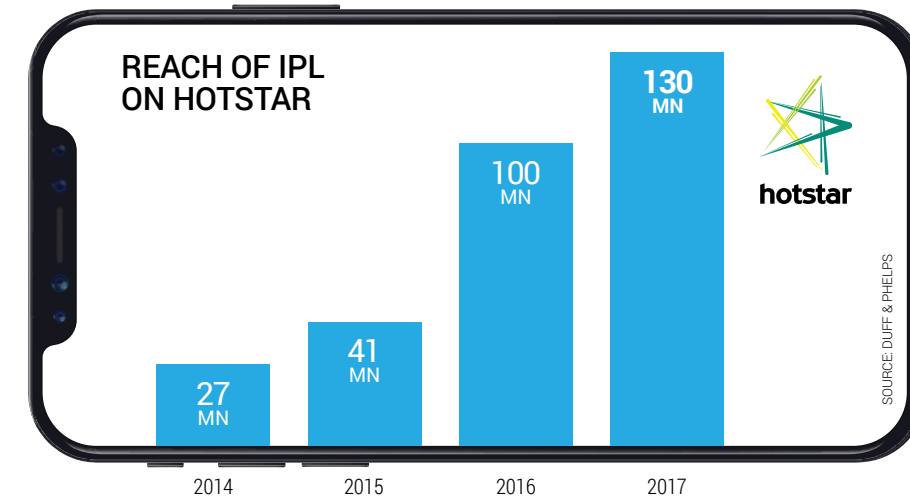


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WICKETS



24
LAST OVER FINISHES

IPL VIEWERSHIP EXPLODES ON THE NET REACHES 130 MILLION



6.6X
GROWTH IN WATCHTIME ON HOTSTAR OVER PREVIOUS YEAR

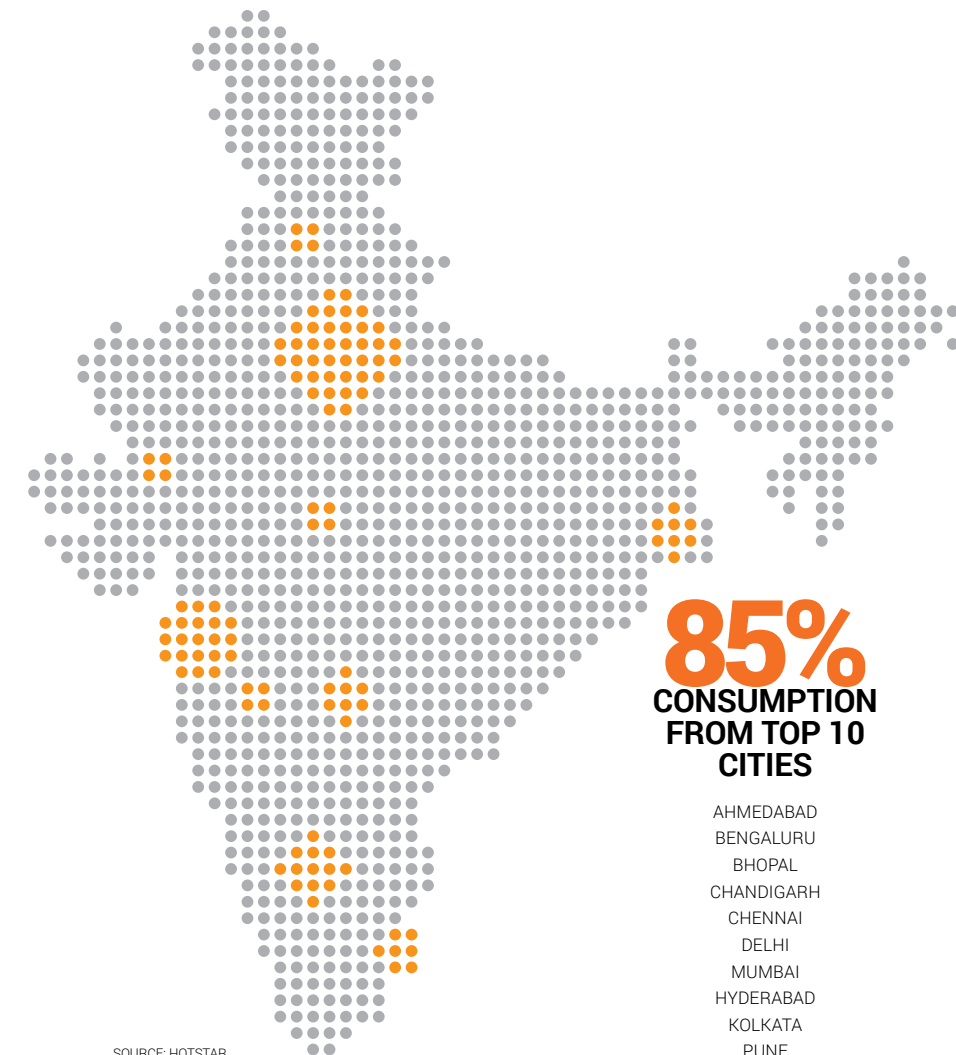
SOURCE: HOTSTAR

12.6

BILLION MINUTES
OF WATCHTIME ON HOTSTAR



SOURCE: HOTSTAR



SOURCE: HOTSTAR



80%

OF IPL VIEWERS ON HOTSTAR LESS THAN 35 YEARS

SOURCE: HOTSTAR



Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of The Board of Control for Cricket in India

I REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of THE BOARD OF CONTROL FOR CRICKET IN INDIA ("the Board"), which comprise the Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2017, the Income and Expenditure Account for the year then ended and a summary of the significant accounting policies and other explanatory information of the Board.

II MANAGEMENT'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Management of the Board is responsible for the preparation of these financial statements as per the stipulations of the Rules and Regulations of the Board, the decisions and directions of the Committee of Administrators appointed by the Hon. Supreme Court of India, as applicable, and the Orders of the Hon. Supreme Court of India, as applicable, that give a true and fair view of the financial position and financial performance of the Board in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the applicable accounting standards.

This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records for safeguarding the assets of the Board and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records relevant to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatements, whether due to fraud or error. Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Board's financial reporting process. Also, see Note 45 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts regarding the approval of the financial statements.

III AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITY

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

Further to the Basis for Reporting referred to in paragraph IV below, we have taken into account the relevant Rules and Regulations of the Board, the decisions and directions of the Committee of Administrators appointed by the Hon. Supreme Court of India, as applicable, and the Orders of the Hon. Supreme Court of India, as applicable and the applicable accounting and auditing standards and matters which need to be included in the audit report, for the purpose of reporting to the members of the Board.

We conducted our audit of the financial statements in accordance with the Standards on Auditing issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI). Those Standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and the disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal financial controls relevant to the preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on whether the Board has in place an adequate internal financial control system over financial reporting and the operating effectiveness of such controls. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of the accounting policies used and the reasonableness of the accounting estimates made by the Management of the Board, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

Having regard to the matters described under Basis for Reporting referred to in paragraph IV below, we believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our qualified audit opinion on the financial statements.

IV BASIS FOR REPORTING

- a) In accordance with the Standards on Auditing issued by the ICAI, our scope is limited to expressing an independent opinion on the financial statements prepared by the Management of the Board and is not intended to be an independent propriety audit.
- b) As stated in Note 2(c) of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, the financial statements of the Board have been prepared in accordance with the Significant Accounting Policies (Note 2 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts) based on the Management's assessment of various matters relating to the internal investigations, ongoing regulatory / judicial / legal proceedings, litigations, direct and indirect tax disputes, other regulatory compliances, etc., which are significant to the Board, and taking into account the decisions and directions of the Hon. Supreme Court of India / Committee of Administrators appointed by the Hon. Supreme Court of India, as applicable. The final outcome of these matters, including the related legal interpretations, where applicable, could have a significant impact on the financial statements and the Management's evaluation of the same is very critical and fundamental to the preparation of the financial statements.

Providing an independent opinion on the aforesaid internal investigations, ongoing regulatory / judicial / legal proceedings, litigations, direct and indirect tax disputes, other regulatory compliances relating to the Board, including on compliance with laws, regulations, judicial orders, bye-laws and other constitutional documents of the Board etc. by the Management, is not part of the objectives of our audit since the auditor is not responsible for preventing non-compliance and cannot be expected to detect non-compliance with all laws and regulations and, accordingly, we do not express such an independent opinion.

However, as part of our audit procedures for obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Board's financial statements are free of material misstatement:

- (i) We made inquiries with the Committee of Administrators appointed by the Hon. Supreme Court of India, the Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Financial Officer of the Board and the existing Office Bearers; and performed other required procedures which we considered necessary in accordance with Standard on Auditing (SA) 250 – 'Consideration of Laws and Regulations in an Audit of Financial Statements', issued by the ICAI, in connection with the Board's compliance with laws, regulations etc., the non-compliance of which could have a direct and material impact on the amounts and the disclosures in the financial statements.
- (ii) We also made inquiries with the Committee of Administrators appointed by the Hon. Supreme Court of India, the Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Financial Officer of the Board, the existing Office Bearers and the Board's legal / professional advisors; and performed other required procedures which we considered necessary in accordance with SA 501 – 'Audit Evidence - Specific Considerations for Selected Items', issued by the ICAI, in connection with the various significant ongoing regulatory / judicial / legal proceedings and litigations of the Board.
- c) Our audit has been conducted based on the information, responses and explanations, books of account and other records of the Board maintained / provided by the Management of the Board and did not extend to examining the books of account of the recipient(s) of the sums paid by the Board, including those of the State Associations.
- d) We have reported certain matters for the consideration / confirmation by those in charge of governance of the Board in the form of Audit Observations ("AOs"). Our qualified opinion on the financial statements for the year ended 31st March, 2017 considers the responses provided by the Board to the AOs, to the extent applicable. Also refer (e) below.



- e) Based on the resolution passed by the members, certain matters reported by the auditors in the prior years which had been considered as closed and, accordingly, such matters have not been reported by us in the current year. Further, our audit report is qualified on account of certain matters reported below in paragraph V (1) to (5) which were also items of qualification in the auditor's report issued for the previous year ended 31st March, 2016. Also refer (d) above.

V BASIS FOR QUALIFIED OPINION

1. Certain matters relating to prior years, which continue to remain unresolved as at 31st March, 2017, are summarised as under:

- (a) As stated in Note 7 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, Current Assets, Loans and Advances - Others (Schedule 6) include Rs. 6.55 Crores receivable from PILCOM. Further, Current Liabilities and Provisions (Schedule 3) include Rs. 9.12 Crores representing amounts received from the PILCOM Account maintained with Citibank N.A. London, which are pending adjustment in the absence of complete information. On the basis of the information made available to us, we are unable to form an opinion regarding the accounting treatment of the aforesaid amounts, including the consequential effects, if any, relating to regulatory compliance requirements thereof.

- (b) (i) As stated in Note 20 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, there are certain proceedings / investigations initiated by the statutory authorities, namely, Income Tax, Service Tax, Directorate of Enforcement, Competition Commission of India, Collector of Stamps - Maharashtra, etc., which are ongoing and are at various stages.

(ii) Further, as stated in Note 21 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, the Board had also referred the investigation of certain matters in connection with the affairs relating to a former Chairman of the Indian Premier League to the Disciplinary Committee of the Board. As part of such internal investigations, the Board has also reviewed various Agreements / MOUs / Contracts, since the Board is of the view that certain agreements purported to have been entered into on its behalf were unauthorised and may, therefore, not necessarily be binding on the Board. Consequent to such reviews of the Agreements / MOUs / Contracts, the Board, pending final determination, has accounted for Incomes, Expenses, Assets and Liabilities with respect to these Agreements / MOUs / Contracts based on the decisions of the IPL Governing Council, the Finance and Working Committees of the Board. Also refer paragraph V(1)(c) below.

Whilst the proceedings of the Disciplinary Committee have been completed and its report has been considered / approved by the members, the Board is in the process of giving effect to the findings / decisions and taking appropriate action based on the same. The Management of the Board is of the opinion that adjustments, if any, to the financial statements arising out of, inter alia, the aforesaid investigation findings and discussions with the counter parties to the Agreements / MOUs / Contracts, as applicable, will be dealt with as and when finally determined.

Pending completion / conclusion of the above matters, we are unable to form an opinion on the same.

- (c) The Board had either accounted for or dealt with the following matters on the basis of the Board's understanding / assessment / available information in the absence of signed contracts / agreements / confirmation from the counter party / all the required documentation:-

Income from Free Commercial Time relating to IPL Season 2010 amounting to Rs. 26.97 Crores, of which Rs. 7.94 Crores is receivable as at 31st March, 2017, as stated in Note 22(IV)(2)(a); recovery of Rs. 3.50 Crores paid to a vendor as stated in Note 22(IV)(2)(b), out of which Rs. 3.00 Crores is receivable as at 31st March, 2017; Minimum Purse Income amounting to Rs. 2.86 Crores receivable as at 31st March, 2017, as stated in Note 22(IV)(2)(c); recovery of Agency Commission paid to a vendor amounting to Rs. 2.70 Crores as stated in Note 22(IV)(2)(d), which is receivable as at 31st March, 2017; Central Licensing Income from two parties relating to IPL Season 2010 amounting to Rs. 1.60 Crore and Rs. 0.50 Crores, as stated in

Notes 22(IV)(2)(e) and 22(IV)(2)(f), respectively. Also refer paragraph V(1)(b)(ii) above.

In the absence of complete information, we are unable to form an opinion on the appropriateness / correctness / completeness / validity of the above referred amounts and the consequential adjustments, if any, that may be required to be made to these financial statements.

- (d) As stated in Note 22(III) of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, during the year ended 31st March, 2015, the Board had accounted for Income from Sale of Tickets of UAE League Matches amounting to Rs. 27.58 Crores (net) on the basis of unaudited information available with the Board. In the absence of sufficient and appropriate audit evidence, we are unable to comment on the adjustments required, if any, to these financial statements in respect of the above matter.

2. As stated in Note 9 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, the Board, based on professional advice, believes that no provision for income tax is required to be made as it has a good case to continue to avail the exemption under Section 11 of the Income Tax Act, 1961 and enjoy the benefits of registration under Section 12A of the Income Tax Act, 1961 notwithstanding the demands / disputes raised by the income tax department which have been challenged by the Board before various appellate / judicial authorities. Accordingly, as indicated in Note 10 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, the Board has represented that the total amount of Rs. 3,679.86 Crores (As at 31st March, 2016 – Rs. 3,134.97 Crores) accounted as receivable in the nature of Tax Deducted at Source / Tax Paid under Protest as at 31st March, 2017 is good for recovery. Further, the Management of the Board is in the process of reconciling the TDS / Taxes Paid under Protest as per the books with the income tax returns / orders / records / other communication from the income tax department duly considering the various TDS disallowances, suo moto adjustments by the income tax department against tax demands, etc.

Considering the various assessment proceedings, developments, ongoing disputes, reconciliations, and the legal interpretations involved, we are unable to form an opinion on the provision / adjustments required including the consequential effects, if any, on account of taxation for the current and prior years and the realisability of the Tax Deducted at Source / Tax Paid under Protest.

3. Certain litigations and arbitration proceedings as under are ongoing as at 31st March, 2017:

- (a) As stated in Note 22(II)(a) of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, in the case of the appeal filed by World Sports Group (WSG), as per the directions of the Hon. Supreme Court, an amount of Rs. 49.92 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 48.96 Crores) has been recognised in the accounts in the current year as Income from Media Rights from IPL – Season 2016 for the Rest of World Territories. The cumulative differential amount of Rs. 507.48 Crores (As at 31st March, 2016 – Rs. 318.00 Crores), together with the interest on the escrow account amounting to Rs. 128.58 Crores (As at 31st March, 2016 – Rs. 90.74 Crores), aggregating to Rs. 636.06 Crores (As at 31st March, 2016 – Rs. 408.74 Crores), has been considered as Unearned Income as at 31st March, 2017, pending the final order of the Hon. Supreme Court.

- (b) As stated in Note 15 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, consequent to the termination of the Offshore Tour Agreement in relation to cricket matches in overseas neutral territories entered into by the Board with Zee Entertainment Enterprises Limited ("Zee") in the prior years, Zee initiated arbitration proceedings. The Arbitral Tribunal had passed its order in favour of Zee by confirming the refund claim of Rs. 30.00 Crores paid by Zee to the Board earlier, along with 11% interest and an amount of Rs. 81.36 Crores towards losses. Subsequently, the Board had reversed an amount of Rs. 10.95 Crores, out of the said amount of Rs. 30.00 Crores taken to income previously based on its evaluation and has also disputed the award by filing an application for setting aside the award of the Arbitral Tribunal before the Hon. High Court of Judicature at Madras, which is pending.

- (c) As stated in Note 14(a) of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, the Board had invoked and encashed the bank guarantee amounting to Rs. 153.34 Crores given by Rendezvous Sports World (RSW) for and on behalf of Kochi Cricket Private Limited ("KCPL") for the IPL Season 2011 and terminated the Franchisee Agreement



entered with KCPL in the prior years. RSW and KCPL had initiated arbitration proceedings challenging the encashment of the Bank Guarantee and termination of the Franchise. During the year, the Arbitrators have passed awards in favour of RSW and KCPL confirming the refund of Rs. 153.34 Crores towards amounts recovered through encashment of Bank Guarantee and their claim of Rs. 384.83 Crores towards compensation for termination of the franchise, respectively, along with interest (estimated at Rs. 536.11 Crores as at 31st March, 2017) and assessed cost (Rs. 1.22 Crores as at 31st March, 2017). The Board has filed appeals against the awards of the Arbitrators.

Pending final determination of the appeal, the Board has accounted the amount of Rs. 153.34 Crores as Amount Received from Encashment of Bank Guarantee under Current Liabilities and Provisions in the Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2017 and 31st March, 2016. Further, interest income amounting to Rs. 69.12 Crores (As at 31st March, 2016 – Rs. 58.54 Crores) on the amount of Rs. 153.34 Crores invested in fixed deposits has been considered as "Unearned Interest Income" as at 31st March, 2017. Based on the legal advice obtained and its assessment, the Board believes that no further adjustments are required to be made to these financial statements with respect to the above matters, at this stage.

However, since the above matters are sub judice / under appeal and pending final disposal, the ultimate outcome of which is uncertain at this stage, based on the information and the explanations given to us, we are unable to form an opinion on the additional adjustments required, if any, to these financial statements on account of the above

- 4 (a) As stated in Note 24(f) of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, the Board has accounted for Rs. 10.53 Crores during the current year ended 31st March, 2017 as incremental deficit from hosting the ICC World T20 – 2016 tournament, in addition to the deficit of Rs. 11.54 Crores already accounted for during the previous year ended 31st March, 2016, resulting in an overall total cumulative deficit of Rs. 22.07 Crores based on the current understanding / agreement with the ICC Business Corporation FZ LLC (ICC) and the hosting State Associations.

The Board is in the process of discussing the resolution of various matters including certain taxation matters and the resultant cumulative deficit relating to ICC World T20 – 2016 with ICC as at 31st March, 2017.

- (b) Further, as stated in Note 24(b) of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, the Board, pursuant to the agreement / understanding with the ICC, has also accounted for certain transactions / balances in the books, relating to the hosting of ICC World T20 – 2016 tournament on behalf of ICC. In this regard, the Board has accounted for an amount of Rs. 8.55 Crores as receivable from ICC, Rs. 23.45 Crores as amounts payable to various parties and Rs. 11.82 Crores as the balance in ICC World T20 Bank Account maintained by the Board as at 31st March, 2017. The aforesaid transactions / balances have been recorded by the Board on the basis of the available information / understanding of the Board, which have not been subjected to audit.

Pending resolution of the matters stated in 4(a) above, and in the absence of audited information with respect to the balances stated in 4(b) above and all other required information / documentation with respect to the aforesaid transactions / balances relating to ICC World T20 – 2016, we are unable to comment on the additional adjustments required, if any, to these financial statements on account of the above matters.

5. As stated in Note 41 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, Amounts Receivable from State Associations / Foreign Cricket Boards and Amounts Payable to State Associations / Foreign Cricket Boards amounting to Rs. 856.36 Crores (As at 31st March, 2016 – Rs. 451.87 Crores) and Rs. 1,527.97 Crores (As at 31st March, 2016 – Rs. 1,255.77 Crores), respectively, are subject to confirmation and reconciliation.

The Management of the Board has represented that additional adjustments required, if any, on account of the above would not be material and the same will be adjusted in the financial statements as and when identified.

In the absence of confirmation / reconciliation from the aforesaid parties, we are unable to form an opinion on the adjustments required, if any, to these financial statements in respect of the above

6. As stated in Note 25 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, the Board conducted T20 matches in the United States of America (USA T20) during the year ended 31st March, 2017 and recorded a surplus of Rs. 37.16 Crores during the current year. In this regard:

- (a) As stated in Note 25(a) of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, the Board has accounted for Income from Sale of Media Rights for the matches played in the United States of America (USA) amounting to Rs. 34.20 Crores on the basis of current understanding with the Media Rights Holder, in the absence of signed contracts / agreements.
- (b) As stated in Note 25(b) of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, the Board has accounted for Income from Sale of Tickets amounting to Rs. 13.87 Crores on the basis of information available with the Board and the ticket revenue statement on which certain agreed upon procedures were performed by a firm of Certified Public Accountants who have indicated that information with regard to the complimentary tickets is solely based on the email and report of the ticketing agency.

In the absence of sufficient and appropriate audit evidence with respect to the aforesaid matters relating to the USA T20 matches, we are unable to comment on the adjustments required, if any, to these financial statements in respect of the above

7. As stated in Note 42 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, the Hon. Supreme Court of India had passed certain orders and constituted a Committee to look into various matters relating to the Board, including the Indian Premier League. During the previous year ended 31st March, 2016, the Committee submitted its Report containing various recommendations and during the current year ended 31st March, 2017, the Hon. Supreme Court of India directed the Board and its member Associations to implement the Report, in line with its Order dated 18th July, 2016, as amended ("the Order") and appointed a Committee of Administrators to supervise the administration of the Board and oversee the implementation of the Order.

Whilst the Order inter alia contains certain compliance requirements for making payments to State Associations, which are yet to be implemented in totality, an amount of Rs. 694.98 Crores has been accounted as Amounts due to State Associations for the year ended 31st March, 2017, in accordance with the existing rules and as per the policy followed by the Board.

The Board / Members are in the process of taking up certain matters relating to the Order with the Hon. Supreme Court of India for which the hearings are in progress.

Since the above matter is sub judice, pending completion / conclusion of the above matter, we are unable to comment on the consequential impact arising out of the same on these financial statements.

VI QUALIFIED OPINION

Having regard to the matters described under the Basis for Reporting referred to in paragraph IV above, and except for the possible effects of the matters described under Basis for Qualified Opinion in paragraph V above, and read with the matters described under Emphasis of Matters in Paragraph VII below, we report as follows:

- a. we have sought and obtained all the information, responses and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit;
- b. in our opinion, proper books of account have been kept by the Board so far as it appears from our examination of those books;
- c. the Balance Sheet and the Income and Expenditure Account dealt with by this report are in agreement with the books of account;
- d. in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid financial statements, except for the possible effects of the matters described in paragraphs V (1) to (7) of the Basis for Qualified Opinion above, which are not quantifiable, give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:



- (i) in the case of the Balance Sheet, of the state of affairs of the Board as at 31st March, 2017; and
- (ii) in the case of the Income and Expenditure Account, of the surplus of the Board for the year ended on that date.

VII EMPHASIS OF MATTERS

- Attention is invited to Note 8 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, read with Notes 3(a) and 4(a) of Schedule 18 of the Accounts and Note 11 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts, regarding TDS matters with respect to PILCOM / INDCOM / WORLD CUP 1996 / Others for the reasons stated therein.
- Attention is invited to Note 12 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts regarding the show-cause cum demand notices, orders received from the Service Tax departments, which have been disputed by the Board, for the reasons stated therein.
- Attention is invited to Notes 14(b), 14(c), 16, 17, 18 of Schedule 18 of the Accounts regarding the disputes with certain franchisees, media right holders, and others which are pending negotiation or before various legal / judicial forums and the Board's assessment of the same.

Our opinion is not qualified in respect of the above matters.

VIII OTHER MATTER

Attention is invited to Note 22(II)(b) of Schedule 18 of the Accounts regarding the accounting of Income from Sale of Tickets amounting to Rs. 15.01 Crores relating to Play off Matches during the IPL Season 2016 on the basis of the information audited by other auditors and taken on record by the Board.

The reports of the other auditors have been furnished to us and our opinion, in so far as it relates to the aforesaid transactions and amounts included in these financial statements, is based solely on the reports of the other auditors.

Our opinion is not qualified in respect of the above matter.

For **DELOITTE HASKINS & SELLS LLP**
Chartered Accountants
(Firm's Registration No. 117366W/W-100018)

Sriraman Parthasarathy
Partner
(Membership No. 206834)

New Delhi, 25th October 2017
PS/EKP/2017/30

Balance Sheet as at 31st March 2017

Rs. in Crores

PARTICULARS	SCHEDULE	AS AT	AS AT
		31st MARCH, 2017	31st MARCH, 2016
SOURCES OF FUNDS			
General Fund	1	2,991.39	2,644.80
Earmarked Funds	2	1,999.65	1,706.67
Current Liabilities and Provisions	3		
- Sundry Creditors		2,095.29	1,794.31
- Advances		1,767.95	1,459.14
- Other Liabilities		284.85	240.16
- Provisions		4.72	3.72
		4,152.81	3,497.33
TOTAL		9,143.85	7,848.80
APPLICATION OF FUNDS			
Fixed Assets (Including Capital Advances)	4		
- Gross Block		99.95	49.02
- Less: Accumulated Depreciation / Amortisation / Impairment		38.70	36.11
- Net Block		61.25	12.91
Tax Deducted at Source / Tax Paid under Protest	5	3,679.86	3,134.97
Current Assets, Loans and Advances - Others	6		
- Cash and Bank		3,769.20	3,576.17
- Inventory		1.27	1.28
- Receivables and Loans and Advances		1,527.25	1,037.41
- Other Current Assets		105.02	86.06
		5,402.74	4,700.92
TOTAL		9,143.85	7,848.80
Notes to Accounts	18		

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Accounts

In terms of our report attached

For **Deloitte Haskins & Sells LLP**
Chartered Accountants

For and on behalf of **The Board of Control for Cricket in India**

Sriraman Parthasarathy
Partner

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Acting President

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Income and Expenditure Account for the Year ended 31st March, 2017

Rs. in Crores

PARTICULARS	SCHEDULE	2016-17	2015-16
INCOME			
Annual Subscription [Rs. 16,500 (Previous Year - Rs. 16,000)]		-	-
Income from Grant of Media Rights		1,036.80	648.00
Income from Men's Senior International Tours / Tournaments	7	202.65	149.44
Surplus from the India Tour to United States of America	8	37.16	-
Surplus from the Indian Premier League	9	365.96	210.51
Distributions from International / Asian Cricket Council (ICC / ACC) (Refer Note 35 of Schedule 18)		67.23	163.11
Minimum Guarantee Royalty		6.00	10.50
Interest Income	10	171.28	175.48
Other Income	11	4.47	8.31
TOTAL INCOME		1,891.55	1,365.35
EXPENDITURE			
Expenses of Men's Senior International Tours / Tournaments	12	67.32	45.10
Expenditure Related to Other Cricketing Activities	13	324.09	334.89
Production Costs		75.32	45.38
Amounts Due to State Associations (Refer Notes 39 and 42 of Schedule 18)		694.98	721.84
Deficit from Hosting of ICC World T20 - 2016 Tournament	14	10.53	11.54
Establishment and Other Expenses	15	62.88	46.91
Coaching Expenses	16	14.85	12.58
Interest on Funds		113.27	32.67
Depreciation, Amortisation and Impairment	4	1.80	2.41
Prior Period Expenses (Net) (Refer Note 38 of Schedule 18)		-	0.20
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		1,365.04	1,253.52
PARTICULARS	SCHEDULE	2016-17	2015-16

Rs. in Crores

Surplus before Exceptional Items		526.51	111.83
Exceptional Items (Net)	17	-	1,603.11
Surplus of Income over Expenditure		526.51	1,714.94
Add: Transferred from:			
Infrastructure Development Fund (State Associations) (Refer Note 5(a) of Schedule 18)		33.97	36.43
Platinum Jubilee Benevolent Fund (Monthly Gratis) (Refer Note 5(b) of Schedule 18)		24.68	24.71
Infrastructure for Cricket Development Fund (Refer Note 5(b) of Schedule 18)		0.92	2.49
Social Initiatives Fund (Cricket for Differently-abled) (Refer Note 5(b) of Schedule 18)		0.51	-
Less: Transferred to: (Refer Note 5(c) of Schedule 18)			
Infrastructure Development Fund (State Associations)		(115.00)	(750.00)
Infrastructure for Cricket Development Fund		(35.00)	(500.00)
Green Initiatives Fund		(35.00)	-
Social Initiatives Fund (Cricket for Differently-abled)		(5.00)	-
North East Infrastructure Development Fund		(50.00)	-
BALANCE CARRIED TO GENERAL FUND		346.59	528.57
Notes to Accounts	18		

The Schedules referred to above form an integral part of the Accounts
In terms of our report attached.

For **Deloitte Haskins & Sells LLP**
Chartered Accountants

For and on behalf of **The Board of Control for Cricket in India**

Sriraman Parthasarathy
Partner

Place : New Delhi
Date : 25th October, 2017

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Place : New Delhi
Date : 25th October, 2017

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Schedules forming part of the Accounts as at 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 1

Rs. in Crores

GENERAL FUND (Refer Note 6 of Schedule 18)	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2017	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2016
Balance as per last Balance Sheet	2,644.80	2,116.23
Add: Transferred from Income and Expenditure Account	346.59	528.57
TOTAL	2,991.39	2,644.80

Schedules forming part of the Accounts as at 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 2

Rs. in Crores

EARMARKED FUNDS (Refer Note 6 of Schedule 18)	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2017	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2016
Col. C.K. Nayudu Centenary Award Fund		
Balance as per Last Balance Sheet	0.26	0.24
Add: Interest @ 6.90% on Corpus (@ 8.20% in Previous Year)	0.02	0.02
	0.28	0.26
Benevolent Fund - General (Non-interest bearing)		
Balance as per Last Balance Sheet	1.09	1.55
Less: Payments made to Beneficiaries	(0.21)	(0.46)
	0.88	1.09
Cricket Museum Fund		
Balance as per Last Balance Sheet	4.42	4.26
Add: Interest @ 6.90% on Corpus (@ 8.20% in Previous Year)	0.14	0.16
	4.56	4.42
Infrastructure Development Fund (State Associations)		
Balance as per Last Balance Sheet	1,003.09	267.58
Add: Interest @ 6.90% on Opening Balance (@ 8.20% in Previous Year)	69.21	21.94
Add: Transferred from Income and Expenditure Account (Refer Notes 5(c) of Schedule 18)	115.00	750.00
Less: Transferred to Income and Expenditure Account (Refer Note 5(a) of Schedule 18)	(33.97)	(36.43)
	1,153.33	1,003.09
Platinum Jubilee Benevolent Fund (Monthly Gratis)		
Balance as per Last Balance Sheet	66.59	90.89
Add: Interest @ 6.90% on Corpus (@ 8.20% in Previous Year)	0.35	0.41
Less: Transferred to Income and Expenditure Account (Refer Note 5(b) of Schedule 18)	(24.68)	(24.71)
	42.26	66.59

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SCHEDULE 2

Rs. in Crores

EARMARKED FUNDS (Refer Note 6 of Schedule 18)	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2017	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2016
Infrastructure for Cricket Development Fund		
Balance as per Last Balance Sheet	631.22	123.58
Add: Interest @ 6.90% on Opening Balance (@ 8.20% in Previous Year)	43.55	10.13
Add: Transferred from Income and Expenditure Account (Refer Note 5(c) of Schedule 18)	35.00	500.00
Less: Transferred to Income and Expenditure Account (Refer Note 5(b) of Schedule 18)	(0.92)	(2.49)
	708.85	631.22
Green Initiatives Fund		
Balance as per Last Balance Sheet	-	-
Add: Transferred from Income and Expenditure Account (Refer Note 5(c) of Schedule 18)	35.00	-
Less: Transferred to Income and Expenditure Account	-	-
	35.00	-
Social Initiatives Fund (Cricket for Differently-abled)		
Balance as per Last Balance Sheet	-	-
Add: Transferred from Income and Expenditure Account (Refer Note 5(c) of Schedule 18)	5.00	-
Less: Transferred to Income and Expenditure Account (Refer Note 5(b) of Schedule 18)	(0.51)	-
	4.49	-
North East Infrastructure Development Fund		
Balance as per Last Balance Sheet	-	-
Add: Transferred from Income and Expenditure Account (Refer Note 5(c) of Schedule 18)	50.00	-
Less: Transferred to Income and Expenditure Account	-	-
	50.00	-
Total	1,999.65	1,706.67



Schedules forming part of the Accounts as at 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 3
Rs. in Crores

CURRENT LIABILITIES AND PROVISIONS	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2017	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2016
A. SUNDRY CREDITORS		
Amounts Payable to :		
- State Cricket Associations (Refer Notes 39 and 41 of Schedule 18)	1,527.82	1,255.65
- Foreign Cricket Boards (Refer Note 41 of Schedule 18)	0.15	0.12
- International Cricket Council (ICC) relating to ICC World T20 - 2016 Tournament (Refer Note 24(b) of Schedule 18)	-	53.86
- Franchisees	122.28	144.27
- Players	263.89	247.28
- Others	181.15	93.13
SUB-TOTAL (A)	2,095.29	1,794.31
B. ADVANCES		
Advances / Performance Deposits Received from:		
- Sponsors / Rights Holders	716.48	612.49
- Franchisees	294.35	338.73
Unearned Income		
- Media Rights (Refer Note 22(II)(a) of Schedule 18)	507.48	318.00
- Interest (Refer Notes 14, 17, 22(II)(a) of Schedule 18)	249.64	189.92
SUB-TOTAL (B)	1,767.95	1,459.14
C. OTHER LIABILITIES		
Benevolent Fund	0.71	0.17
TDS Payable	22.22	6.68
Others* (Refer Note 37 of Schedule 18)	261.92	223.31
SUB-TOTAL (C)	284.85	240.16
D. PROVISIONS		
Provision for Employee Benefits	4.72	3.72
SUB-TOTAL (D)	4.72	3.72
TOTAL (A+B+C+D)	4,152.81	3,497.33

*Includes:

- Amounts Received from Encashment of Bank Guarantees from Kochi Cricket Private Limited - Rs. 153.34 Crores (As at 31st March, 2016 - Rs. 153.34 Crores) - Refer Note 14(a) of Schedule 18.

- Amounts Received from PILCOM - Rs. 9.12 Crores (As at 31st March, 2016 - Rs. 9.12 Crores) - Refer Note 7 of Schedule 18.

Schedules forming part of the Accounts as at 31st March, 2017

FIXED ASSETS

A. CURRENT YEAR (OWNED / ACQUIRED UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED)

SCHEDULE 4
Rs. in Crores

PARTICULARS	GROSS BLOCK			ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION, AMORTISATION & IMPAIRMENT				NET BLOCK		
	AS AT 1st APRIL, 2016	ADDITIONS	DELETIONS / ADJUSTMENTS	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2017	AS AT 1st APRIL, 2016	FOR THE YEAR* ADJUSTMENTS	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2017	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2016	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2017	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2016
TANGIBLE ASSETS										
Leasehold land (Refer 32 of Schedule 18)	-	50.00	-	50.00	-	0.08	0.08	49.92	-	-
Buildings**	1.26	-	-	1.26	0.83	0.04	0.87	0.39	0.43	0.43
Improvements to Leasehold Premises	6.41	-	-	6.41	5.47	0.40	5.87	0.54	0.94	0.94
Training and Fitness Equipments***	12.36	-	-	12.36	7.06	0.80	7.86	4.50	5.30	5.30
Furniture and Fixtures	3.56	0.05	-	3.61	1.67	0.26	1.93	1.68	1.89	1.89
Air Conditioners, Refrigerators and Water Coolers										
Office Equipments	1.02	0.03	0.02	1.03	0.77	0.04	0.80	0.23	0.25	0.25
Computers***	4.30	0.28	-	4.58	1.87	0.41	2.28	2.30	2.43	2.43
Cars	3.87	0.12	0.02	3.97	3.86	0.12	3.97	-	0.01	0.01
Trophy Replicas and Cricket Memorabilia	0.16	-	-	0.16	0.12	0.01	0.13	0.03	0.04	0.04
INTANGIBLE ASSETS										
Copyright - Books	1.05	0.18	-	1.23	-	-	-	1.23	1.05	1.05
Trademarks	0.66	-	-	0.66	0.60	0.03	0.63	0.03	0.06	0.06
Software	13.31	0.31	-	13.62	13.31	0.31	13.62	-	-	-
CWIP (INCLUDING CAPITAL ADVANCES)										
Capital Work in Progress	0.81	-	-	0.81	0.30	0.11	0.41	0.40	0.51	0.51
	0.25	-	-	0.25	0.25	-	0.25	-	-	-
TOTAL	49.02	50.97	0.04	99.95	36.11	2.61	38.70	61.25	12.91	12.91
Previous Year	47.46	1.72	0.16	49.02	33.00	3.18	36.11	12.91	14.46	14.46

*Reconciliation of Depreciation / Amortisation / Impairment as above and the Income and Expenditure Account

	Rs. in Crores 2016-17
Depreciation / Amortisation / Impairment as per above	2.61
Less: Depreciation / Amortisation / Impairment relating to: IPL Assets (Refer Schedule 9)	0.49
NCA Assets (Refer Annexure 1 to Schedule 13)	0.32
DEPRECIATION / AMORTISATION / IMPAIRMENT AS PER INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT (EXCLUDING IPL / NCA)	1.80

**represents NCA Indoor Stadium constructed on Land owned by the Karnataka State Cricket Association.

***includes Assets costing Rs. 9.89 Crores located at third party locations (Training and Fitness Equipments - Rs. 7.13 Crores and Computers - Rs. 2.76 Crores)

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FIXED ASSETS

B. PREVIOUS YEAR (OWNED / ACQUIRED UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED)

SCHEDULE 4
Rs. in Crores

PARTICULARS	GROSS BLOCK			ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION, AMORTISATION & IMPAIRMENT			NET BLOCK		
	AS AT 1st APRIL, 2015	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2016	DELETIONS / ADJUSTMENTS	AS AT 1st APRIL, 2015	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2016	ON DELETIONS / ADJUSTMENTS	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2016	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2015	
TANGIBLE ASSETS									
Buildings**	1.26	1.26	-	0.78	0.83	-	0.43	0.48	
Improvements to Leasehold Premises	6.41	6.41	-	4.79	5.47	-	0.94	1.62	
Training and Fitness Equipments***	12.36	12.36	-	6.11	7.06	-	5.30	6.25	
Furniture and Fixtures	2.81	3.56	0.06	1.41	1.67	0.02	1.89	1.40	
Air Conditioners, Refrigerators and Water Coolers	1.06	1.02	0.04	0.73	0.77	0.01	0.25	0.33	
Office Equipments	3.87	4.30	0.04	1.47	1.87	0.02	2.43	2.40	
Computers***	3.66	3.87	0.01	3.66	3.86	0.01	0.01	-	
Cars	0.16	0.16	-	0.11	0.12	-	0.04	0.05	
Trophy Replicas and Cricket Memorabilia	0.95	1.05	-	-	-	-	1.05	0.95	
INTANGIBLE ASSETS									
Copyright - Books	0.67	0.66	0.01	0.60	0.60	0.01	0.06	0.07	
Trademarks	13.19	13.31	-	13.19	13.31	-	-	-	
Software	0.81	0.81	-	0.15	0.30	-	0.51	0.66	
CWIP (INCLUDING CAPITAL ADVANCES)									
Capital Work in Progress	0.25	0.25	-	-	0.25	-	-	0.25	
TOTAL	47.46	49.02	1.72	33.00	36.11	0.07	12.91	14.46	
Previous Year	44.83	47.46	2.98	30.31	33.00	0.14	14.46	14.52	

*Reconciliation of Depreciation / Amortisation / Impairment as above and the Income and Expenditure Account

	2015-16
Depreciation / Amortisation / Impairment as per Above	3.18
Less: Depreciation / Amortisation / Impairment relating to:	
IPL Assets (Refer Schedule 9)	0.39
NCA Assets (Refer Annexure 1 to Schedule 13)	0.38
DEPRECIATION / AMORTISATION / IMPAIRMENT AS PER INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT (EXCLUDING IPL / NCA)	2.41

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***includes Assets costing Rs. 7.45 Crores, located at third party locations (Training and Fitness Equipments - Rs. 6.91 Crores and Computers - Rs. 0.54 Crore)

****represents capital advances of Rs. 0.25 Crore, which have been impaired during the year ended 31st March, 2016.

Schedules forming part of the Accounts as at 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 5

Rs. in Crores

TAX DEDUCTED AT SOURCE / TAX PAID UNDER PROTEST (Refer Notes 9 & 10 of Schedule 18)	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2017	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2016
Tax Deducted at Source	2,292.39	2,008.59
Tax Paid under Protest	1,383.81	1,122.72
Taxes Paid - PILCOM / INDCOM / WORLD CUP 1996 (Refer Note 8 of Schedule 18)	3.66	3.66
TOTAL	3,679.86	3,134.97

Schedules forming part of the Accounts as at 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 6

Rs. in Crores

CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS AND ADVANCES - OTHERS	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2017	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2016
A. CASH AND BANK		
Cash on Hand	0.01	0.01
Balances with Scheduled Banks:		
- In Savings Accounts	0.02	0.02
- In Escrow Accounts (Refer Notes 3(b) and 22(II)(a) of Schedule 18)	11.82	26.72
- In ICC World Cup T20 2016 Account (Refer 24(b) of Schedule 18)	977.83	1,290.37
- Others (Refer Note 3(a) of Schedule 18)	86.84	115.70
- In Current Accounts (EEFC Accounts)	565.03	360.84
- In Fixed Deposit Accounts	153.34	153.34
- In Escrow Accounts (Refer Notes 4(b) and 22(II)(a) of Schedule 18)		
- Amounts Received from Banks against Encashment of Bank Guarantees - Kochi Cricket Private Limited (Refer Note 14(a) of Schedule 18)		
- Others (Refer Notes 4(a), 4(c) and 6 of Schedule 18)	1,974.31	1,629.17
SUB-TOTAL (A)	3,769.20	3,576.17
B. INVENTORY		
Stock of Cricket Balls	1.27	1.28
SUB-TOTAL (B)	1.27	1.28

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Schedules forming part of the Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 6

Rs. in Crores

CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS AND ADVANCES - OTHERS	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2017	AS AT 31st MARCH, 2016
C. RECEIVABLES AND LOANS AND ADVANCES		
Advances to / Amounts Receivable from:		
- State Cricket Associations (Refer Note 41 of Schedule 18)	711.99	285.67
- Foreign Cricket Boards (Refer Note 41 of Schedule 18)	2.29	5.02
- International Cricket Council (ICC)	31.08	54.72
- International Cricket Council (ICC) relating to ICC World T20 - 2016 Tournament (Refer Note 24(b) of Schedule 18)	8.55	-
- Asian Cricket Council (ACC)	0.12	0.93
- Franchisees	216.10	218.63
- Vendors relating to ICC World T20 - 2016 Tournament (Refer Note 24(b) of Schedule 18)	-	15.16
	970.13	580.13
Amounts Receivable from Sponsors / Rights Holders	181.69	55.57
Advance Infrastructure Subsidy / Other Advances to State Cricket Associations (Refer Note 41 of Schedule 18)	142.08	161.18
Indian Premier League Account		
- Season 2016	-	101.82
- Season 2017 (Refer Note 22(I)(a) of Schedule 18)	107.23	-
Entertainment Tax Recoverable (Refer Note 33(a) of Schedule 18)	2.75	3.29
Amount Receivable from Karnataka Industrial Area Development Board (Refer Note 32 of Schedule 18)	-	49.97
PILCOM (Refer Note 7 of Schedule 18)	6.55	6.55
Service Tax Input Credit (Refer Note 12(III) of Schedule 18)	39.09	43.21
Service Tax Paid/ Reversed Under Protest (Refer Note 12(II)(a) and 12(I)(xiv) of Schedule 18)	26.89	9.84
Excess Tax Deducted at Source Recoverable	11.23	4.58
Other Amounts Receivable and Deposits	41.79	36.29
Amounts Deposited with Prothonotary, Hon. Bombay High Court (Refer Note 17 of Schedule 18)	23.35	10.51
	1,552.78	1,062.94
Less: Provision for Doubtful Receivables and Loans and Advances	25.53	25.53
SUB-TOTAL (C)	1,527.25	1,037.41
D. OTHER CURRENT ASSETS		
Interest Accrued on Fixed Deposits (Net)	105.02	86.06
SUB-TOTAL (D)	105.02	86.06
TOTAL (A+B+C+D)	5,402.74	4,700.92

SCHEDULE 7

Rs. in Crores

INCOME FROM MEN'S INTERNATIONAL TOURS / TOURNAMENTS	2016-17	2015-16
Sponsorship Income	192.71	143.22
Participation Fees	9.94	1.69
Prize Money	-	4.53
TOTAL	202.65	149.44
Notes:		
Tour-wise summary of Income from International Tours / Tournaments:		
India Tour to Bangladesh (10 to 24 June, 2015)	-	9.99
India Tour to Zimbabwe (10 to 19 July, 2015)	-	12.00
India Tour to Sri Lanka (12 August to 1 September, 2015)	-	7.83
South Africa Tour to India (2 October to 7 December, 2015)	-	58.69
India Tour to Australia (12 to 31 January, 2016)	-	22.27
Sri Lanka Tour to India (9 to 14 February, 2016)	-	17.61
Asia Cup (24 February to 6 March, 2016)	9.94	8.08
ICC World T20 2016 (15 to 31 March, 2016)	-	12.97
India Tour to Zimbabwe (11 to 18 June, 2016)	16.70	-
India Tour to West Indies (21 July to 22 August, 2016)	11.13	-
New Zealand Tour to India (22 September to 29 October, 2016)	54.96	-
England Tour to India (9 November to 1 February, 2017)	75.57	-
Bangladesh Tour to India (9 to 13 February, 2017)	6.87	-
Australia Tour to India (23 February to 28 March, 2017)	27.48	-
TOTAL	202.65	149.44



Schedules forming part of the Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 8

Rs. in Crores

INDIA TOUR TO USA (27 and 28 AUGUST, 2016) (Refer Note 25 of Schedule 18)	2016-17
Sponsorship Income	7.97
Income from Grant of Media Rights (Refer Note 25(a) to Schedule 18)	34.20
Income from Grant of Instadia Rights	9.00
Income from Sale of Tickets (Net) (Refer Note 25(b) to Schedule 18)	13.87
TOTAL	65.04
Service Fees:	
- Production Cost	2.85
- Others	16.99
Sanction Fees to ICC	1.31
Venue Costs	0.55
Fees to Players	0.57
Fixed Daily Allowance to Players	0.29
Travelling Expenses	2.16
Stay Charges	0.84
Support Staff Expenses	0.04
Officials and Selectors Expenses	0.35
Miscellaneous Expenses	1.93
TOTAL	27.88
NET SURPLUS	37.16

Schedules forming part of the Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 9

Rs. in Crores

INDIAN PREMIER LEAGUE (Refer Note 22 of Schedule 18)	2016-17	2015-16
INCOME		
Media Rights Income (Refer Note 22(II)(a) of Schedule 18)	862.42	738.06
Franchisees Consideration	268.49	331.69
Management Fees (Refer Note 22(II)(f) of Schedule 18)	26.00	-
Sponsorship Income	215.94	204.16
Income from Sale of Tickets:		
- Playoff Matches held in India (Refer Note 22(II)(b) of Schedule 18)	15.01	15.94
- Opening Ceremony	-	0.81
Franchisee Licensing Income	0.18	0.41
Central Licensing Income	1.68	1.59
Income on account of Sponsorship Termination	-	4.40
Other Income	1.17	1.98
TOTAL	1,390.89	1,299.04
EXPENDITURE		
League Expenses	81.65	95.04
Amounts Due to State Associations (Refer Note 39 of Schedule 18)	206.14	232.18
Payments to Franchisees:		
- Net Central Rights	446.63	508.28
- Other Rights	0.17	1.39
Expenses of Playoff Matches	9.20	10.83
Medals, Trophies, Consumption of Cricket Balls and Kits and Clothing	2.01	2.41
Agency Fees	27.00	27.00
Prize Money	81.35	81.10
Release Fee to Foreign Boards (Refer Note 22(II)(d) of Schedule 18)	15.06	17.04
Expenses relating to League Matches:		
- Cost of Ticketing Arrangements with Franchisees (Refer Note 22(II)(c) of Schedule 18)	3.58	4.81
- Hosting Fees for League Matches Paid / Payable to State Associations (Refer Note 22(II)(g) of Schedule 18)	16.80	-
- Giant Score Board and Stadium Branding Expenses (Net)	8.02	8.58
- Other Expenses incurred towards League Matches (Refer Note 22(II)(e) of Schedule 18)	4.64	-
Entertainment Tax on Sale of Tickets of Playoff Matches	3.64	-
Opening Night Expenses	22.18	15.94
Accreditation Expenses	1.75	1.89
Administrative and Other Expenses (Refer Annexure to Schedule 9)	94.06	81.65
Loss on Exchange Fluctuation (Net)	0.56	-
Depreciation and Amortisation	0.49	0.39
SURPLUS TRANSFERRED TO INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT	365.96	210.51
TOTAL	1,390.89	1,299.04



Schedules forming part of the Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2017

ANNEXURE TO SCHEDULE 9 Rs. in Crores

ADMINISTRATIVE AND OTHER EXPENSES (Refer Note 36(a) of Schedule 18)	2016-17	2015-16
Salaries and Allowances	13.45	12.13
Gratuity	0.46	0.14
Ex-Gratia	-	0.98
Retainership Charges	0.93	1.32
Legal and Professional Charges (Refer Note 36(b) of Schedule 18)	0.82	3.50
Expenses on Statistician and Scorer	0.03	0.03
Photography Expenses	0.93	0.88
Meeting Expenses	2.19	1.74
Electricity Charges	0.50	0.41
Advertisement	44.65	20.22
Travelling and Stay Expenses	4.48	5.25
Communication Expenses	0.40	0.49
Printing and Stationery	0.12	0.61
Annual Maintenance Charges	0.25	0.20
Office Expenses	0.12	0.14
Insurance	2.59	3.97
Lease Rentals	2.92	2.91
Rates and Taxes	9.42	10.04
Website Expenses	2.95	2.59
Provision for Doubtful Receivables, Loans and Advances	-	8.71
Miscellaneous Expenses	6.85	5.39
TOTAL	94.06	81.65

Schedules forming part of the Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 10 Rs. in Crores

INTEREST INCOME	2016-17	2015-16
Interest on Fixed Deposits (Refer Notes 14, 17 and 22(II)(a) of Schedule 18)	128.10	122.63
Interest on Savings Bank Accounts	43.18	52.85
TOTAL	171.28	175.48

Schedules forming part of the Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 11 Rs. in Crores

OTHER INCOME	2016-17	2015-16
Penalty Recovered during Domestic / Champions League T-20 Tournaments	0.27	0.16
Hosting Fee / Participation Fee from ICC for Junior and Women's International Tournaments	0.14	0.71
Income from Archives	0.66	0.55
Tender Receipts	1.48	0.62
Gain from Exchange Fluctuation (Net)	-	1.40
Provision No Longer Required Written Back	1.92	2.87
Miscellaneous Income	-	2.00
TOTAL	4.47	8.31



Schedules forming part of the Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 12

Rs. in Crores

EXPENSES OF MEN'S INTERNATIONAL TOURS / TOURNAMENTS	2016-17	2015-16
Fees to Players	39.86	22.17
Fixed Daily Allowance to Players	5.09	3.65
Prize Money	-	6.78
Travelling Expenses	7.00	6.13
Stay Charges	6.99	3.05
Match Official Expenses	0.85	0.70
Support Staff Expenses	1.11	0.76
Insurance	0.01	0.02
Security Expenses	0.06	0.08
Officials and Selectors Expenses	0.15	0.53
Miscellaneous Expenses (Net)	6.20	1.23
TOTAL	67.32	45.10
Notes:		
Tour-wise summary of Expenses of International Tours/Tournaments:		
India Tour to Bangladesh (10 to 24 June, 2015)	-	3.57
India Tour to Zimbabwe (10 to 19 July, 2015)	-	3.45
India Tour to Sri Lanka (12 August to 1 September, 2015)	-	4.05
South Africa Tour to India (2 October to 7 December, 2015)	-	17.66
India Tour to Australia (12 to 31 January, 2016)	-	6.31
Sri Lanka Tour to India (9 to 14 February, 2016)	-	2.10
Asia Cup (24 February to 6 March, 2016)	-	2.67
ICC World T20 2016 (15 to 31 March, 2016)	-	5.29
India Tour to Zimbabwe (11 to 18 June, 2016)	3.90	-
India Tour to West Indies (21 July to 22 August, 2016)	7.80	-
New Zealand Tour to India (Net) (22 September to 29 October, 2016)	19.34	-
England Tour to India (9 November to 1 February, 2017)	20.52	-
Bangladesh Tour to India (9 to 13 February, 2017)	3.15	-
Australia Tour to India (23 February to 28 March, 2017)	12.61	-
TOTAL	67.32	45.10

Schedules forming part of the Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 13

Rs. in Crores

EXPENDITURE RELATED TO OTHER CRICKETING ACTIVITIES	2016-17	2015-16
DOMESTIC		
Men's Senior Tournaments		
Ranji Trophy	31.14	28.93
Vijay Hazare Trophy	7.42	6.75
Z.R. Irani Trophy	0.67	0.70
Duleep Trophy	2.59	-
D.B. Deodhar Trophy	0.91	1.17
Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy (T20)	4.00	5.36
Vizzy Trophy	0.20	0.20
Men's Junior Tournaments		
Col. C.K. Nayudu Trophy (U-22)	11.98	12.28
Cooch Behar Trophy (U-19)	13.56	12.41
Vinoo Mankad Trophy (U-19)	3.10	2.69
Vijay Merchant Trophy (U-16)	6.73	6.47
U19 - Inter Zonal Matches	0.61	0.61
U19 - Challenger	0.16	0.61
Affiliate & Affiliate Trophy	2.11	-
Women's Domestic Tournaments	15.49	12.98
SUB-TOTAL	100.67	91.16
INTERNATIONAL		
India 'A' International Tours		
Bangladesh 'A' Tour to India	-	1.49
South Africa 'A' and Australia 'A' tour to India	-	5.42
India 'A' Tour to Australia	4.00	-
Junior Team International Tours		
U-19 Tour to Sri Lanka	-	0.86
U-19 ICC World Cup - 2015	-	1.15
U-19 Triangular	-	1.27
England U-19 Tour to India	3.72	-
ACC Emerging Tournament	1.46	-
Women's International Tours		
New Zealand Women Tour to India	-	2.11
India Women's Tour to Australia	-	0.83
Sri Lanka Women's Tour to India	-	1.55
ICC Women's T20 World Cup - 2016	-	0.78
Women's Asia Cup	1.15	-
ICC Women's Championship	1.48	-
West Indies Women Tour to India	1.93	-
SUB-TOTAL	13.74	15.46
TOTALC/F	114.41	106.62

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Schedules forming part of the Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 13

Rs. in Crores

EXPENDITURE RELATED TO OTHER CRICKETING ACTIVITIES	2016-17	2015-16
TOTAL B/F	114.41	106.62
OTHERS:		
Expenses of National Cricket Academy (Refer Annexure 1 to Schedule 13)	22.86	19.87
Expenses of Specialist Academies (Refer Annexure 2 to Schedule 13)	0.89	1.12
Expenses of Champions League T20 (Refer Annexure 3 to Schedule 13 and Note 23 of Schedule 18)	-	9.95
Retainership to International Players	24.84	14.68
Lump sum Benefit to Players	22.80	-
Distribution of Annual Ranking Awards to Players	24.14	-
Additional payment to Players (Refer Note 26 of Schedule 18)	-	46.61
Gross Revenue Share Payable to Players (Refer Note 34 of Schedule 18)	37.29	56.35
Digital Archive Expenses	1.19	1.28
Consumption of Cricket Balls	2.94	2.81
Selection Committee Fees and Expenses	7.08	7.73
Curators Fees and Expenses	1.04	0.82
Medical Expenses of Players / Umpires	0.22	0.07
Anti-Doping Expenses	0.91	0.57
Kits and Clothing	0.46	0.19
Umpire / Referee Development	0.70	1.46
Other Cricketing Expenditure	0.20	0.27
Expenses on Earlier Year Tournaments (Net)	2.05	0.86
SUB-TOTAL	149.61	164.64
	264.02	271.26
EXPENSES INCURRED OUT OF FUNDS:		
Infrastructure Development Fund (State Cricket Associations) (Refer Note 5(a) of Schedule 18)	33.97	36.43
Platinum Jubilee Benevolent Fund (Monthly Gratis) (Refer Note 5(b) of Schedule 18)	24.67	24.71
Infrastructure for Cricket Development Fund (Refer Note 5(b) of Schedule 18)	0.92	2.49
Social Initiatives Fund (Cricket for Differently-abled) (Refer Note 5(b) of Schedule 18)	0.51	-
TOTAL	324.09	334.89

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ANNEXURE - 1 TO SCHEDULE 13

Rs. in Crores

EXPENSES OF NATIONAL CRICKET ACADEMY	2016-17	2015-16
Staff Remuneration and Benefits	0.69	1.25
Office and Administrative Expenses	0.59	0.47
Remuneration to Coaches and Physiotherapist	3.62	1.83
Conditioning Camp Expenses	16.41	14.89
Training Match Expenses	0.04	0.03
Rehabilitation of Players Expenses	0.62	0.73
Professional Charges (Refer Note 36(b) of Schedule 18)	0.13	0.13
Depreciation and Amortisation	0.32	0.38
Miscellaneous Expenses	0.44	0.16
TOTAL	22.86	19.87

ANNEXURE - 2 TO SCHEDULE 13

Rs. in Crores

EXPENSES OF SPECIALIST CRICKET ACADEMIES	2016-17	2015-16
Remuneration to Coaches	0.08	0.07
Hosting Fee to Associations	0.25	0.25
Staff Remuneration and Benefits	0.31	0.39
Camp Expenses	0.25	0.41
TOTAL	0.89	1.12

ANNEXURE - 3 TO SCHEDULE 13

Rs. in Crores

EXPENSES OF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE - T20	2016-17	2015-16
Legal and Professional Charges (Refer Note 36(b) of Schedule 18)	-	0.16
Meeting Expenses	-	0.02
Advertisement	-	0.04
Travelling and Stay Expenses	-	0.29
Website Expenses	-	0.35
Insurance	-	1.38
Rates and Taxes	-	0.03
Interest on delayed remittance of TDS on Participation Fees to Cricket Boards	-	7.68
TOTAL	-	9.95



Schedules forming part of the Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 14

Rs. in Crores

ICC WORLD T20 - 2016 TOURNAMENT (Refer Note 24 of Schedule 18)	2016-17	2015-16
INCOME		
Hosting Fees (Net of Service Tax amounting to Rs. 0.26 Crores (Previous Year - Rs. 7.95 Crores)) (Refer Note 24(a) of Schedule 18)	1.73	55.08
TOTAL	1.73	55.08
EXPENDITURE		
Hosting Fees to Associations (Refer Note 24(a) of Schedule 18)	1.79	57.31
Service Tax (Refer Note 24(c) of Schedule 18)	3.90	9.31
Security Costs (Refer Note 24(e) of Schedule 18)	5.33	-
Cost of Tickets	1.24	-
TOTAL	12.26	66.62
NET DEFICIT	(10.53)	(11.54)

Schedules forming part of the Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2017

SCHEDULE 15

Rs. in Crores

ESTABLISHMENT AND OTHER EXPENSES	2016-17	2015-16
Salaries and Allowances	10.69	6.77
Gratuity	0.45	0.10
Ex-Gratia	-	0.57
Retainership Charges	0.91	0.99
Finance / Working Committee Meeting Expenses	0.15	0.36
International / General Body Meeting Expenses	0.87	0.39
Legal and Professional Charges (Refer Note 36(b) of Schedule 18)	28.60	17.02
Lease Rent (including property tax)	0.89	1.50
Rates and Taxes	4.96	6.12
Travelling and Stay Expenses	2.60	1.71
Communication Expenses	0.30	0.25
Printing and Stationery	0.09	0.12
Advertisement	1.20	0.39
Awards and Function Expenses	2.39	1.57
Insurance	1.51	1.08
Loss on Exchange Fluctuation (Net)	1.90	-
Provision for Doubtful Receivables, Loans and Advances	-	2.67
Miscellaneous Expenses	5.37	5.30
TOTAL	62.88	46.91

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SCHEDULE 16

Rs. in Crores

COACHING EXPENSES	2016-17	2015-16
Fees and Expenses of Coaches and Support Staff	12.77	5.39
Fees and Expenses of Team Director	-	5.82
Fees and Expenses of Physiotherapist	1.34	0.93
Expenses of Conditioning Camps	0.74	0.44
TOTAL	14.85	12.58

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SCHEDULE 17

Rs. in Crores

EXCEPTIONAL ITEMS (NET)	2016-17	2015-16
Net Surplus from Discontinuance of Champions League T20 Tournament (Refer Note 23 of Schedule 18)	-	1,607.58
Provision for Doubtful Receivables (Refer Note 22(IV)(1)(a)(i) of Schedule 18)	-	(4.47)
Reversal of Amounts considered as Recoverable	-	(3.50)
Reversal of Provision for Doubtful Receivables	-	3.50
TOTAL	-	1,603.11



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SCHEDULE 18

NOTES TO ACCOUNTS

1. STATUS AND PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The Board of Control for Cricket in India (the Board), is registered as a Society under the Societies Registration Act, 1860 and the Tamil Nadu Societies Registration Act, 1975.

The Board is a full member of the International Cricket Council (ICC) and the Asian Cricket Council (ACC).

The primary objects of the Board as per its Rules and Regulations are promoting, developing and controlling the game of Cricket in India.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Background & Accounting Convention

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the stipulations of the Rules and Regulations of the Board, the decisions and directions of the Committee of Administrators appointed by the Hon. Supreme Court of India, as applicable, and the Orders of the Hon. Supreme Court of India, as applicable, and on the basis of the decisions taken by the General Body, the Working Committee, the Finance Committee, the IPL Governing Council and the CLT20 Governing Council, as applicable.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Board's financial reporting process.

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention, following the accrual concept of accounting in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India (Indian GAAP), including the applicable Accounting Standards.

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the accounts are consistent with those followed in the previous year.

(b) Use of Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements requires the Management to make estimates and assumptions considered in the reported amounts of assets and liabilities (including contingent liabilities) as of the date of the financial statements and the reported income and expenses during the year. Such estimates are necessarily based on assumptions regarding several factors. The Management believes that the estimates used in the preparation of the financial statements are prudent and reasonable. Future results may vary from these estimates. Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the year in which the estimate is revised and future years affected.

Key sources of judgments and estimation of uncertainty include useful lives of fixed assets, impairment of fixed assets, provisioning for doubtful receivables, estimating the liabilities arising out of taxation, litigations, regulatory / judicial proceedings, etc.

(c) Management's Assessment and Matters Significant to the Accounts

The financial statements of the Board have been prepared in accordance with the Significant Accounting Policies and based on the Management's assessment of various matters relating to the internal investigations, ongoing regulatory / judicial / legal proceedings, litigations, direct and indirect tax disputes, other regulatory compliances, etc. which are significant to the Board, and taking into account the decisions

and directions of the Hon. Supreme Court of India / Committee of Administrators appointed by the Hon. Supreme Court of India, as applicable. The final outcome of these matters, including the related legal interpretations, where applicable, could have a significant impact on the financial statements and the Management's evaluation of the same is very critical and fundamental to the preparation of the financial statements.

(d) Income and Expenditure Account

The Board has considered the incomes earned in the nature of Media Rights Income, Income from International Tours, Sponsorship Income, Distributions from ICC, Other Income, etc. and the Expenses of Mens' Senior International Tours / Tournaments, Expenditure Related to Other Cricketing Activities, Production Costs, Amounts Due to State Associations, Establishment and Other Expenses, Interest on Funds, etc. directly in the Income and Expenditure Account. The Surplus / Deficit arising out of IPL / other one off special tournaments are determined separately and disclosed in the Income and Expenditure Account.

(e) Fixed Assets

Fixed Assets are accounted at cost. The cost of fixed assets comprises their purchase price net of any trade discounts and rebates, import duties and other taxes, eligible borrowings costs and any directly attributable expenditure on making the asset ready for their intended use.

(f) Depreciation and Amortisation

Depreciation on the following assets have been provided on the Written Down Value method duly considering the rates specified in the Income Tax Rules, 1962 to represent the estimated useful lives of the assets, as assessed by the Board:

Particulars	Rate of Depreciation (%)
Training and Fitness Equipment	15
Furniture and Fixtures	10
Air Conditioners, Refrigerators and Water Coolers	15
Office Equipment	15
Computers	60
Cars	15

Buildings constructed on land owned by others are depreciated over 10 years or the intended period of usage, whichever is lower.

Improvements to Leasehold Premises are depreciated over the primary lease period.

Trophy Replicas and Cricket Memorabilia are carried at cost and are not depreciated.

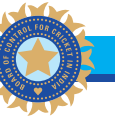
Intangible Assets such as Copyrights, Trademarks etc. are amortised over a period not exceeding 10 years depending on their estimated useful lives. The estimated useful lives of the intangible assets and the amortisation period are reviewed at the end of each financial year and the amortisation method is revised to reflect the changed pattern, where applicable.

Assets used for a period of less than 180 days during the year are depreciated at 50% of the applicable rates, in the year of acquisition and disposal.

Depreciation is accelerated on fixed assets, based on their condition, usability, etc., as per the estimates of the Board, where necessary.

(g) Revenue Recognition

Revenue is recognised on accrual basis, when there is reasonable certainty in the ultimate realisation, as follows:



- (i) Revenue from international tours is recognised based on the earnings from the matches played during the year.
 - (ii) Sponsorship Income is recognised on the basis of number of matches played based on the contractual terms with the respective Sponsors.
 - (iii) Media Rights Income, Franchisee Consideration, Rights Income for each Season of the Tournament, Minimum Guarantee Royalty and Central Licensing Income are recognised based on the contractual terms with the respective parties.
 - (iv) Income from grant of in-stadia rights is recognised on the basis of the contractual terms entered into with the respective rights holders.
 - (v) Income from Sale of Tickets is recognised on accrual basis in the period in which matches are held.
 - (vi) Net Distribution of Surplus from the International Cricket Council (ICC) / Asian Cricket Council (ACC) is accounted as and when determined / distributed by ICC / ACC.
 - (vii) Subscription Income from the State Associations is recognised on accrual basis based on the rules framed by the Board.
 - (viii) Income such as franchisee licensing income, additional sponsorship income, disputed revenue claims, prize money income from international tours, interest on delayed payments by sponsors / rights holders, compensation received for cancelled tournaments and other miscellaneous recoveries / claims by the Board are accounted as and when there is reasonable certainty regarding their ultimate realisation.
 - (ix) Share Transfer Income is accounted on accrual basis based on the contractual terms and in accordance with the directions of the Finance Committee / Working Committee of the Board. Revisions, if any, to the amounts recognised are made as and when revisions are finalised / determined by the Board and when there is reasonable certainty regarding their ultimate realisation.
 - (x) Any increase / reduction / adjustment of income recognised in the prior years, which has been agreed upon in the current year is adjusted against the current year's income.
 - (xi) Interest Income on fixed deposits is recognised on time-proportion basis.
- (h) Indian Premier League**
- Tournament related Income and Expenses of the Indian Premier League are recognised in the Income and Expenditure Account in the year in which the Tournament is completed. Until then, such Incomes and Expenses are carried in the Balance Sheet. The related Administrative and Other Expenses are accounted as a period cost and are booked on accrual basis in the period in which the costs are incurred.
- (i) International Tours**
- The Income / Expenditure relating to International Series which are conducted over two financial years are recognised in each of the financial years proportionately on the basis of the number of matches held.
- (j) Foreign Currency Transactions**
- Foreign Currency Transactions (other than foreign currency denominated transactions which are mutually agreed between the parties at pre-fixed exchange rates) are accounted at the exchange rates prevailing on the date of the transaction or at the rates which approximate the rates that prevailing on the date of the transaction. Year-end monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are restated at the exchange rates prevailing on the last day of the accounting year. The gain / loss arising on account of such translation / restatement is recognised in the Income and Expenditure Account.

(k) Stock of Cricket Balls

Closing Stocks of Cricket Balls are valued at the lower of cost determined based on First In First Out method and the Net Realisable Value.

(l) Amounts Due to the State Associations

Amounts Due to the State Associations represent those amounts that are determined by the Board as due to the members of the Board in accordance with the established Policies / Rules / Decisions of the Board. Also refer Note 42.

(m) Employee Benefits

(i) Defined Contribution Plan

Contributions towards Employees' Provident Fund are made to the Employees' Provident Fund Scheme maintained by the Central Government and the Board's Contribution to the Fund is charged to the Income and Expenditure Account.

(ii) Defined Benefit Plan

The Board estimates its liability towards employees' gratuity based on an actuarial valuation done by an independent actuary using the Projected Unit Credit method as at the Balance Sheet date. Obligation under the defined benefit plan is measured at the present value of the estimated future cash flow using a discounted rate that is determined by reference to the prevailing market yields at the Balance Sheet date on Government Bonds where the currency and terms of the Government Bonds are consistent with the currency and estimated term of the defined benefit obligation. Actuarial gains and losses are recognised in the Income and Expenditure Account in the year in which they occur. The estimate of future salary increase takes into account inflation, likely increments, promotions and other relevant factors.

(iii) Compensated Absences

The liability for compensated absences carried forward on the Balance Sheet date is provided for based on an actuarial valuation done by an independent actuary using the Projected Unit Credit method at the Balance Sheet date. The liability includes the long-term component accounted on a discounted basis and the short-term component accounted on an undiscounted basis.

(iv) Other Employee Benefits

Other employee benefits are recognised based on the terms of the employment contract.

(n) Monthly Gratis

The Board accounts for Monthly Gratis as and when paid, being a voluntary / non-obligatory / non-binding payment by the Board, to eligible players / umpires as per the rules approved by the Board.

(o) Earmarked Funds

The Board earmarks funds on a periodical basis out of the General Fund for utilisation towards specified activities of the Board. Interest is credited to these funds on the corpus / balance available, as decided by the Board, on an annual basis. The unutilised balances in Earmarked Funds are reviewed by the Board on a periodical basis and are written back to the General Fund, wherever required, through the Income and Expenditure Account.

(p) Infrastructure Subsidy

Infrastructure Subsidy to the State Associations is accounted based on the claims / relevant supporting documentation submitted by the State Associations, along with independently authenticated certificates



of Chartered Accountants obtained by them and furnished to the Board, duly considering the infrastructure subsidy rules formulated by the Board.

(q) Leases

Lease arrangements where the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of an asset substantially vest with the lessor are recognised as operating leases. Lease rentals under operating leases are recognised in the Income and Expenditure Account on a straight-line basis over the period of the lease.

(r) Insurance Claims

Insurance Claims are accrued for on the basis of claims admitted and to the extent there is no uncertainty in receiving the claims.

(s) Administrative Expenses

Administrative expenses include amounts paid / payable to office bearers, players, staff, etc. relating to claims made by them towards daily allowance, travelling allowance, travel expenses, incidental expenses, reimbursements, etc. in accordance with the Board's policies and rules.

(t) Service Tax Input Credit

Eligible Service Tax Input Credit is accounted for in the books during the period in which the underlying service received is accounted and when there is no uncertainty in availing / utilising the same.

(u) Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets

Provisions are recognised only when there is a present or legal obligation as a result of past events for which it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the transaction and a reliable estimate can be made for the amount of the obligation. Contingent liability is disclosed for (i) Possible obligations which will be confirmed only by future events not wholly within the control of the Board or (ii) Present obligations arising from past events where it is not probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation or a reliable estimate of the amount of the obligation cannot be made. Contingent assets are neither recognised nor disclosed in the financial statements.

(v) Exceptional Items

Items of income or expenditure from ordinary activities which are of such size, nature or incidence that their separate disclosure is relevant to explain the performance of the Board for the period, are considered as exceptional items in the Income and Expenditure Account.

3. BALANCES WITH BANKS

- (a) Bank balances include a savings account having a balance of Rs. 0.47 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 0.47 Crore) which has been attached by the Income Tax Authorities with respect to the PILCOM / INDCOM / WORLD CUP 1996 tax matters (Refer Note 8 below).
- (b) Bank balances include a savings account having a balance of Rs. 0.02 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 0.02 Crore) which has been retained in a separate escrow account as per the order of the Honourable Supreme Court with respect to the Arbitration with World Sports Group India Private Limited (Refer Note 22(II)(a) below).

4. FIXED DEPOSITS

- (a) Fixed Deposits aggregating Rs. 0.75 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 0.70 Crore) have been pledged with a bank as security for the guarantee of Rs. 0.55 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 0.55 Crore) issued by the bank on behalf of PILCOM in accordance with the order of the Income Tax Appellate Tribunal (Refer Note 8 below).
- (b) Fixed Deposits aggregating Rs. 565.03 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 360.84 Crores) have been retained

in separate escrow fixed deposits as per the order of the Honourable Supreme Court with respect to the Arbitration with World Sports Group India Private Limited (Refer Note 22(II)(a) below).

- (c) Fixed Deposits aggregating Rs. 1.71 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 1.10 Crores) have been provided as margin money for the bank guarantee of Rs. 1.36 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 1.05 Crores) issued by the bank favouring the Deputy Commissioner, Customs in connection with import of production equipment on re-export basis.

5. FUNDS

- (a) During the year, the Board has distributed an amount of Rs. 33.97 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 36.43 Crores) as Infrastructure Subsidy Claims of the State Associations.
- (b) During the year, the Board has utilised an amount of Rs. 24.68 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 24.71 Crores) out of the Platinum Jubilee Benevolent Fund (Monthly Gratis), Rs. 0.92 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 2.49 Crores) out of the Infrastructure for Cricket Development Fund, Rs. 0.51 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. Nil Crore) out of the Social Initiatives Fund (Cricket for Differently-abled) in accordance with its policy.
- (c) During the year, the Board has transferred an amount of Rs. 115 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 750 Crores) to the Infrastructure Development Fund (State Associations), Rs. 35 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 500 Crores) to the Infrastructure for Cricket Development Fund, Rs. 35 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. Nil Crore) to the Green Initiatives Fund, Rs. 5 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. Nil Crore) to the Social Initiatives Fund (Cricket for the differently-abled), and Rs. 50 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. Nil Crore) to the North East Infrastructure Development Fund from the Income and Expenditure Account out of the total income for the year ended 31st March, 2017.

6. INVESTMENT OF FUNDS

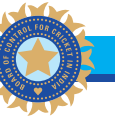
The Board creates earmarked funds for utilisation towards specific activities. These funds are comingled with the General Fund of the Board and are invested in approved instruments.

7. PILCOM

The amount shown as receivable from PILCOM as at 31st March, 2017 is Rs. 6.55 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 6.55 Crores) and is included under Current Assets, Loans and Advances - Others (Schedule 6). During the year ended 31st March, 2009, the Board had received USD 2.16 Million (Equivalent Rs. 9.12 Crores) from the PILCOM Account maintained with Citi Bank N.A., London. Pending receipt of complete information regarding the nature of this receipt, the amount of Rs. 9.12 Crores has not been adjusted against the amount of Rs. 6.55 Crores receivable from PILCOM, but has been included under Current Liabilities and Provisions (Schedule 3). Also refer Note 37 below.

8. PILCOM/INDCOM/WORLD CUP 1996 - TAX STATUS

- (a) The Income Tax Authorities have treated PILCOM as an agent of various bodies / agencies and cricketers for World Cup 1996 to whom payments had been made. The payments so made have been treated as income taxable in the respective parties' / persons' hands in India. Accordingly, assessments were completed and demand notices aggregating Rs. 22.40 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 22.40 Crores) were served on PILCOM as an agent of the said parties / persons. Penalty proceedings had also been initiated for concealment of income. Based on the appeals filed by PILCOM at various appellate levels and the Orders passed by the Income Tax Appellate Tribunal / Honourable Calcutta High Court accepted the claim of PILCOM that the amount received by other Boards (Guarantee Money) and the players (Prize Money) from PILCOM cannot be assessed in the hands of PILCOM except for a demand of Rs. 1.29 Crores upheld by the ITAT, against which PILCOM had filed an appeal before the Honourable Calcutta High Court, which is pending.
- (b) In respect of tax to be deducted by PILCOM on payments made, the Honourable Calcutta High Court



has passed orders in respect of 2 cases specifying that PILCOM was liable to deduct tax at source on the payments made to Foreign Cricket Boards. The total amount demanded was Rs. 0.39 Crore, which was already recovered by the Department. PILCOM has filed a Special Leave Petition (SLP) before the Honourable Supreme Court against the order of the Honourable Calcutta High Court, which is pending.

- (c) During the year ended 31st March 2015, PILCOM has received an order wherein the Honourable Calcutta High Court quashed the order of the Tribunal, that services rendered by certain parties in respect of World Cup 1996 could not be treated as Fee for Technical Services and consequently, PILCOM is not liable to deduct tax at source.
- (d) In respect of payment made by INDCOM to various parties, Income Tax aggregating Rs. 0.83 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 0.83 Crore) has been paid under protest to the appropriate authorities. Pending resolution of the dispute regarding the applicability of tax deduction provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961 to the payments made, the Board has not issued tax deduction certificates and such certificates would be issued to the payees should the matter be finally decided against the Board and the amount will be adjusted in the year of resolution of the dispute.
- (e) Amounts recoverable from PILCOM include payments aggregating Rs. 0.45 Crore (Previous Year - Rs. 0.45 Crore) made under protest to the Income Tax Authorities. Further, the authorities had also demanded interest aggregating Rs. 0.64 Crore (Previous Year - Rs. 0.64 Crore) which the Board paid under protest. An appeal had been filed against the demand of interest, which had been dismissed by the ITAT. The Board had preferred an appeal with the Honourable Calcutta High Court which is pending. Further, the ACIT had raised a demand of Rs. 0.10 Crore (Previous Year - Rs. 0.10 Crore) under Section 220(2) for which the Board had preferred an appeal before CIT (TDS) and paid Rs. 0.10 Crore under protest. The CIT (A) had confirmed the demand of Rs. Nil Crore (Rs. 53,806) for non-deduction of TDS, which the Board has paid under protest and preferred an appeal with the ITAT, which is pending.
- (f) The Board had provisionally been assessed for the income earned by PILCOM during Assessment year 1996-97 from the World Cup 1996 by the Income Tax Authorities and a demand of Rs. 62.68 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 62.68 Crores) had been served, which had been disputed and against which an appeal had been filed, which has been settled in favour of the Board. However, the Income Tax Authorities have filed an appeal before the ITAT Bombay against the said order and the ITAT Bombay has adjourned the matter and there is no progress with respect to the same.

Based on professional advice, the Board believes that no liability is required to be booked in the financial statements in this regard.

9. INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT STATUS

I. Financial Years 2008-09 and thereafter:

- (a) The Board had registered itself under Section 12A of the Income Tax Act, 1961. During the year ended 31st March, 2010, the Board received a communication from the Director of Income Tax (Exemption), Mumbai stating that the registration granted to the Board under Section 12A of the Income Tax Act, 1961 is not valid from 1st June, 2006, the date on which the Objects and Memorandum of the Board were amended. The Board's appeal with the ITAT against the said communication had been dismissed as non-maintainable by the ITAT. The ITAT has held that the benefits of registration under Section 12A cannot be extended to the amended objects. However, without prejudice, the Board believes that the benefits of registration under Section 12A would continue to be available for the original objects of the Board.

During the previous year ended 31st March, 2013, the Board had filed an appeal before the Honourable High Court of Bombay against the order of the ITAT and the Board has also filed a writ petition before the Honourable High Court of Bombay to stay the communication of the Director

of Income Tax. During the previous year ended 31st March, 2015, the Honourable High Court of Bombay admitted the appeal of the Board and directed that both the writ petition and the appeal are interconnected with the same matter and, therefore they would be heard together.

- (b) During the previous year ended 31st March, 2009, the Board had also received a letter from the Income Tax Department requesting the Board to analyse its facts and pay the necessary advance tax consequent to the amendment of the definition of "Charitable Purpose" under Section 2(15) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.
- (c) Notwithstanding the above and the status of the assessments for the various assessment years indicated in (III) below, no provision for Income Tax has been made in the books for the year ended 31st March, 2017 and the years ended 31st March, 2009 to 2016 which is similar to the stand taken by the Board for prior periods, since the Board has been legally advised that the Board would continue to enjoy exemption under Section 11 of the Income Tax Act, 1961 considering that the operations of the Board would continue to be covered by the amended definition of "Charitable Purpose" under Section 2(15) of the Income Tax Act, 1961, and the Board would continue to enjoy the benefits of the registration under Section 12A of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

II. Periods Prior to Financial Year 2008-09:

The Department has filed appeals for the financial year 1998-99 and 1999-2000 before the ITAT questioning the exemption under Section 11 of the Income Tax Act, 1961. Further, the Department has denied the exemption under Section 11 of the Income Tax Act, 1961 for the financial years 2006-07 and 2007-08 as described in the notes below. Further, the Honourable High Court of Bombay has quashed the writ petitions filed by the Board challenging the reassessment proceedings for the financial years 2003-04, 2004-05 and 2005-06 by the Department in which the exemption under Section 11 was proposed to be denied. However, considering the fact that for the financial years 2000-01, 2001-02 and 2002-03, the Assessments under Section 143(3) have been completed allowing the exemption under Section 11, the Board expects a favourable decision with respect to the disputes relating to the financial years 1998-99, 1999-2000, 2003-04, 2004-05, 2005-06, 2006-07 and 2007-08 as detailed below based on professional advice and, hence, believes that no liability towards tax is required to be provided for in the financial statements.

III. Year-wise Assessment Status:

- (a) For the financial year 1997-98, the Income Tax Authorities had withdrawn the tax exemption given to the Board under Section 10(23) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 and had raised a demand aggregating Rs. 10.17 Crores (inclusive of interest amounting to Rs. 3.74 Crores). The Board had preferred an appeal with the CIT (A) against the said demand and had deposited Rs. 4.03 Crores under protest, being the amount demanded by the Department. The CIT (A) through its order restored the exemption under Section 10(23) but sustained disallowance of expenditure amounting to Rs. 0.75 Crore. The Board filed an appeal with the ITAT and the ITAT allowed the appeal in favour of the Board and referred the matter back to the Assessing Officer for verifying the expenses incurred out of the INDCOM Bank Account, which is pending.
- (b) For the financial year 1998-99, the Income Tax Authorities denied the benefit of Section 11 of the Income Tax Act, 1961 to the Board and raised a Tax demand aggregating Rs. 4.10 Crores (inclusive of interest amounting to Rs. 1.38 Crores). The Board preferred an appeal with the CIT (A) against the said demand. The CIT (A) through its order substantially allowed the appeal but sustained disallowance of expenditure amounting to Rs. 0.10 Crore resulting in a demand of Rs. 0.03 Crore. The Board and the Department have gone on appeal against the order of the CIT (A) before the ITAT, which is pending. In the meanwhile, the Board paid Rs. 0.03 Crore under protest and during the year ended 31st March, 2009, the Board received refund of Rs. 2.66 Crores (including interest



amounting to Rs. 0.62 Crore), for the financial year 1998-1999 after adjusting the demand of Rs. 0.03 Crore.

- (c) For the financial year 1999-2000, the Income Tax Authorities denied the benefit of Section 10(23) and Section 11 of the Income Tax Act, 1961 to the Board and raised a Tax demand aggregating Rs. 18.21 Crores (inclusive of interest amounting to Rs. 5.95 Crores). The Board preferred an appeal against the said demand. The CIT (A) through its order substantially allowed the appeal but sustained disallowance of expenditure amounting to Rs. 0.15 Crore, resulting in a demand of Rs. 0.10 Crore. The Board has gone on appeal against the order of the CIT (A) before the ITAT, which is pending. In the meanwhile, the Board paid Rs. 0.10 Crore under protest and during the year ended 31st March, 2009, the Board received refund of Rs. 3.24 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 0.77 Crore), for the financial year 1999-2000 after adjusting the demand of Rs.0.10 Crore.
- (d) The Income Tax Department has disallowed the interest on benevolent fund in assessing the income of the Board for financial years 2000-01, 2001-02, 2002-03, 2003-04, 2004-05 & 2005-06. For financial years 2000-01, 2002-03, 2003-04, 2004-05 & 2005-06, the disallowance was made at the time of regular assessment and with regard to financial year 2001-02, the disallowance was made during the reassessment proceedings. Based on an appeal filed by the Board against the above disallowance, the ITAT passed an order on 27th March, 2012, holding that interest on Benevolent Fund is allowable as application of income for financial years 2000-01 to 2005-06. The orders were passed under the scenario that the Board is registered under Section 12A and is eligible for exemption under Section 11 of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

For the financial years 2000-01, 2001-02 and 2002-03, Interest on Benevolent Fund has been allowed, as the income of the Board has been assessed allowing the exemption available under Section 11. However, for financial years 2003-04, 2004-05 & 2005-06 the interest on Benevolent Fund has been disallowed since, the income of the Board was assessed as an AOP carrying Business. (Refer Note (e), (f) and (g) below).

Against the order of the ITAT, the department has filed an appeal before the Honourable High Court of Bombay. The Honourable High Court of Bombay has quashed the appeal of the Department and upheld the order of the Tribunal.

- (e) The Board received intimation under Section 143(1) from the Income Tax Authorities for the financial year 2003-04. Vide this intimation, the Income Tax Authorities granted a refund of Rs. 2.80 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 0.12 Crores) of which Rs. 1.07 Crores was originally adjusted against the demand for financial year 2000-01.

The assessment under Section 143(3) for the financial year 2003-04 was completed and an order was passed by the Income Tax Officer (Exemptions), Mumbai. The Board was recognised under Section 12A and the assessment was completed allowing the exemption under Section 11.

However, during the year ended 31st March, 2011, the Board received a notice under Section 148 from the Income Tax Department stating that the income in respect of financial year 2003-04 escaped assessment within the meaning of Section 147 of the Income Tax Act, 1961. The Board filed a writ petition before the Honourable High Court of Bombay challenging the reopening of assessment which was dismissed by the Honourable High Court of Bombay against the Board. Following the order of the Honourable High Court of Bombay, the Department completed the reassessment and demanded Rs. 52.41 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 21.37 Crores) vide order under Section 143(3) read with Section 147. The Board has filed an appeal with the CIT (A) against the aforesaid order, which is pending. The Board has also filed a petition under Section 154 for rectification of mistakes in the aforesaid order, which is pending disposal.

The Assessing Officer recovered an amount of Rs. 32.41 Crores out of the refund due for the financial year 2011-12. Further, the Board also paid the balance amount of Rs. 20 Crores under protest.

- (f) The assessment under Section 143(3) for the financial year 2004-05 was completed and an order was passed by the Additional Director of Income Tax (Exemptions) Mumbai. As per the order, the Board was recognised under Section 12 (A) and the assessment was completed under Section 11.

However, during the year ended 31st March, 2011, the Board received a notice under Section 148 from the Income Tax Department stating that the income in respect of financial year 2004-05 has escaped assessment within the meaning of Section 147 of the Income Tax Act, 1961. The Board filed a writ petition before the Honourable High Court of Bombay challenging the reopening of assessment which was dismissed by the Honourable High Court against the Board.

Following the order of the Honourable High Court of Bombay, the Department completed the reassessment and demanded an amount of Rs. 91.46 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 35.57 Crores) vide order under Section 143(3) read with Section 147. The Board preferred an appeal against the said demand. The CIT (A) through its order partially allowed the appeal and revised the tax liability to Rs. 85.32 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 29.43 Crores). The Board has filed an appeal against the order of CIT (A) before the ITAT, which is pending. The Board has also filed a petition under Section 154 for rectification of mistakes in the aforesaid order which is pending disposal.

The Assessing Officer recovered an amount of Rs. 71.46 Crores out of the refund due for the financial year 2011-12. Further, the Board also paid the balance amount of Rs. 20 Crores under protest.

- (g) For the financial year 2005-06, intimation under Section 143(1) was received in December 2007 along with refund of Rs. 8.32 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 0.63 Crore). The assessment under Section 143(3) for the financial year 2005-06 was completed and an order was passed by the Additional Director of Income Tax (Exemptions), Mumbai. As per the order, the Board was recognised under Section 12A and the assessment was completed under Section 11.

However, during the year ended 31st March, 2011, the Board received a notice under Section 148 from the Income Tax Department stating that the income in respect of financial year 2005-06 has escaped assessment within the meaning of Section 147 of the Income Tax Act, 1961. The Board filed a writ petition before the Honourable High Court of Bombay challenging the reopening of assessment which was dismissed by the Honourable High Court. Following the order of the Honourable High Court of Bombay, the Department completed the reassessment and passed an order wherein the tax liability has been revised to Rs. 222.93 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 99.40 Crores). During the previous year ended 31st March, 2016, the Assessing Officer has passed an Order under Section 154 wherein the tax liability has been revised to Rs. 185.03 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 61.50 Crores). The Board preferred an appeal against the said demand. The CIT (A) through its order partially allowed the appeal and revised the tax liability to Rs. 174.68 Crores (including interest of Rs. 56.77 Crores). The Board has gone on appeal against the order of CIT (A) before the ITAT, which is pending.

The Board also paid an amount of Rs. 30.13 Crores under protest. The Assessing Officer recovered an amount of Rs. 192.80 Crores out of the refund due for the financial year 2012-13.

- (h) For the financial year 2006-07, intimation under Section 143(1) was received along with a refund of Rs. 26.97 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 1.49 Crores). Based on scrutiny assessment, the Board has received an order under Section 143(3) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 wherein, the



exemption under Section 11 has been denied and the income of the Board has been assessed in the status of an Association of Persons (AOP) and an amount of Rs. 123.45 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 29.44 Crores) has been demanded. The Department adjusted an amount of Rs. 92.68 Crores of refund receivable for the financial year 2007-08 (Refer (i) below) against the amount of tax demanded and also an amount of Rs. 30.77 Crores of refund receivable for the financial year 2008-09 (Refer (j) below) against the amount of tax demanded. The Board filed an appeal before the CIT (A) against the aforesaid order.

In the meanwhile, the Assessing Officer re-opened the assessment for the financial year 2006-07 and the assessment under Section 143 (3)(ii) read with Section 147 was completed and an order was passed wherein the tax liability has been revised to Rs.208.55 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs.53.28 Crores). The Board preferred an appeal against the said demand. During the current year ended 31st March, 2017, the CIT (A) allowed the appeal and revised the tax liability to Rs. 123.45 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 29.44 Crores).

The Assessing Officer recovered an amount of Rs. 17.76 Crores out of the refund due for the financial year 2011-12. Further, the Board also paid an amount of Rs. 67.33 Crores under protest. (Refer (m) below).

In the meanwhile, the Department had once again issued a notice under Section 148 reopening the assessment for financial year 2006-07 for the second time. The re-opening proceedings were initiated by the Income Tax Department stating that certain income has escaped assessment. The assessment under Section 143(ii) read with Section 147 was completed for the second time and an order was passed with an additional demand of Rs 51.22 Crores which is proposed to be adjusted against the refund for financial year 2007-08. The Board has preferred an appeal against the said demand, which is pending adjudication.

In addition, the Department has initiated penalty proceedings under Section 271(1)(c) and 271B of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

- (i) For the financial year 2007-08, an order under Section 143(3) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 was passed, wherein, the exemption under Section 11 has been denied and the income of the Board has been assessed as an AOP carrying on business and an amount of Rs. 271.02 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 54.69 Crores) has been demanded. Further, the Department also adjusted an amount of Rs. 130.79 Crores of refund receivable for the financial year 2008-09 (Refer (j) below) against the tax demanded. The Board filed an appeal before the CIT (A) against the aforesaid order, which is pending.

As indicated in (h) above, the Department has adjusted an amount of Rs. 92.68 Crores (including interest on refund of Rs. 9.56 Crores) of refund receivable towards the demand for the financial year 2006-07.

The Assessing Officer recovered an amount of Rs. 115.54 Crores out of the refund due for the financial year 2010-11. Further, the Board also paid an amount of Rs. 24.69 Crores under protest. (Refer (l) below).

In the meanwhile, the Assessing Officer re-opened the assessment for the financial year 2007-08 and the assessment under Section 143 (3)(ii) read with Section 147 was completed and an order was passed wherein the tax liability has been revised to Rs. 413.78 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 80.25 Crores). The Board preferred an appeal against the said demand. The CIT (A) through its order allowed the appeal and revised the tax liability to Rs. 271.02 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 54.69 Crores).

During the year ended 31 March 2013, based on communication from Income Tax Department, the Board had paid an amount of Rs. 149.49 Crores under protest.

In the meanwhile, the Department had issued a notice under Section 148 reopening the assessment for financial year 2007-08 for the second time. During the year ended 31st March, 2016, the Assessing Officer issued an Order under Section 143(3)(ii) read with Section 147 with an additional demand of Rs 53.42 Crores. The Board has preferred an appeal against the said demand, which is pending.

- (j) For the financial year 2008-09, the Board received an order under Section 143(3) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 wherein, the exemption under Section 11 has been denied and the income of the Board has been assessed in the status of an AOP and an amount of Rs. 413.59 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 69.22 Crores) has been demanded.

The Board filed an appeal before the CIT (A) against the aforesaid order, which is pending. The Board has also filed a petition under Section 154 for rectification of the aforesaid order of the ACIT, Mumbai and received a partial rectification order under Section 154 wherein the tax liability has been revised to Rs. 378.17 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 77.46 Crores).

The Assessing Officer recovered an amount of Rs. 182.15 Crores out of the refund due for the financial year 2009-10 (Refer (k) below). The Board's appeal for absolute stay of demand has been rejected and the Board was directed to pay a sum of Rs. 125.31 Crores. Consequently, the Board paid an amount of Rs. 125.31 Crores under protest.

The demand is due to income assessed for FY 2007-08 and once again the same income being assessed for FY 2008-09, thus leading to double addition. The Board has also filed a petition under Section 154 to rectify this mistake. During the previous year ended 31st March, 2015, the Department passed orders against Section 154 petition and consequently the tax liability was revised resulting in refund of Rs. 71.55 Crore. While rectifying the mistake, the Assessing Officer disallowed the credit of TDS for certain items. Against such disallowance, the Board has filed an appeal before the CIT (A) which is pending. As indicated in (h) and (i) above, the Department adjusted an amount of Rs. 30.77 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 5.41 Crores) of refund receivable towards the demand for the financial year 2006-07 and an amount of Rs. 130.79 Crores of refund receivable towards the demand for the financial year 2007-08.

In the meanwhile, the Department has issued a notice under Section 148 for re-opening of the assessment stating that certain income has escaped assessment. During the year ended 31st March, 2014, the assessment under Section 143(ii) read with Section 147 was completed and an order was passed. The order for reassessment was passed subsequent to the rectification. As a result, the refund due reduced to Rs. 60.35 Crores against the refund of Rs. 71.55 Crore, as determined by the rectification petition. In addition, the Department has initiated penalty proceedings under Section 271(1)(c) of the Income Tax Act, 1961. The Board filed an appeal before the CIT (A) against the aforesaid re-assessment order, which is pending.

- (k) For the financial year 2009-10, during the assessment, the Department, as indicated in Note (j) above, adjusted an amount of Rs. 182.15 Crores towards the demand for the financial year 2008-09. For the financial year 2009-10, the Assistant Commissioner of Income-Tax, Mumbai passed an order dated 12th February, 2013, under Section 143(3) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 wherein, the exemption under Section 11 has been denied and the income of the Board has been assessed in the status of an AOP and an amount of Rs. 337.11 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 48.95 Crores) has been demanded. The Board filed an appeal before the CIT (A) against the aforesaid order, which is pending.



The Board has also paid an amount of Rs. 270.00 Crores under protest. Further, based on the discussions with the Income Tax Department, the Board has voluntarily submitted a tax audit report as required under Section 44AB of the Income Tax Act, 1961 without prejudice to the Board's contention that it does not carry on any business.

Further, during the year, a portion of the refund pertaining to financial year 2013-14 amounting to Rs. 67.11 Crores was adjusted towards the outstanding demand.

- (l) For the financial year 2010-11, during the assessment, the Department, as indicated in Note (i) above, adjusted an amount of Rs. 115.54 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 6.54 Crores) out of refund for the financial year 2010-11 towards the demand for the financial year 2007-08. For the financial year 2010-11, the Assistant Commissioner of Income-Tax, Mumbai passed an order dated 30th December, 2013, under Section 143(3) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 wherein, the exemption under Section 11 has been denied and the income of the Board has been assessed in the status of an AOP and an amount of Rs. 335.39 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 64.11 Crores) has been demanded. The Board filed an appeal before the CIT (A) against the aforesaid order, which is pending.

The Board has also paid an amount of Rs. 220.59 Crores under protest. Further, based on the discussions with the Income Tax Department, the Board has voluntarily submitted a tax audit report as required under Section 44AB of the Income Tax Act, 1961 without prejudice to the Board's contention that it does not carry on any business.

In the meanwhile, the Assessing Officer re-opened the assessment for the financial year 2010-11 and the assessment under Section 143 (3)(ii) read with Section 147 was completed and an order was passed wherein the tax liability has been revised to Rs. 99.15 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 43.80 Crores). The Board preferred an appeal against the said demand.

In addition, the Department has initiated penalty proceedings under Sections 271(1)(c) and 271B of the Income Tax Act, 1961 and the Board has filed its replies against penalty proceedings.

Further, during the year, a portion of the refund pertaining to financial year 2013-14 amounting to Rs. 67.39 Crores was adjusted towards the outstanding demand

- (m) For the financial year 2011-12, the Department, adjusted the refund amount of Rs. 121.64 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 6.34 Crores) for the year towards the demand for the financial year FY 2003-04, FY 2004-05 and FY 2006-07. For the financial year 2011-12, the Assistant Commissioner of Income-Tax, Mumbai passed an order dated 30th December, 2013, under Section 143(3) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 wherein, the exemption under Section 11 has been denied and the income of the Board has been assessed in the status of an AOP and an amount of Rs. 478.84 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 69.39 Crores) has been demanded. The Board filed an appeal before the CIT (A) against the aforesaid order, which is pending. The Board has also filed rectification petition under Section 154 for short credit of Tax Deducted at Source (TDS), which is pending disposal.

The Board has also paid an amount of Rs. 355.09 Crores under protest. Further, based on the discussions with the Income Tax Department, the Board has voluntarily submitted a tax audit report as required under Section 44AB of the Income Tax Act, 1961 without prejudice to the Board's contention that it does not carry on any business.

In addition, the Department has initiated penalty proceedings under Sections 271(1)(c) and 271B of the Income Tax Act, 1961 and the Board has filed its replies against the penalty proceedings.

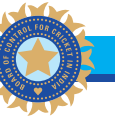
Further, during the year, a portion of the refund pertaining to financial year 2013-14 amounting to Rs. 121.94 Crores was adjusted towards the outstanding demand.

- (n) For the financial year 2012-13, the Department, adjusted the entire refund granted of Rs. 192.80 Crores against the tax demand for the financial year 2005-06. The Assistant Commissioner of Income-Tax, Mumbai passed an Order dated 3rd March, 2016, under Section 143(3) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 wherein, the exemption under Section 11 has been denied and the income of the Board has been assessed in the status of an AOP and an amount of Rs. 351.99 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 92.41 Crores) has been demanded. The Board has filed an appeal before the CIT (A) against the aforesaid order, which is pending. The Board has also paid an amount of Rs. 60.00 Crores under protest. Further, the Assessing Officer recovered an amount of Rs. 46.93 Crores out of the refund due for the financial year 2004-05.
- (o) The Board filed its Return of Income for the financial year 2013-14 and received intimation under Section 143(1) from the Income Tax Authorities for the financial year 2013-14 granting a refund of Rs. 256.44 Crores (including interest amounting to Rs. 12.21 Crores). The Department had adjusted the entire refund granted of Rs. 256.44 Crores against the tax demand for the financial years 2009-10, 2010-11 and 2011-12 at Rs. 67.11 Crores, Rs. 67.39 Crores and Rs. 121.94 Crores respectively. Based on the scrutiny assessment, the Board has been assessed in the status of an Association of Person (AOP) and an amount of Rs. 756.49 Crores (including interest of Rs. 45.71 Crores) has been demanded. The Board has filed a petition under section 154 for rectification of mistakes in the aforesaid order. The Department has passed an order under section 154 and revised the Tax Demand to Rs. 404.46 Crores (including interest of Rs. 45.71 Crores). The Board has filed an appeal before the CIT (A) against the aforesaid order subsequent to the year ended 31st March, 2017, which is pending.
- The Assessing Officer recovered an amount of Rs. 58.93 Crores and Rs. 191.81 Crores out of the refund due for the financial year 2006-07 and 2007-08 respectively.
- (p) The Board had initially filed its Return of Income for the financial year 2014-15, based on the available unaudited information. Subsequently, the Board has filed a revised Return of Income for the financial year 2014-15 based on the audited information, after adoption of accounts and received notice under Section 143(2) from the Income Tax Authorities for the financial year 2014-15, which is pending to be heard.
- (q) The Board had filed its Return of Income for the financial year 2015-16, which is yet to be taken up for assessment by the Department.
- IV. The Board, based on professional advice, believes that no provision for income tax is required to be made and it has a good case to continue to avail the exemption under Section 11 of the Income Tax Act, 1961 and enjoy the benefits of registration under Section 12A of the Income Tax Act, 1961 notwithstanding the demands / disputes raised by the income tax department which have been challenged by the Board before various appellate/ judicial authorities. Also refer Note 10 below.

10. TDS / TAXES PAID UNDER PROTEST

TDS / Taxes Paid under Protest represent:

- (a) Tax aggregating Rs. 2.28 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 2.28 Crores), which had been deducted on behalf of PILCOM.
- (b) The amount of TDS aggregating Rs. 0.83 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 0.83 Crore) paid under protest in respect of payments made by INDCOM to various parties.
- (c) Tax aggregating Rs. 0.37 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 0.37 Crore), which had been deducted on income



accruing to INDCOM but in respect of which tax deduction certificates had been issued in favour of PILCOM.

- (d) Tax aggregating Rs. 0.18 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 0.18 Crore) deducted on income accruing to INDCOM.
- (e) Tax aggregating Rs. 0.90 Crore (Previous Year – Rs.0.90 Crore) deposited under protest in respect of a matter settled in favour of the Board. However, the Income Tax Authorities have preferred an appeal against the order of CIT (A).
- (f) Tax aggregating Rs. 4.03 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 4.03 Crores) referred to in Note 9(III)(a) above.
- (g) The amount of Interest on TDS aggregating Rs. 1.09 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. Nil) referred to in Note 11(g) below.
- (h) Tax paid under protest amounting to Rs. 1,374.13 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 1,117.79 Crores) for various financial years.
- (i) TDS Receivable amounting to Rs. 2,294.39 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 2,008.59 Crores) which includes amounts adjusted by the Department on a suo-moto basis against the demands outstanding for various years.

The total amount of TDS / Tax Paid under Protest receivable by the Board from the Income Tax authorities as at 31st March, 2017 amounts to Rs. 3,679.86 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 3,134.97 Crores). The Board would be entitled to a refund of the tax deducted from the payments made to it and tax paid under protest, together with interest thereon, if it is held that it is exempt from Income Tax. Also refer Note 9 above.

Further, the Board is in the process of reconciling the TDS / Taxes Paid under Protest as per the books with the income tax returns / orders / records / other communication from the tax department duly considering the various TDS disallowances, suo moto adjustments by the Department against tax demands, etc.

In the opinion of the Board, the entire amount of TDS / Tax Paid under Protest is good for recovery as at 31st March, 2017, since the Board believes that it is exempt from tax.

11. TAX DEDUCTIBLE AT SOURCE

- (a) The TDS Officer made a demand for the financial years 1992-93 to 1996-97 and 1998-1999 on the Board for non-deduction of Tax on Guarantee Money paid to Foreign Boards. The Board has succeeded in the appeal before the CIT (A). On appeal by the Department, the ITAT Mumbai in its order dated 28th February, 2007 remanded the matter to the Assessing Officer for examining the nature of payments and after ascertaining the true character of payments to then decide on their taxability. The TDS Officer called for certain details such as MOU between the Board and the Foreign Boards and evidence to prove that "Guarantee Money" is not of income nature, which was provided by the Board to the TDS Officer. There is no further progress in the matter.
- (b) The Income Tax Department demanded TDS amounting to Rs. 0.23 Crore on the Board for Guarantee Money paid to the Australian Board for the financial year 1995-96. The same was paid by the Board under protest during April 2001. The Income Tax Appellate Tribunal by its order dated 25th May, 2007 allowed the appeal in favour of the Department. The Board filed an appeal in the Honourable High Court of Bombay and the matter has been sent back to the Income Tax Officer (International Taxation) for examining the nature of payment and to then decide on its taxability, which is in progress.
- (c) During the financial year 2011-12, the Board received intimation under Section 200A of the Income Tax Act, 1961 for the financial year 2010-11 regarding short deduction of TDS amounting to Rs. 9.09 Crores (including interest of Rs. 0.90 Crore). The Board requested for details regarding the same from the Department and there is no further progress in the matter.
- (d) The Board received a letter from ACIT (TDS) dated 15th March, 2012 stating that TDS amounting to Rs.

0.20 Crore is outstanding to be paid by the Board with respect to the financial year 2010-11. The Board requested for details from the Department and there is no further progress in the matter.

- (e) The Board received an order under Section 272A(2) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 dated 16th December, 2011 from ACIT (TDS) levying a penalty for late filing of Quarterly TDS Statements(s) for the Assessment year 2011-12. A demand of Rs. Nil Crore (Rs. 46,200) has been raised. The Board preferred an appeal against the said demand before the CIT (A). The CIT (A) through its Order disallowed the appeal and confirmed the penalty. The Board has filed an appeal against the order of CIT (A) to ITAT, which is pending.
- (f) During the previous year ended 31st March, 2016, the Board has deducted tax on the payments made to Cricket Australia and Cricket South Africa in connection with the discontinuation of the CLT20 Tournament (Refer Note 23 below) by way of abundant caution, since the Board believes that no tax is required to be deducted on such payments. The Board has filed an appeal under Section 248 of the Income Tax Act, 1961 with CIT (A) with regard to the same. Subsequent to the year end 31st March 2017, the CIT (A) has passed an order stating that the same is taxable in India and rejected the claim for refund. The Board is in the process of filing an appeal against the order of CIT (A) before the ITAT.
- (g) During the year ended 31st March 2017, the Board has received two notices under section 276B from Income Tax Officer - (International Tax) demanding information relating to the payments made by the Board to non-residents, reason for delay in remittance of TDS thereon etc. for the financial year 2013-14 and 2014-15. The Board has filed its reply stating that all tax deducted by the Board on payments made to the non-residents have been remitted by the Board along with the interest, if any. As at 31st March 2017, the hearings in this connection are pending to be concluded by the Department. The Board has paid an amount of Rs. 1.09 Crores under protest.
- (h) During the year ended 31st March, 2017, the Board has received a demand of Rs. 128.73 Crores towards short / non-remittance of TDS from the financial year 2007-08 to 2016-17. The Board has filed its reply duly requesting the department to rectify the demand amount in line with the demand as per the TRACES platform which is only Rs. 7.94 Crores. As at 31 March 2017, the matter is pending to be concluded.

Based on professional advice, the Board believes that tax has been deducted where applicable on all payments made and hence there is no financial exposure on this account.

12. SERVICE TAX

I. SHOW CAUSE-CUM-DEMAND NOTICES

The Board has received various show cause-cum-demand notices during various financial years. The amounts demanded and the nature of demands by the Service Tax Department are summarised below:-

- (i) An amount of Rs. 2.76 Crores towards Service Tax on Advertising Agency Services for the financial year 2004-05.
- (ii) An amount of Rs. 42.81 Crores towards Service Tax on sponsorship money / logo money, royalty income and media rights (BCCI) under categories of Advertising Agency Services and Intellectual Property Services for the financial year 2005-06.
- (iii) An amount of Rs. 39.21 Crores towards Service Tax on royalty income and media rights (BCCI) by categorising the receipts as towards provision of Intellectual Property Services for the financial year 2006-07.
- (iv) An amount of Rs. 80.51 Crores towards Service Tax on royalty income and media rights (BCCI) by categorising the receipts as towards provision of Intellectual Property Services for the financial year 2007-08.



- (v) Financial Year 2008-09:
- An amount of Rs. 54.54 Crores towards Service Tax on royalty income and media rights (BCCI) by categorising the receipts as towards provision of Intellectual Property Services.
 - An amount of Rs. 1.72 Crores towards Service Tax on Franchisee Share Transfer Fee, Player Fees, Franchisee Licensing Income and Pouring Rights.
- (vi) Financial Year 2009-10:
- An amount of Rs. 85.16 Crores towards Service Tax on royalty income, media rights income (BCCI) and rights income by categorising the receipts as towards provision of Intellectual Property Services.
 - An amount of Rs. 0.46 Crores towards Service Tax on Franchisee Share Transfer Fee, Player Fees and Pouring Rights.
- (vii) Financial Year 2010-11:
- An amount of Rs. 65.79 Crores towards Service Tax on royalty income, media rights income (BCCI) and rights income by categorising the receipts as towards provision of Intellectual Property Services.
 - An amount of Rs. 0.07 Crores towards Service Tax on Franchisee Licensing Income
- (viii) Financial Year 2011-12:
- An amount of Rs. 1.44 Crores towards Service Tax on Minimum Guarantee Royalty Income and Performance Bonus.
 - An amount of Rs. 0.05 Crores towards Service Tax Input Credit reversal and an amount of Rs. 0.06 Crores towards Interest on wrongly availed Service Tax Input Credit
 - An amount of Rs. 0.02 Crores towards the Service Tax Input Credit on Catering, Air Travel Services etc.
- (ix) Financial Year 2012-13:
- An amount of Rs. 1.48 Crores towards Service Tax on Minimum Guarantee Royalty Income and Performance Bonus.
 - An amount of Rs. 5.02 Crores towards Service Tax on Media Right Income under Franchisee Services.
 - An amount of Rs. 0.08 Crores towards Service Tax Input Credit reversal and an amount of Rs. 0.07 Crores towards Interest on wrongly availed Service Tax Input Credit.
- (x) Financial Year 2013-14:
- An amount of Rs. 7.42 Crores towards Service Tax on Media Right Income under Franchisee Services.
 - An amount of Rs. 0.25 Crores towards Utilisation of Service Tax Input Credit on air travelling.
- (xi) Financial Year 2014-15:
- An amount of Rs. 5.89 Crores towards Service Tax on Media Right Income under Franchisee Services.
 - An amount of Rs. 0.02 Crores towards Utilisation of Service Tax Input Credit on air travelling.

(xii) Service Tax on Non-Monetary Items:

- The Board has received show cause-cum-demand notice for an amount of Rs. 17.03 Crores towards Service Tax on non-monetary consideration relating to Media Rights for IPL Season 2009 to IPL Season 2014.
- The Board has received show cause-cum-demand notice for an amount of Rs. 9.99 Crores towards Service Tax on Reverse Charge Mechanism for IPL Season 2009 to IPL Season 2012.

(xiii) Service tax on amounts encashed from bank guarantees:

During the previous year ended 31st March 2016, the Board has received a show cause-cum-demand notice for an amount of Rs. 22.66 Crores towards service tax on amount received by the Board through encashment of bank guarantees relating to Kochi Cricket Private Limited (Refer Note 14(a) below) and Nimbus Communication Limited (Refer Note 17 below).

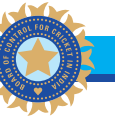
- (xiv) During the year ended 31st March 2017, the Board has received a letter from the Service Tax Department based on the EA-2000 audit observations instructing the Board to reverse service tax input credit availed during the period 2011-12, 2012-13, 2014-15 and 2015-16 on IPL Franchisee Fees, Amount due to State Associations, Legal Consultancy and Production related services, as it relates to Sponsorship Income earned by the Board, which is not taxable in the hands of the Board. Accordingly, the Board has reversed an amount of Rs. 16.91 Crores under protest, which represents the service tax input credit reversed on Franchisee Fees, Legal Fees and Production Cost relating to financial years 2014-15 and 2015-16.

Further, subsequent to the EA-2000 Audit, the Board has received a Show Cause Notice amounting to Rs. 0.35 Crores duly demanding to add the value of merchandise received from Clothing Sponsors in the value of sponsorship services and accordingly demanding Service Tax Input Credit reversal since the sponsorship fees is not an output service. The Board is in process of filing its submission before the adjudicating authority as at 31st March 2017

Based on professional advice, the Board believes that it has a good case and accordingly, has replied to all the above show cause-cum-demand notices listed in (i) to (xiv) above contesting and challenging the claims of the Service Tax Department

II. ORDERS/APPEALS

- (a) During the previous year ended 31st March 2016, the Board received orders from the Commissioner of Service Tax confirming demands aggregating Rs. 131.19 Crores towards service tax on media rights income (IPL) for the financial years 2008-09 to 2011-12 by categorising the receipts relating to media rights income as being in the nature of Franchisee Services. The department has also sought to levy a penalty of Rs. 114.00 Crores. The Board has disputed the Order and has filed an appeal before the Central Excise and Service Tax Appellate Tribunal (CESTAT) against the aforesaid order and has paid an amount of Rs. 9.84 Crores under Protest. Based on professional advice, the Board believes that it has a good case.
- (b) During the previous year ended 31st March, 2015, the Board received an order from the Commissioner of Service Tax confirming the demand of Rs. 1.60 Crores along with Interest and Penalty towards Service Tax on production cost of IPL Season 2010 by categorising the payments as towards provision of Programme Producer Services. Against the aforesaid order, the Board believes that it has good case and accordingly, has filed an appeal before CESTAT, which is pending disposal.
- (c) Service tax on amounts received from ICC Business Corporation FZLLC (IBC) in relation to the World Cup T20 held in India:



During the year ended 31 March 2017, the Board has received an order for an amount of Rs. 13.85 Crores towards rejection of service tax refund claim made by the Board for the services provided to International Cricket Council (ICC) through IBC in connection with the ICC T20 World Cup 2016. The Board has filed an appeal against the said order.

- (d) During the previous year ended 31st March, 2016, the Board received an order from the Commissioner of Service Tax confirming a penalty of Rs. Nil Crore (Rs. 20,000) on the Board contending that the Board has issued invoices on an Indian Party for the services relating to a Foreign Party during the period 1st July, 2012 to 31st March, 2014. The Board has filed an appeal before the CESTAT, which has been set aside by the CESTAT.
- (e) Subsequent to the year ended 31st March 2017, the Board has received an order for an amount of Rs. 0.12 Crore from the Commissioner of Service Tax (Appeals) levying the Service Tax on certain Services. The matter has been remanded back by the Commissioner of Service Tax (Appeals) to the adjudicating authority for re-assessment, which is pending.

III. SERVICE TAX INPUT CREDIT

As at 31st March, 2017, the Board has accounted for an amount of Rs. 39.09 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 43.21 Crores) as Service Tax Input Credit on various services received from third parties and has disclosed the same as receivable under “Service Tax Input Credit” (Schedule 6).

The Board has claimed / is in the process of claiming the same as input credit in the Statutory Returns with the service tax authorities. The Input Credit has been accounted for based on the assessment of the Board and professional advice obtained by the Board regarding the future utilisation / recoverability of the same after making due adjustments towards potential disallowances, if any. Refer Note 12(l)(xiv).

13. SALES TAX / VAT ASSESSMENT STATUS

- (a) The Delhi Sales Tax Authorities assessed the Board's income from Broadcasting Rights for Sales Tax and completed assessment for financial years 1996-97 to 2001-02 and raised Sales Tax demands aggregating Rs. 1 Crore. The Board preferred appeals against the said demands. The Delhi Sales Tax Authorities have kept the appeals pending and the demand in abeyance
- (b) The Maharashtra Sales Tax / VAT Authorities sent a notice to the Board seeking to levy VAT on granting of broadcasting rights to different persons and on franchisee consideration. The taxability is intended to be restricted to the rights used in Maharashtra. However, the Board has been legally advised that no transfer of goods is involved in the transaction of granting media rights / franchisee consideration, and, therefore, no VAT is payable. The Board applied to the Commissioner of Sales Tax, Maharashtra for advance ruling. During the previous year ended 31st March, 2015, the Deputy Commissioner of Sales Tax (L.M.), Mumbai requested the Board to confirm whether the Board has fulfilled the condition described in Section 56(1) of the MVAT Act, 2002 for determination proceedings under Advance Ruling. There has been no further progress in this matter.

14. IPL FRANCHISEE ARBITRATION / LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

- (a) Kochi Cricket Private Limited:

During the year 2010, Rendezvous Sports World (RSW) was selected as one of the new Franchisees. Subsequently, Rendezvous Sports World formed a Company under the name Kochi Cricket Private Limited (KCPL) and KCPL entered into a Franchise Agreement dated 12th March, 2011 with the Board. As per the Franchisee Agreement, KCPL was required to submit an unconditional bank guarantee on or before 22nd March, 2011 in respect of the Franchisee Consideration. KCPL has not submitted the aforesaid unconditional bank guarantee.

In view of the above default committed by KCPL, the Board has invoked and encashed the bank guarantee dated 27th March, 2010 given by RSW for and on behalf of KCPL for the IPL Season 2011 amounting to Rs. 153.34 Crores and terminated the Franchisee Agreement entered with KCPL. The same has been considered under Current Liabilities and Provisions (Schedule 3) as at 31st March, 2017 (Also Refer Note 37 below). Further, the interest income amounting to Rs. 69.12 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 58.54 Crores) on the amount of Rs. 153.34 Crores invested in fixed deposits has been considered as “Unearned Interest Income” as at 31st March, 2017 under Schedule 3.

The subject dispute culminated into arbitration proceedings. During the previous year ended 31st March, 2016, the Arbitrators had passed awards dated 22nd June, 2015 in favour of RSW and KCPL confirming the refund of Rs. 153.34 Crores along with Interest @ 18% from September 2011 with respect to RSW towards amounts encashed by the Board from the Bank Guarantee and their claim of Rs. 384.83 Crores with respect to KCPL towards compensation for termination of the franchise along with Interest @ 18% from September 2011 (estimated at Rs. 536.11 Crores as at 31st March, 2017) and assessed cost of Rs. 0.50 Crore and Rs. 0.72 Crore for RSW and KCPL, respectively. The Board has filed arbitration petitions before the Hon. Bombay High Court for setting aside the awards of the Arbitrators, which is pending disposal.

In consequence to the amendment of the provisions of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 with retrospective effect from 23rd October, 2015, KCPL and RSW filed the execution applications seeking execution of the arbitral award dated 22nd June, 2015 against which the Board has filed Chamber Summons inter alia praying for dismissal of the said execution applications filed by KCPL and RSW

During the year ended 31st March 2017, the chamber summons filed by the Board were dismissed, following which the Board has filed a Special Leave Petition in the Supreme Court, which is pending adjudication.

Based on legal advice, the Board believes that it has a good case and it is confident of obtaining a favourable outcome.

- (b) Sahara Adventures Sports Limited:

Sahara Adventures Sports Limited (“Sahara”) entered into a Franchise Agreement with the Board. During the year 2011, the Board has received letters from Sahara seeking reduction in the Franchisee Fees for the IPL Season 2011 due to reduction in the number of games, resulting in alleged financial loss to them. The Board, based on legal and professional opinion obtained by it, rejected the request made by Sahara for the reduction in the Franchisee Right Fee for IPL Season 2011. Though Sahara had paid the Franchisee Fee for IPL Seasons 2011 and 2012 in full, it has initiated arbitration proceedings against the Board seeking a reduction in the Franchisee Fees.

Sahara filed an arbitration petition in the Bombay High Court seeking an injunction restraining the Board from terminating the Sahara agreement pending arbitration proceedings. The Bombay High Court held that the Board should not terminate the Sahara agreement if Sahara provides the requisite bank guarantee in terms of the agreement for the IPL Season 2014. Subsequently, the Working Committee of the Board, at its meeting held on 26th October, 2013 approved the termination of the Franchise in view of the non-submission of the Bank Guarantee for the IPL Season 2014.

With respect to IPL Season 2013, Sahara paid part of the franchisee fee amounting to Rs. 57.37 Crores as per invoice raised by the Board and defaulted in relation to the balance franchisee fee of Rs. 133.86 Crores. In view of the continued default by Sahara for payment of the balance franchisee fee despite repeated demands for the same by the Board and the failure to provide a



fresh bank guarantee for IPL Season 2014, the amount of Rs. 133.86 Crores was recovered by the Board by invoking the Bank Guarantee furnished by Sahara under the Franchise Agreement for IPL Season 2013 and the same has been appropriated against the amounts receivable from Sahara. The arbitration proceedings have been initiated, which is in progress and based on legal advice, the Board is confident that it has a good case. During the year ended 31 March 2017, the Sole Arbitrator withdrew from the arbitration. SASL has now filed a Commercial Arbitration Application before the Honourable Bombay High Court and sought for appointment of same Sole Arbitrator to continue the proceedings, which is pending.

(c) Deccan Chronicle Holdings Limited:

Deccan Chronicle Holdings Limited ("Deccan") entered into a Franchise Agreement with the Board. Deccan failed to pay the outstanding sums to the players and the Board has considered it as a material adverse effect upon the reputation and / or standing of the League, BCCI, the Franchisee and the Team entitling the Board to terminate the Franchisee Agreement with immediate effect by written notice.

Further, Deccan was served with a winding up notice by the third party and a winding up petition was instituted against Deccan. In view of the above default committed by Deccan, the Board terminated the Franchisee Agreement entered with Deccan with effect from 14th September, 2012.

Deccan filed an arbitration petition with the Honourable High Court at Bombay seeking stay of the termination letter issued by the Board. The Honourable High Court in its interim order dated 1st October, 2012 stayed the effect of the termination notice subject to Deccan furnishing an irrevocable and an unconditional bank guarantee of a nationalised bank of Rs. 100 Crores to the Board and upon failure of Deccan to furnish a bank guarantee, the order would cease to be in effect. Upon Deccan's failure to furnish a bank guarantee within the stipulated time, the interim stay order stood vacated and the termination became effective 12th October, 2012.

In the meanwhile, arbitration proceedings have been initiated by Deccan relating to its claim and a counterclaim has also been filed by BCCI, which are in progress and based on legal advice, the Board is confident that the claims against it are not sustainable.

15. DISPUTE WITH ZEE ENTERTAINMENT ENTERPRISES

Zee Entertainment Enterprises Limited ("Zee") initiated arbitration proceedings against the Board in connection with the Offshore Tour Agreement for the DLF – Abu Dhabi Cup held during 2006-07. Zee claimed refund of an amount of USD 7.46 Million (equivalent to Rs. 30.00 Crores) which, according to Zee, was paid as an advance to the Board in 2006-07. This amount was accounted as Income by the Board in 2006-07 based on an oral understanding with Zee which was pending to be incorporated in the Offshore Tour Agreement. Subsequently, the Board had reversed an amount of USD 2.46 Million - Equivalent to Rs. 10.95 Crores, out of the said amount of Rs. 30.00 Crores recognised as income earlier based on various developments.

Further, Zee also claimed an amount of Rs. 480.40 Crores towards losses alleged to have been incurred on account of cancellation of the contract. The Board filed its counter claim of Rs. 450.10 Crores against Zee.

The Arbitral Tribunal passed an award in favour of Zee and confirmed the claim of Rs. 30.00 Crores (with 11% interest) and an amount of Rs. 81.36 Crores towards losses. The Board has filed an application for setting aside the award of the Arbitral Tribunal with the Honourable High Court at Madras which is pending. Further, the arbitral award has been stayed pending final adjudication of the said challenge.

Based on legal advice, the Board is confident of obtaining a favorable outcome.

16. ARBITRATION WITH PERCEPT HOLDINGS

Percept Holdings Private Limited ("Percept") and Percept D'mark Gulf LLC ("Percept D'mark") initiated arbitration proceedings against the Board for cancelling the tender for the "BCCI Ratings and Awards", which was floated by

the Board in August 2006 in which Percept was declared as the successful bidder. In the Affidavit of Evidence filed by Percept, as amended, it claimed an amount of Rs. 125.42 Crores from the Board for cancellation of the tender.

Percept D'mark filed a separate claim before the same arbitrator for dispute regarding the Overseas Neutral Venues Tri series Sponsorship agreement and made a claim of USD 15.25 Million (equivalent to Rs. 82.96 Crores). The Board filed its reply statement disputing the claim of Percept and filed a counter claim of USD 1.14 Million (equivalent to Rs. 5.83 Crores). The arbitration process is in progress.

Based on legal advice, the Board is confident that the above claims against the Board are not sustainable.

17. MATTERS RELATING TO NIMBUS COMMUNICATIONS LIMITED

(a) Disputed Matters with Nimbus Communication Limited:

Media Rights:

The Board entered into a Media Rights License Agreement ("MRLA") dated 15th October, 2009 with Nimbus Communications Limited ("Nimbus") for sale of Television Rights for International and Domestic matches in India for the period 2010-2015. Nimbus did not pay the Media Rights Income for some of the matches held in India to the Board, resulting in an outstanding amount of Rs. 324.20 Crores as at 31st March, 2017. Further, an amount of Rs. 41.84 Crores is also receivable from Nimbus as at 31st March, 2017 towards the Service Tax on media rights income for the financial year 2010-11. Consequent to the non-payment of the dues by Nimbus, the Board terminated the agreement with Nimbus and the parties initiated arbitration proceedings. The Board has also amended its Arbitration Petition so as to include Neo Sports Private Limited, a Subsidiary of Nimbus, within the scope of its claims. The parties have made claims and counter claims before the Arbitrator.

In the proceedings under the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 filed by the Board, the Honourable High Court of Bombay passed an ad-interim order directing Nimbus to deposit in court an amount of Rs. 305.00 Crores. Nimbus filed an appeal with the Honourable High Court of Bombay, which, vide its order, upheld the order of the single judge and directed Nimbus to furnish solvent security in the form of a Bank Guarantee of a nationalised bank for a sum of Rs. 305.00 Crores to the satisfaction of the Prothonotary and Senior Master. Nimbus could not furnish the Bank Guarantee to the satisfaction of the Prothonotary and Senior Master.

Nimbus filed a Special Leave Petition with the Hon'ble Supreme Court against the aforesaid ad-interim order. The Honourable Supreme Court, vide its order dismissed the special leave petition. The Board has also filed Contempt Petition in the Honourable High Court of Bombay against Nimbus.

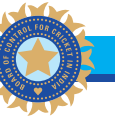
As regards the MRLA arbitration, the arbitral tribunal pronounced the award in favour of BCCI vide Order dated 30th March, 2017 directing Nimbus to pay an amount of Rs. 386.09 Crores (including interest @ 12% p.a. up to 18th August, 2012 amounting to Rs. 23.34 Crores). Further, the Order has also directed the payment of interest @ 9% p.a. from 18th August 2012 till the date of settlement along with costs of Rs. 0.25 Crore.

The Board has also filed a petition before the Hon'ble Bombay High Court to execute the aforesaid award dated 30th March 2017 and to commence appropriate proceedings against Nimbus. The Honourable Bombay High Court has allowed the said application

Production Cost and Equipment Supply:

As at 31st March, 2017, an amount of Rs. 18.74 Crores is payable by the Board to Nimbus in respect of the Production Cost Agreement and the Equipment Supply Agreement for the services received in financial year 2011-12.

Nimbus has filed a separate arbitration application and appointed a sole arbitrator. Nimbus has also filed a rejoinder with an application seeking an order from the arbitrator directing the Board to provide security for the amount payable under the Equipment Supply Agreement.



Production Cost Agreement:

With respect to the Production Cost Agreement, the arbitrator had passed an order in favour of Nimbus, directing the Board to pay an amount of Rs. 9.81 Crores towards Production Cost. Further, the order has also directed the payment of Interest @ 10% p.a. from 1st May, 2013 along with costs of Rs. 0.76 Crore. The estimated cost relating to interest and other costs as at 31st March, 2017 is Rs. 3.21 Crores. The Board had filed an arbitration petition seeking an order for adjusting the amounts payable by BCCI under the Production award against the amounts receivable from Nimbus under the MRLA. During the current year ended 31st March, 2017, the Honourable Bombay High Court directed the Board to deposit the amount payable to Nimbus with the Prothonotary and Senior Master, Bombay High Court.

Equipment Supply Agreement:

With respect to the Equipment Supply Agreement, the Arbitrator has passed an order in favour of Nimbus, directing the Board to pay an amount of Rs. 8.70 Crore towards Equipment Supply. Further, the order has also directed the payment of Interest @ 10% p.a. from 1st May, 2013 along with costs of Rs. 0.08 Crore. The estimated cost relating to interest and other costs as at 31st March, 2017 is Rs. 2.99 Crores. The Board filed an arbitration petition for adjustment of the same against the amounts receivable by the Board from Nimbus. During the year, the Honourable Bombay High Court directed the Board to deposit the amount payable to Nimbus with the Prothonotary and Senior Master, Bombay High Court.

Accordingly, the Board has deposited an aggregate amount of Rs. 23.35 Crores (Rs. 10.51 Crores towards Equipment Supply Agreement and Rs. 12.84 Crores towards Production Cost Agreement) to with the Prothonotary, which has been disclosed as "Deposit with Honourable Bombay High Court" under Current Assets, Loans and Advances (Schedule 6) as at 31st March, 2017

Net Amount Receivable:

As at 31st March, 2017, a net amount of Rs. 347.30 Crores (Rs. 324.20 Crores receivable towards media rights income plus Rs. 41.84 Crores receivable towards service tax on media rights netted off with Rs. 18.74 Crores payable towards production cost and equipment supply) is outstanding from Nimbus.

Also Refer Note 17(c) below.

(b) (b) Suits Against Banks for Encashment of Bank Guarantee:

Consequent to the non-payment of dues under the MRLA by Nimbus, the Board terminated the agreement with Nimbus as indicated above and in the meanwhile, sought to invoke the guarantees amounting to Rs. 1,601.56 Crores issued by certain banks on behalf of Nimbus. However, the banks have not honoured the invocation of the guarantees by the Board and the Board initiated suits against the banks with the Hon. Bombay High Court and also submitted the statement of outstanding amount receivable from Nimbus under the Media Right Income along with interest claim at a rate of 12%.

The Hon. Bombay High Court vide a common order granted conditional leave to the banks to defend the suits subject to deposit of an aggregate amount of Rs. 400 Crores with the Prothonotary. The Board preferred Special Leave Petition (SLP) before the Hon. Supreme Court challenging the common order of the Hon. Bombay High Court to deposit the amount of Rs. 400 Crores with the Prothonotary. The Hon. Supreme Court directed that the amount of Rs. 400 Crores be disbursed to the Board subject to Board providing an undertaking that the said amount would be repaid with interest (calculated in the manner stipulated by the Hon. Supreme Court) if the banks succeed in the suits. Based on the undertaking provided by the Board, this amount has been received by the Board in May 2013.

(c) Adjustment of Receivables from Nimbus:

Consequent to the receipt of Rs. 400 Crores through encashment of bank guarantees in May 2013 as stated in (b) above, the Board adjusted the amount received from banks through encashment of bank

guarantee with the net amount receivable amounting to Rs. 347.30 Crores and the balance amount of Rs. 52.70 Crores has been disclosed under Current Liabilities and Provisions in Schedule 3 (Refer Note 38 below). Further, the interest income earned by the Board as at 31st March, 2017 on this amount aggregating to Rs. 16.87 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 15.88 Crores) has also been disclosed under Unearned Interest Income under Schedule 3.

(d) The Board believes that the termination is valid and the claims made by Nimbus are not sustainable.

18. ARBITRATION/DISPUTES WITH OTHERS

(a) Dispute with Maxx Mobilink Pvt. Ltd (Maxx):

The Board and Maxx Mobilink Pvt. Ltd. ("Maxx") entered into two sponsorship agreements dated 3rd March, 2010 for a period of three years each appointing Maxx as an official sponsor of the "Play-offs matches" and the "Strategic Time Out" in the IPL. Maxx failed to provide the bank guarantees for IPL – Season 2012 and the Board terminated the sponsorship agreements and has invoked arbitration under the sponsorship agreements.

During the current year ended 31st March 2017, with respect to the Sponsorship Agreement for the playoffs matches and Strategic Time out, the arbitrator has passed an order in favour of the Board, directing Maxx to pay an amount Rs. 8 Crores towards Play-off matches and an amount of Rs. 15.20 Crores towards Strategic Time Out. Further, the order also directed the payment of Interest @ 12% p.a. from 4th April 2013 along with costs of Rs. 0.65 Crore. As at 31st March, 2017, no amounts have been received by the Board from Maxx.

(b) Essel Sports:

Essel Sports Private Limited ("Essel Sports") has filed certain suits against the Board in the Hon. High Court of Delhi challenging the Board and its operations on certain matters and the hearings are in progress.

(c) Pakistan Cricket Board:

The Board has received a notice from Pakistan Cricket Board (PCB) seeking a compensation of USD 69.58 Million (equivalent Rs. 450.51 Crores) for not playing any bilateral series with Pakistan in accordance with the Memorandum of Understanding signed between the Boards in 2014. The Board believes that the claims received from PCB are not sustainable and is in the process of taking suitable action in this regard.

19. OTHER CLAIMS AGAINST THE BOARD NOT ACKNOWLEDGED AS DEBT AND BOARD'S ASSESSMENT OF OFF-BALANCE SHEET EXPOSURE

(i) The Board has received various other claims from its vendors, franchisees and other parties for an amount of Rs. 23.72 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 23.72 Crores) (to the extent quantifiable).

(ii) The amount of contingent liabilities, claims, etc. disclosed in the financial statements shown above represents the best possible estimate arrived at on the basis of the available information. The uncertainties are dependent on the outcome of the various legal proceedings, if any, which have been initiated by the Board or the claimants as the case may be and, therefore, cannot be predicted accurately. In the opinion of the Board, the above claims against the Board / contingent liabilities are not sustainable, and have been suitably dealt with in the financial statements, where required. Hence, no further liability / provision is required to be accounted for in the financial statements in this regard.

20. ONGOING PROCEEDINGS

Various statutory authorities such as the Income Tax Department (Refer Note 9 above), Service Tax (Refer Note 12 above), Directorate of Enforcement, the Directorate General of the Competition Commission of India, Collector of Stamps – Maharashtra, etc. have requested for certain details and explanations from the Board and have initiated their regulatory proceedings / investigations



(i) The Directorate of Enforcement has issued various show cause notices on the Board relating to transactions of Indian Premier League on certain matters, including inter alia, remittances made in connection with IPL Season 2009, remittances towards certain consultancy services, facilitation fee agreement between certain parties, alleged guarantees given to players, performance deposits received, etc. amounting to Rs. 2,421.72 Crores as at 31st March, 2017 (Previous Year – Rs. 2,421.72 Crores) for alleged contraventions with the provisions of the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999. The Board has filed its responses to all the above show cause notices and hearings / proceedings are in progress.

(ii) The Competition Commission of India (CCI) had issued an order on the Board stating that the Board had abused its dominant position in contravention of Section 4(2)(c) of the Competition Act, 2002 and imposed penalty amounting to Rs. 52.24 Crores. The Board had filed an appeal before the Competition Appellate Tribunal (CAT) challenging the above order.

During the year ended 31st March, 2014, the Competition Appellate Tribunal issued a stay order directing the Board to remit 25% of the penalty and, accordingly, the Board had paid an amount of Rs. 13.06 Crores under protest as at 31st March, 2015. During the previous year, the CAT issued an order directing the CCI to hear the matter afresh and passed orders directing CCI to refund the amount of Rs.13.06 Crores with interest, which has been received by the Board during the previous year ended 31st March, 2016. In line with the CAT Order, the Directorate General of CCI has commenced the hearing afresh and has requested further information from the Board, which has been provided by the Board. During the current year ended 31 March 2017, the Directorate General has submitted a supplementary report and the CCI has passed an order directing the Board to file its written submission / objections to the supplementary report. Accordingly, the Board has submitted its responses and the hearings are in progress.

(iii) Various Government investigating agencies have also sought information from the Board relating to the transactions with certain State Associations as part of their scrutiny / investigation of the affairs of such State Associations.

(iv) During the current year ended 31st March 2017, the Board has received show cause notices from the Collector of Stamps, Maharashtra under Sections 67, 67A and 68 of Maharashtra Stamp Act, 1958 demanding information relating to the various contracts and agreements entered and executed by the Board in the State of Maharashtra and in other states from the year 2005 onwards and the details of stamp duty paid, if any, thereon. The Board has filed its reply to the notices and is in the process of providing other required information to the Department and taking other required actions, as necessary. As at 31st March 2017, based on legal advice obtained, the Board believes that no stamp duty is required to be paid on the contracts already entered into by the Board, and therefore, the Board is confident of succeeding in its defense.

Whilst the proceedings initiated by various statutory authorities are ongoing and are pending before various forums, based on its evaluation and professional advice, believes that due disclosures have been made for the ongoing disputes / regulatory and other proceedings, along with the opinion of the Board, wherever required, based on its assessment

21. INTERNAL INVESTIGATIONS / REVIEWS

(a) During the year ended 31st March, 2011, the Board had issued three show cause notices to Mr. Lalit Modi, former Chairman of the Indian Premier League (IPL) with respect to the operations of the IPL and other related matters for which responses have been received from Mr. Lalit Modi. The Board had also filed a First Information Report (FIR) against the former Chairman of the IPL. The members, at the Special General Meeting held on 3rd July, 2010, ratified the decision of the Hon'y. Secretary to refer the above matter to the Disciplinary Committee of the Board.

The report of the Disciplinary Committee was placed before the Special General Meeting (SGM) and based on the findings of the report, the SGM approved the report of the Disciplinary Committee. Further, the

Board had appointed a firm of Chartered Accountants to investigate into the affairs of the IPL in relation to various matters, including Contract Compliance, Authorisation for Expenditure, etc. The firm of Chartered Accountants has submitted its investigation report to the Board.

Pursuant to the aforesaid internal investigations, the Board has reviewed various Agreements / MOUs / Contracts since the Board is of the view that certain agreements purported to have been entered into on behalf of the Board were unauthorised and may, therefore, not necessarily be binding on the Board. Consequent to such reviews of the Agreements / MOUs / Contracts, the Board, pending final determination has accounted for Incomes, Expenses, Assets and Liabilities with respect to these Agreements / MOUs / Contracts based on the decisions of the IPL Governing Council, the Finance and the Working Committees of the Board. Also Refer Note 22(IV) below.

Whilst the proceedings of the Disciplinary Committee have been completed and its report has been approved by the members, the Board is in the process of giving effect to the findings / decisions and taking appropriate actions based on the same. The Board is of the opinion that adjustments, if any, to the financial statements arising out of the above, inter alia, investigation findings, discussions with the counter parties to the Agreements / MOUs / Contracts, as applicable, will be dealt with as and when finally determined, in accordance with its accounting policies.

(b) The Board has also initiated reviews / verification of the affairs / payments made to State Associations as part of its overall monitoring, which are in progress

22. INDIAN PREMIER LEAGUE

I. IPL Season 2017:

(a) The Indian Premier League – Season 2017 was held in India during the period from April to May 2017. In accordance with the accounting policy of the Board, the net advance expenditure incurred as at 31st March, 2017 for IPL Season 2017 amounting to Rs. 107.23 Crores will be charged to the Income and Expenditure Account in the financial year 2017-18. Hence, the same has been included under Current Assets, Loans and Advances – Others (Schedule 6) as at 31st March, 2017.

II. IPL Season 2016:

The Indian Premier League – Season 2016 was held in India from 9th April, 2016 to 29th May, 2016 during the financial year 2016-17 (IPL Season 2016). The tournament related Income and Expenditure (Schedule 9) of IPL Season 2016 have been considered in the Income and Expenditure Account for the current year in accordance with the Accounting Policy of the Board.

(a) Media Rights Income:

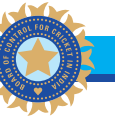
Central Rights Income from Sale of Media Rights comprises:

Rs. in Crores

Particulars of Agreement	Party	IPL – Season 2016	IPL – Season 2015
Sale of Media Rights Within Indian Sub-Continent	Multi Screen Media Private Limited (MSM)	812.50	689.10
Sale of Media Rights in Select Territories Outside Indian Sub-Continent (Refer Note below)	Times Internet Limited and Sub Licensees (per agreements with World Sports Group (India) Private Limited (WSG))	Limited to 49.92	Limited to 48.96
Total		862.42	738.06

Note:

The Board had initially entered into an agreement dated 25th March, 2009 with MSM. Subsequently, the Board had entered into a Revised Media Rights License Agreement dated 25th June, 2010 which was



subsequently amended vide agreement dated 21st December, 2012 ("Amended Agreement") with MSM amending certain terms of the Original Agreement dated 25th March, 2009, including the commercial terms. Subsequently, the Board has entered into a Novation Agreement dated 28th March, 2014 between MSM Satellite (Singapore) Pte. Limited (referred as "Transferor") and Multi Screen Media Private Limited (referred as "Transferee") pursuant to the Scheme of Arrangement between the Transferor and Transferee which was sanctioned by the Hon. High Court of Judicature of Bombay, as per which the broadcasting business of the Transferor has been transferred to the Transferee effective 1st April, 2014 on the terms and conditions set out in the Novation Agreement resulting in the release and discharge of Transferor from the Original Agreement and to substitute the Transferee as a party to the Original Agreement in place of the Transferor effective 1st April, 2014. Accordingly, the Board has recognised an amount of Rs. 812.50 Crores for IPL Season 2016 as per the Novation Agreement.

The Board entered into an agreement initially with World Sports Group India Private Limited ("WSG") dated 25th March, 2009 with respect to the Media Rights for Rest of the World for telecasting the Indian Premier League for the period from 15th March, 2009 to 31st January, 2017. Subsequently, the Board, vide letter dated 28th June, 2010, rescinded the contract attributing fraud and misrepresentation by WSG. MSM is also pursuing legal action against World Sport Group (Mauritius) Ltd. relating to certain payments made by them to WSG Mauritius. Also Refer Note 21 above.

WSG challenged the above and filed a petition under Section 9 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 restraining the Board from creating any third party rights which were conferred to WSG under the above contract. The said application was dismissed by a single judge of the Hon. High Court of Bombay. However, the Division Bench of the Hon. High Court of Bombay allowed the appeal filed by WSG. The Board filed an appeal with the Hon. Supreme Court against the order of the Hon. High Court of Bombay and the Hon. Supreme Court held that the Board shall be entitled to award the media rights which was earlier covered under the agreement with WSG dated 25th March, 2009 to third parties by following the standard tender procedures subject to the condition that the Board shall honour all the Sub License Agreements entered into by WSG. Further, the Hon. Supreme Court also held that pending disposal of the case, all amounts received by the Board (including monies received from the Sub Licensees) shall be remitted into an Escrow Account to be opened by the Board and the Board will be entitled to draw the amount equivalent to the license fee it would have received from WSG if the agreement dated 25th March, 2009 had not been terminated.

Based on the aforesaid Supreme Court Order, the Board has entered into Media Rights Agreements with the following Rights Holders for an aggregate consideration of Rs. 186.40 Crores for IPL Season 2015, out of which the Board has received an amount of Rs. 184.35 Crores (net of tax withheld Rs. 2.05 Crores):

Rs. in Crores

Name of Rights Holders	Agreement Date	Rights Granted	Territories Covered	Media Right Fee for IPL Season 2016
British Sky Broadcasting Limited ("British Sky")	13 January 2014	Television, Internet and Mobile	United Kingdom, Republic of Ireland, Isle of Mann, Channel Islands and the European Territories	29.83
ESPN Inc. ("ESPN")	30 July 2015	Television, Audio, Internet and Mobile	United States of America and its Territories	27.37
Novi Digital Entertainment Private Limited ("Novi")	10 February 2015	Television, Internet and Mobile	Rest of the World and the Middle East	129.20
		Audio Rights	Rest of the World, Europe and Africa	
		Delayed Internet and Mobile Rights	Indian Sub-continent	
			Total	186.40

Further, the Board has invoiced an amount of Rs. 57.01 Crores on account of agreements with the Sub Licensees of WSG out of which, an amount of Rs. 55.05 Crores (net of tax withheld of Rs. 1.96 Crores) has been received by the Board as on 31st March, 2017.

The Summary of amounts received by the Board from various Rights Holders and the Media Rights Income eligible to be recognised are as under:

Rs. in Crores

Particulars	As at 31st March, 2016	Additions during the year	As at 31st March, 2017
Amounts received from Rights Holders (A)	346.66	184.35	531.01
Amounts received from Sub Licensees (B)	203.30	55.05	258.35
Amount eligible to be recognised as per Honourable Supreme Court Order (C)	231.96	48.92	281.88
Differential amount considered as Unearned Income (D=A+B-C)	318.00	189.48	507.48
Interest Earned on Escrow Accounts (Fixed Deposits and Savings) (E)	90.74	37.84	128.58
Total Unearned Income (D+E)	408.74	227.32	636.06

(b) Sale of Tickets of Playoff Matches:

The ticketing income relating to the Playoff Matches have been accounted by the Board based on the separate Ticket Revenue Statements audited by Chartered Accountants. The details of the Income from Sale of Tickets for the Playoff Matches considered in the financial statements are as under:

Venue	Event	Rs. in Crores
Bengaluru	Playoff Matches – Qualifier 1	5.18
Delhi	Playoff Matches – Qualifier 2	2.29
Delhi	Playoff Matches – Eliminator	3.88
Bengaluru	Playoff Matches – Final	6.54
Income from Sale of Tickets - Playoff Matches (Gross)		17.89
Less: Service Tax Output Liability		2.88
Income from Sale of Tickets of Playoff Matches (Net)		15.01

(c) Ticketing Arrangements with Franchisees:

As per the Agreements entered into by the Board with the Franchisees, the Board is entitled to receive 5% of the tickets for all the league matches held at each venue. For IPL Season 2016, the Board has revised its ticketing arrangement with 4 Franchisees from the existing allocation of 5% of tickets to a fixed number of Hospitality tickets for each of the home matches. As per the revised arrangement, the Board has agreed to pay a specified sum of consideration to the Franchisees and has also agreed to incur hospitality and catering expenses for the Guests of the Board and the Franchisees, in lieu of the aforesaid ticketing arrangements. Pursuant to the same, the Board has incurred Rs. 3.58 Crores towards Hospitality & Catering Expenses for the matches.

(d) Release Fees to Foreign Cricket Boards:

The Board has accounted for an amount of Rs. 15.06 Crores relating to the Release Fees payable by the Board to the foreign cricket boards for organizing the player registrations, coordination with the club / association to which the player represents and granting No Objection Certificates to the players and enable the players to play for their respective franchisees in the IPL Season 2016. As per the directions of the IPL Governing Council, the aforesaid Release Fees of Rs. 15.06 Crores have been determined at the rate of 10% of the sum of league fees payable by the Franchisees to the players.



(e) Other Expenses incurred towards League Matches

Consequent to the decision of Bombay High Court to shift 6 IPL Matches scheduled in Maharashtra, the IPL Governing Council vide meeting dated 29th April 2016, approved the shifting of the league matches to Vishakhapatnam and approved the expenditure to be incurred by the Board for conducting the 6 league matches. Details of such costs incurred represent

S.No.	Nature	Amount (Rs. in Crores)
1	Match Entertainment, Hospitality and Other Costs	2.65
2	Catering Costs	0.70
3	Security including Police Bandobust Charges	0.93
4	Other Expenses	0.36
	Total	4.64

(f) Management Fees

Pursuant to the suspension of two IPL Franchisees, namely, Chennai Super Kings and Rajasthan Royals, the Board has entered into Franchisee Agreements with 2 New Franchisees, Gujarat Lions (Intex Technologies (India) Limited) and Rising Pune Supergiants (New Rising Promoters Private Limited) (herein after referred to as "New Franchisees") on 8 December 2015 in addition to the remaining 6 Franchisees (herein after referred to as Existing Franchisees) through a Reverse Bidding Process (with both bids being Negative Bids) for 2 IPL Seasons – IPL Season 2016 and IPL Season 2017 and has accounted the sums received pursuant to the contractual terms as Management Fees for IPL Season 2016 in accordance with such agreements

Team Name	Agreement Dated	Management Fees Rs. in Crores
Gujarat Lions	08 December 2015	10.00
Rising Pune Supergiants	08 December 2015	16.00
Total		26.00

The key terms and conditions of the Franchisee Agreements entered into with the New Franchisees are as follows:

- Negative Bid refers to a Bid where Management Fees is payable by the New Franchisees to the Board each year in accordance with the timelines as agreed in the agreement.
- The Board shall pay the Prize Money and Playoff Standing Fund as may be due to the New Franchisees in respect of each year at the same time any such payments is being made to the Existing Franchisees.
- The New Franchisees have acknowledged and agreed that they shall have no rights on any Central Rights Income and the attributable share based on the calculations is to the account of the Board.

Considering the above terms as agreed with the New Franchisees and approved by the IPL General Council, the Board has evaluated and retained the method of allocation of the Net Central Rights Income between the Board and the Existing Franchisees, as specified in the existing Franchise Agreements. Further, the share of Net Central Rights Income attributed to the new Franchisees selected on a reverse bidding process has been appropriated by the Board considering that the New Franchisees have no rights to receive the Net Central Rights Income and the same is to the account of the Board.

(g) Hosting Fees For League Matches Paid / Payable To State Associations

As per the Stadium Agreements entered into by the Board with the Franchisees and Hosting State Associations, the Board has agreed to pay an amount of Rs. 0.30 Crore per league match hosted by the State Associations totaling to a cost of Rs.16.80 Crores for IPL Season 2016.

III. IPL Season 2014

Income from Sale of Tickets of UAE League Matches:

As per the decision taken by the IPL Governing Council and addendum agreements entered into with the Franchisees, the rights and obligations relating to UAE league matches vest with the Board and the Franchisees shall have no rights or obligations in relation to the staging of the Matches.

The Board, in the Hosting Agreement entered into with Emirates Cricket Board ("ECB"), entitled ECB to print and sell tickets for the opening ceremony and all the league matches and ECB shall remit the amounts received from sale of tickets to the Board after deducting VAT or local taxes and ticketing expenses.

Accordingly, during the year ended 31st March, 2015, the Board had accounted for Income from Sale of Tickets relating to the league matches held in the UAE amounting to Rs. 27.58 Crores (net) on the basis of the amounts received from ECB and the unaudited information obtained from ECB.

IV. Prior IPL Seasons:

(1) Settled Matters:

(a) Web Services Income:

(i) IPL Season 2009 and IPL Season 2008:

The Board accounted for Web Services Income amounting to USD 4.25 Million (equivalent to Rs. 18.98 Crores) during the prior years based on the Memorandums of Understanding with Live Current Media Inc. (LCM) and, consequently, an amount of USD 4.25 Million (equivalent to Rs. 18.98 Crores) was receivable from LCM as at 31st March, 2015. As at 31st March, 2015, the Board received an amount of USD 3.25 Million (equivalent to Rs. 14.51 Crores) from Global Cricket Ventures, Mauritius (GCV) for Web Services Income based on the Novation Agreement entered into by LCM in favour of GCV.

Pursuant to the internal investigations, as indicated in Note 21, the Board had not recognised the aforesaid Novation Agreement and accordingly, considered the amount of USD 3.25 Million (equivalent to Rs. 14.51 Crores) as payable to GCV, which had been disclosed under Current Liabilities and Provisions (Schedule 3) as at 31st March, 2015. Also Refer Note 38 below

Further, pursuant to the decision of the Members at the Annual General Meeting, the Board terminated the Novation Agreement entered into with LCM and GCV and had invoked arbitration proceedings against GCV.

During the previous year ended 31st March, 2016, the Board and GCV entered into a settlement agreement dated 24th November, 2015 in terms of which both parties have withdrawn their respective claims against each other and the settlement agreement has also been filed with the Arbitral Tribunal.

Accordingly, based on the settlement agreement, the Board adjusted the amounts received from GCV (Rs. 14.51 Crores) against the amounts receivable from LCM (Rs. 18.98 Crores) and provided for the balance receivable from LCM pending regulatory approvals for reversal/write off amounting to Rs. 4.47 Crores in the books of account, which was disclosed as an exceptional item in the financial statements for the previous year ended 31st March, 2016.



(ii) IPL Season 2010:

As per the Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") entered into with LCM, the Board is entitled to receive 50% of the Revenues earned by LCM from the website (www.iplt20.com) maintained by LCM subject to a minimum fee of USD 2 Million (equivalent to Rs. 8.93 Crores) for the IPL Season 2010. Further, 5% of the revenues generated from www.cricket.com website should be considered as part of the Web Services Income. However, the Board had neither received the minimum fee of USD 2 Million (equivalent to Rs. 8.93 Crores) nor has it received the Statement of Revenues of the above websites for the IPL Season 2010 from LCM.

Considering the above and in view of the uncertainty in receiving the amounts from LCM, no income, including the minimum fee of USD 2 Million (equivalent to Rs. 8.93 Crores), is accrued by the Board for IPL Season 2010.

In view of the settlement agreement entered into by the Board wherein all claims by the respective parties have been withdrawn, as indicated in para (i) above, the Board concluded that no income is receivable for IPL Season 2010 and the matter stands closed.

(b) Arbitration with Viacom 18:

The Board entered into a Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") with Viacom 18 Media Private Limited ("Viacom") dated 22nd January, 2010 granting certain entertainment rights. Though the total consideration receivable by the Board as per the MOU is Rs. 30.50 Crores, the Board, based on its assessment and in view of the uncertainty involved in recovering the entire amount, accrued a revenue of Rs. 21.00 Crores during the year ended 31st March, 2011.

However, Viacom, vide their termination letter dated 2nd June, 2010, contended that the Board breached the terms of the MOU. Hence, it is not liable to pay any sums to the Board under the MOU. The parties had initiated arbitration proceedings under clause 11 of the MOU. Viacom claimed an amount of Rs. 96.70 Crores from the Board for the losses suffered by it on account of the alleged breach of terms of the MOU by the Board. Similarly, the statement of claim on behalf of the Board was filed.

Subsequently, Viacom has offered terms of settlement wherein it has offered a sum of Rs. 9.00 Crores as well as advertising spots on its television network valued at Rs. 4.00 Crores, which have been approved by the IPL Governing Council. Accordingly, the parties have signed a settlement agreement in line with the above terms. Consequently, the Board reversed an amount of Rs. 12.00 Crores during the year ended 31st March, 2012 and an amount of Rs. 4.50 Crores was received as at 31st March, 2015. During the previous year ended 31st March 2016, the balance amount of Rs. 4.50 Crores was received from Viacom. Since the deficit / surplus from IPL Entertainment Rights is to be shared between the franchisees as per the decision of the IPL Governing Council, the Board had credited the amount of Rs. 9 Crores as the amount payable to Franchisees as at 31st March, 2017.

(2) Other Matters:

(a) Income from Free Commercial Time:

Pioneer Diagsys Services Private Limited ('Pioneer Diagsys'), an advertising sale company, undertook on behalf of the Board to commercially exploit the sale of 150 seconds air time available to the Board. Based on the understanding of the Board with Pioneer Diagsys, the Board is eligible to receive a total income of Rs. 29.75 Crores (including Service Tax of Rs. 2.78 Crores) for the sale of 150 seconds air time, which includes an amount of Rs. 16.55 Crores (including Service Tax of Rs. 1.55 Crores) receivable from United Telelinks towards 50 seconds advertisement during Strategic Timeout for the IPL Season 2010, though the Board does not have a formal contract with the above parties.

Based on the above, the Board recognised an income of Rs. 26.97 Crores for the IPL Season 2010, out of which the Board received a total amount of Rs. 19.03 Crores from the above parties as at 31st March, 2017.

The Board is confident of receiving the balance outstanding amount of Rs. 7.94 Crores from the above parties in due course.

(b) Security Facilities Agreement with Visual Impact:

The Board accounted for an amount of Rs. 5.00 Crores paid towards security facilities for IPL Season 2010 based on the agreement entered into with Visual Impact. The members of the Board at the Annual General Meeting authorised the then Hony. Secretary to look into the possibility of recovering part of the payment made to Visual Impact consequent to the internal investigations conducted by the Board (Refer Note 21 above).

During the previous year ended 31st March 2015, a mutual termination agreement had been entered into between the Board and Visual Impact and in accordance with this agreement, Visual Impact will pay Rs 3.50 Crores by 7 equal monthly instalments of Rs. 0.50 Crore each from 31st January, 2015. Whilst the entire amount outstanding of Rs. 3.50 Crores is fully receivable by 31st March, 2017, the Board has received only one instalment of Rs. 0.50 Crore as of 31st March, 2017 and accordingly, the balance amount of Rs. 3.00 Crores has been disclosed under "Other Amounts Receivable" under Current Assets, Loans and Advances - Others in Schedule 6.

(c) Minimum Purse Income:

As per the decision of the IPL Governing Council, the Franchisees were required to spend a minimum amount of USD 3.3 Million at the first player auction held in 2008. Any shortfall in spend at the auction would have to be paid by the Franchisee to the Board. During the year ended 31st March, 2011, based on decision of the Working Committee held on 28th August, 2010, the Board accounted for an amount of Rs. 2.86 Crores as Minimum Purse Income receivable from one of the Franchisees of the IPL, for not spending the minimum amount of USD 3.3 Million in the first IPL Auction held in 2008 though the same is challenged by the Franchisee.

(d) Recovery of Agency Commission from World Sports Group:

During the prior years, the Board accounted for an amount of Rs. 2.70 Crores paid as Agency Commission to World Sports Group ("WSG") (Rs. 0.90 Crore each for IPL Season 2008, 2009 and 2010). The members of the Board at the Annual General Meeting approved the proposal to recover all amounts that have been paid to WSG on account of Agency Commission. Accordingly, the Board reversed the agency fees paid for the IPL Seasons 2008, 2009 and 2010 amounting to Rs. 2.70 Crores during the year ended 31st March, 2011 and considered the same as recoverable from WSG. Further, no cost for the Agency Fees aggregating Rs. 1.80 Crores has been accrued for the IPL Seasons 2011 and 2012, pending formal termination of the Agency Fee agreement with WSG.

The amount of Rs. 2.70 Crores has been included under "Other Amounts Receivable" as at 31st March, 2017 under Current Assets, Loans and Advances - Others in Schedule 6. The Board is confident of recovering the total amount of Rs. 2.70 Crores from WSG in due course

(e) Central Licensing Income – Bandelier S.A. :

The Board entered into an agreement dated 11th March, 2010 with Bandelier S.A for providing the license to Bandelier S.A. to use the IPL trademarks and designs in high-end products such as Swiss watches, cuff links, etc. As per the terms of the agreement, the consideration receivable by the Board from Bandelier S.A. for IPL Season 2010 is the higher of Rs. 1.60 Crores or 10% of the Gross Sales of the licensed products by Bandelier S.A.

However, as at 31st March, 2017, the Board neither received the minimum fee of Rs. 1.60 Crores for IPL Season 2010 from Bandelier S.A. nor did it receive the statement of gross sales of the licensed products made by Bandelier. Considering the above and in view of the uncertainty in receiving the amount from Bandelier S.A, on grounds of prudence, no income, including the minimum fee of Rs. 1.60 Crores, has been accrued by the Board for the IPL Season 2010. The aforesaid amount will be appropriately dealt with at the time of actual receipt.



(f) Central Licensing Income – Yog Sports - IPL Season 2010:

The Board entered into an MOU dated 13th February, 2010 with Yog Sports Private Limited for the appointment of Yog Sports as the Merchandise Distribution Partner. As per the terms of the MOU, the minimum guaranteed consideration receivable by the Board from Yog Sports for IPL Season 2010 is Rs. 1.50 Crores. In view of the non-receipt of the consideration from Yog Sports, the Board encashed the Bank Guarantee provided by Yog Sports amounting to Rs. 0.50 Crore and accounted for the same as income during the year ended 31st March, 2011. As at 31st March, 2017, the Board has not accounted for the balance amount of Rs. 1.00 Crore in view of the uncertainty involved in receiving the same.

The parties have initiated arbitration proceedings in accordance with the terms of the MOU and an arbitrator has been appointed.

23. CHAMPIONS LEAGUE T20

On 15th July 2015, the CLT20 Governing Council had decided to discontinue the CLT20 competition with immediate effect based on the request of the rights holder. Based on the settlement agreements entered into by the Board, the net surplus from discontinuance of the Champions League T20 Tournament amounting to Rs. 1,607.58 Crores had been disclosed as Exceptional Items in the financial statements for the previous year ended 31st March, 2016. Refer Schedule 17.

24. ICC WORLD T20 – 2016 TOURNAMENT

The ICC World T20 – 2016 Tournament ("Tournament") was organized in India from 8th March to 3rd April, 2016. For the purpose of hosting and organizing the tournament, the Board entered into a Host Agreement with ICC Business Corporation FZ LLC ("ICC").

(a) Hosting Fees

As per the Host Agreement, the Board is entitled to receive Hosting Fee of USD 250,000 for each match (excluding warm up matches) of the men's competition and USD 1,000,000 for all the matches relating to the women's competition.

Accordingly, the Board recorded an income of Rs. 1.47 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 56.65 Crores) (equivalent to USD 0.25 Million (Previous Year – USD 8.50 Million)) for 1 match (Previous Year – 34 matches) of the men's competition and Rs. 0.26 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 6.38 Crores) (equivalent to USD 0.04 Million (Previous Year – USD 0.96 Million)) relating to the women's competition hosted during the year ended 31st March, 2017, aggregating to Rs. 1.73 Crores (net of service tax of Rs. 0.26 Crores) (Previous Year – Rs. 55.08 Crores (net of service tax of Rs. 7.95 Crores)).

Further, in connection with hosting of matches in India, the Board entered into stadium agreements with each of the Associations hosting the matches as per which, the Board has recorded hosting fees payable to Associations amounting to Rs. 1.79 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 57.31 Crores) for the matches held during the year ended 31st March, 2017

(b) Expenses for Staging the Tournament

As per the Host Agreement entered into by the Board with ICC, the expenses for staging of the Tournament were incurred by the Board on behalf of ICC ("Event Budget"). For this purpose, the Board had opened a separate bank account for the purpose of the staging of the tournament in India. The funds received from ICC for the purpose of incurring the expenditure related to the tournament were credited to this bank account and all significant expenditure in connection with the staging of the tournament were transacted through this account.

As at 31st March, 2017, the balance in the Bank Account maintained by the Board amounting to Rs. 11.82 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 26.72 Crores), advances paid to vendors amounting to Rs. Nil (Previous Year

– Rs. 15.16 Crores), amounts payable to various parties amounting to Rs. 23.45 Crores (Previous year – Rs. Nil) and the amounts receivable by the Board from ICC in connection with staging the Tournament on behalf of ICC amounting to Rs. 8.55 Crores (Previous Year payable amounting to Rs. 53.86 Crores), have been recorded in the books of account based on the available information and the Board's understanding with ICC, which have not been subjected to audit.

(c) Service tax

As per the Host Agreement entered into by the Board with ICC, indirect taxes, if any applicable in relation to the Tournament, are to the account of the Board. Accordingly, the Board has remitted and accounted the service tax on the amounts received from ICC (as per (b) above) and recovery of production costs etc. aggregating to Rs. 3.90 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 9.31 Crores). Since, as per Host Agreement, the Board is liable to pay all taxes, Service Tax paid, as above, has been charged to the Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31 March 2017.

The Board has been professionally advised that the Board is eligible for availing service tax input credit on the services received by the Board for staging the tournament (as per (a) and (b) above) and accordingly, the Board has recognised an amount of Rs. 6.30 Crores as at 31st March, 2017, which is included under "Service Tax Input Credit" under Current Assets, Loans and Advances - Others in Schedule 6.

(d) During the year ended 31st March 2017, the Board has received communication from ICC with regard to the potential tax exposure on ICC on the media rights income earned by ICC from the World T20 – 2016 hosted in India and the contractual requirements of the same. The Board has been professionally advised that it does not have any financial exposure in respect of the aforesaid matter and the Board is in the process of discussing the matter with ICC and the consequential impact, if any, will be dealt with on conclusion of the same.

(e) During the year ended 31st March 2017, the Board, based on the claims received from the Mumbai Cricket Association and Vidarbha Cricket Association, has recognized an amount of Rs. 5.33 Crores towards security costs incurred by the above mentioned State Cricket Associations in excess of the amounts budgeted, and therefore, the same have been borne by the Board.

(f) An amount of Rs. 10.53 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 11.54 Crores) has been accounted by the Board as deficit from hosting the ICC World T20 – 2016 tournament based on the current understanding / agreement with the ICC. The Board is in the process of discussing the resolution of various matters including taxation matters and the resultant cumulative deficit relating to ICC World T20 – 2016 with ICC as at 31st March, 2017.

25. INDIA TOUR TO UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

During the year ended 31 March 2017, the Board has entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the West Indies Cricket Board for hosting the two T20 matches in Florida, USA on 27th and 28th August 2016 and the Board has recorded a net surplus of Rs. 37.16 Crores during the current year ended 31st March, 2017. In this regard.

(a) The Board has accounted for Income from Sale of Media Rights for the matches played in the United States of America (USA) amounting to Rs. 34.20 Crores on the basis of current understanding with the Media Rights Holder, in the absence of signed contracts / agreements.

(b) The Board has accounted for Income from Sale of Tickets amounting to Rs. 13.87 Crores on the basis of information available with the Board and the ticket revenue statement on which certain agreed upon procedures were performed by a firm of Certified Public Accountants who have indicated that information with regard to the complimentary tickets is solely based on the email and report of the ticketing agency.



The Board believes that additional adjustments required, if any, on account of the above would not be material and the same will be adjusted in the financial statements as and when identified.

26. ADDITIONAL PAYMENT TO PLAYERS

During the year, the Board has accounted an amount of Rs. Nil (Previous Year – Rs. 46.61 Crores) towards Additional Payment to Players and charged the same to the Income and Expenditure Account which has been approved by the Working Committee of the Board. (Schedule 13). Also Refer Note 34 below.

27. PROVIDENT FUND

During the year, the Board has remitted a total amount of Rs. 0.79 Crore (Previous Year Rs. 0.41 Crore) as its contribution towards Provident Fund for the employees of the Board in accordance with the Employees' Provident Fund and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952.

28. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

(A) Gratuity

The Board's obligation towards gratuity payable to its employees is a defined benefit plan. The Board does not have a funded gratuity scheme for its employees. The details of the key actuarial assumptions used in the determination of gratuity liability are as under

Actuarial Assumptions	2016-17	2015-16
Discount Rate	7.50%	7.90%
Future Salary Increase	10.00%	10.00%
Mortality Rate	Indian Assured Lives Mortality (2006-08) Ultimate	Indian Assured Lives Mortality (2006-08) Ultimate

Notes:

- The estimate of future salary increase takes into account inflation, likely increments, promotions and other relevant factors.
- Discount rate is based on the prevailing market yields of Indian Government Bonds as at the Balance Sheet date for the estimated term of the obligations.

(B) Compensated Absences

The Key Assumptions used in the Actuarial Valuation as provided by Independent Actuary, are as follows:

Particulars	2016-17	2015-16
Discount Rate	7.50%	7.90%
Future Salary Increase	10.00%	10.00%

29. OPERATING LEASES

The Board has operating lease agreements as a lessee primarily for its administrative offices. The lease term period is about 3 to 10 years. An amount of Rs. 2.90 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 2.97 Crores) has been debited to the Income and Expenditure Account towards lease rentals for the year.

30. FOREIGN CURRENCY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

As at the year end, the foreign currency assets and liabilities are given below:

Particulars	Currency	As at 31st March, 2017		As at 31st March, 2016	
		Foreign Currency in Million	Amount in Rs. Crores	Foreign Currency in Million	Amount in Rs. Crores
Current Liabilities and Provisions	USD	0.89	6.03	7.68	356.48
	GBP	0.43	3.70	0.10	2.19
	EURO	-	-	-	0.12
Current Assets, Loans and Advances	USD	18.35	119.79	26.68	89.70
	GBP	0.05	0.44	0.04	13.92
	EURO	-	-	-	1.02

As per the policy, the Board does not take any forward / other derivative contracts.

31. NON-MONETARY TRANSACTIONS

As part of the various agreements entered into by the Board has earned the following significant non-monetary incomes from its sponsors / rights holders:

- During the year, as per the terms of the sponsorship agreement with Nike India Private Limited, the Board received apparel, footwear and other accessories from Nike free of cost for distributing to the players and support staff of the cricket teams.
- As per the terms of the Media Rights Agreement between the Board and Multi Screen Media Private Limited and based on the confirmation received from MSM in this regard, MSM spent a minimum amount of Rs. 30.00 Crores towards advertisement spend for Indian Premier League Season 2016.
- As per the terms of the Sponsorship Agreement between the Board and Yes Bank Limited and based on the confirmation received from Yes Bank in this regard, Yes Bank spent not less than Rs. 4.00 Crores in out-of-pocket marketing expenditure for Indian Premier League Season 2016.
- As per the terms of the Sponsorship Agreement between the Board and Pepsi, the Board has received free of cost quantities of stock for each match held during the year, as specified in the Sponsorship Agreement.
- As per the terms of the settlement Agreement between the Board and Viacom18 Media Private Limited, Viacom 18 Media provided the Board for its use to advertise and promote the IPL and for the use of its Franchisees advertising airtime for a value of Rs. 4.00 Crores. Also refer Note 22(IV)(1)(b) above.

32. PURCHASE OF LAND FOR NATIONAL CRICKET ACADEMY

The Board had initially proposed to establish a state-of-the-art sports training facility in Devanahalli near Bengaluru for the functioning of the National Cricket Academy. In this regard, the Board entered into an agreement with the Karnataka Industrial Area Development Board (KIADB) for purchase of 50 acres of land for a total consideration of Rs. 49.97 Crores, which was paid by the Board during the year 2010-11.

During the year ended 31st March, 2014, an interim order has been passed by the Honourable Karnataka High Court staying the notifications dated 8th December, 2011 issued by the KIADB for allotment of the land to the Board.

In view of the litigations involved, the Board through its letter has informed KIADB that the Board is no longer interested in acquiring the stated land and has requested KIADB to refund the amount paid of Rs. 49.97 Crores along with interest of 12% per annum from the date of payment till refund of the said amount.



During the year ended 31st March, 2017, in consideration of the amount of Rs. 50.00 Crores (including Rs. 0.03 Crore paid in the current year) paid by the Board, the KIABD, vide letter dated 28th February, 2017, allotted 25 acres of land on lease for a period of 99 years with a yearly lease premium of Rs. 875,000 (including Rs. 250,000 towards maintenance charges) to the Board. Accordingly, the amount of Rs. 50.00 Crores has been capitalized as Lease Hold Land under Fixed Assets (Schedule 4). Subsequent to the year ended 31st March, 2017, the lease hold land has been registered in the name of the Board on 18th May, 2017.

Further, subsequent to the year ended 31st March, 2017, the Board, through its letter to KIADB, requested for allotment of additional 15 acres of land connected to the existing leased land. Pursuant to the same, KIADB, vide allotment letter dated 15th July, 2017, allotted 15 acres of land on lease for a period of 99 years for a consideration of Rs. 37.50 Crores along with a yearly lease premium of Rs. 15,000. Accordingly, the Board paid the aforesaid amount of Rs. 37.50 Crores and is in the process of completing the registration / other formalities in this regard.

33. ENTERTAINMENT TAX RECOVERABLE

- (a) As at 31st March, 2017, the Board has recorded an amount of Rs. 2.75 Crores (As at 31st March, 2016 – Rs. 3.29 Crores) as Entertainment Tax Recoverable, as indicated below:

Rs. in Crores

Event	Authority	2016-17	2015-16
CLT20 -Season 2009	Government of NCT of Delhi	0.72	0.72
CLT20 -Season 2011	Entertainment Tax Office, Bangalore	0.73	0.73
IPL Season 2012 – Playoff matches	Entertainment Tax Office, Bangalore	0.01	0.01
IPL Season 2012	Entertainment Tax Deposit	-	1.00
IPL Season 2013 – Play off matches	Entertainment Tax Office, Delhi & Kolkata	0.38	0.38
CLT20 -Season 2013	Entertainment Tax Office, Bangalore	0.09	0.09
IPL Season 2014 – Play off matchesx	Entertainment Tax Office, Kolkata & Mumbai	0.07	0.07
IPL Season 2015 – Play off matches	Entertainment Tax Office, Punjab, Hyderabad, Mumbai and Kolkata	0.29	0.29
IPL Season 2016 – Play off matches	Entertainment Tax Office, Delhi	0.46	-
Total		2.75	3.29

The above amounts represent Entertainment Tax paid by the Board for matches not held / pertaining to tickets which remained unsold. The Board is following up with the concerned Entertainment Tax Departments and is confident of recovering the amount paid, hence, the Board has disclosed the same under Current Assets, Loans and Advances – Others (Schedule 6).

- (b) During the year ended 31st March, 2013, the Board had received a show cause notice from Entertainment Tax Department, New Delhi directing the Board to deposit Entertainment Tax at the rate of 15% on the sponsorship amount received for the IPL / CLT20 matches held at Delhi since 2008. However, during the previous year, the Board has obtained a stay order from Hon. High Court of Delhi on the notices issued by Entertainment Tax Department and there has been no further progress on this matter.

34. GROSS REVENUE SHARE PAYABLE TO PLAYERS

In accordance with the decision of the working committee and as per the established practices of the Board, 26% of the Gross Revenue of the Board as calculated in accordance with the basis approved by the Board, is

to be distributed to players as fees and allowances. Whilst the revenue of the Board is determined as per the audited accounts of the current financial year, the payments deducted for arriving at the 'balance amount' payable to the players are on the basis of the eligible payments expected to be made during the period from 1st October, 2016 to 30th September, 2017 as per the contract. For the year ended 31st March, 2017, an estimated provision of Rs. 37.29 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 56.35 Crores) has been made in the books as "Gross Revenue Share Payable to Players".

35. DISTRIBUTIONS/PARTICIPATION FEE FROM INTERNATIONAL CRICKET COUNCIL / ASIAN CRICKET COUNCIL

I. INTERNATIONAL CRICKET COUNCIL

- (a) In accordance with the Accounting Policy of the Board, the Board has recognised a total income of Rs. 66.56 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 150.20 Crores) representing the distribution of surplus by the International Cricket Council ("ICC") for various tournaments, annual distribution income as approved by ICC and annual ranking awards announced by the ICC, the details of which are as under:

Rs. in Crores

Particulars	2016-17	2015-16
ICC World Cup T20 - 2014	-	5.88
ICC World Cup – 2015	-	106.99
ICC Distribution	60.01	33.99
Royalty Payment – 2014 and 2015	0.11	0.01
Annual Ranking Awards	6.44	3.33
Total	66.56	150.20

- (b) The new revenue distribution model, proposed to be adopted by the International Cricket Council, is applicable for the period from 1 January 2016, and is in the process of being finalized by the ICC. The manner and quantum of distribution to be received by the Board, if any, pertaining to the period up to 31st March, 2017 will be accounted by the Board as and when finalized / determined by the ICC, in accordance with the Board's accounting policy.

II. ASIAN CRICKET COUNCIL

In accordance with the Accounting Policy of the Board, the Board has recognised a total income of Rs. 0.67 Crore (Previous Year – Nil) representing the Distribution Income for Asia Cup received from the Asian Cricket Council ("ACC").

36. INCOME AND EXPENSES

- (a) The Board incurs certain common costs in the nature of administrative and other expenses which have been allocated by the Board to Indian Premier League and the Board's Tournaments. These allocable common costs attributable to Indian Premier League have been recorded under Indian Premier League (Annexure to Schedule 9).
- (b) Establishment and Other Expenses (Schedule 15) include Rs. 0.68 Crore and Rs. 0.18 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 0.55 Crore and Rs. 0.15 Crore); IPL Administrative and Other Expenses (Annexure to Schedule 9) include Rs. 0.30 Crore and Rs. 0.03 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 0.30 Crore and Rs. 0.03 Crore); Expenses of CLT20 (Annexure 3 to Schedule 13) include Rs. Nil and Rs. Nil (Previous Year – Rs. 0.13 Crore and Rs. 0.03 Crore); Expenses of NCA (Annexure 1 to Schedule 13) include Rs. 0.12 Crore and Rs. 0.03 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 0.12 Crore and Rs. 0.03 Crore) towards Remuneration to Auditors and Internal Auditors, respectively.
- (c) Establishment and Other Expenses (Schedule 15) also include Rs. 0.67 Crore (Previous Year – Rs. 0.40 Crore) paid towards professional fees for certain non-audit services rendered by the Audit Firm



and Rs. 1.02 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. Nil) paid towards professional fees for certain non-audit services rendered by an entity, which is a member of the global network of the Audit Firm.

- (d) The Board is in the process of reviewing certain transactions / contracts duly considering the contractual terms / conditions / professional advice; similarly, there are certain additional sums receivable which are dependent on the successful negotiations / final determination. Since the aforesaid sums are contingent / uncertain in nature, the same has not been accounted and will be dealt with as and when the entitlement of the Board is established with certainty, in accordance with the other accounting policy of the Board.

37. OTHER LIABILITIES

The amount of Rs. 261.92 Crores (Previous Year – Rs. 233.31 Crores) disclosed as others under Other Liabilities in Current Liabilities and Provisions (Schedule 3) comprises of the following:

Rs. in Crores

Particulars	As at 31st March 2017	As at 31st March 2016
Amounts Received from Banks on Encashment – Nimbus Communications Limited (Refer Note 17 above)	52.70	52.70
Amounts Received from Banks on Encashment - Kochi Cricket Private Limited (Refer Note 14(a) above)	153.34	153.34
PILCOM (Refer Note 7 above)	9.12	9.12
Others	46.76	18.15
Total	261.92	233.31

38. PRIOR PERIOD EXPENSES

The financial statements for the year ended 31st March, 2017 include certain prior period expenses (net) amounting to Rs. Nil (Previous Year – Rs. 0.20 Crore). The details of the same are as under:

Rs. in Crores

Particulars	2016-17	2015-16
Copyright Services	-	0.18
Others	-	0.02
Total (Net)	-	0.20

39. AMOUNTS DUE TO STATE ASSOCIATIONS

Amounts Due to State Associations represent those amounts that are determined by the Board as due to the members of the Board in accordance with the established Policies / Rules / Decisions of the Board. Further, Amounts Due to State Associations for the year ended 31st March, 2017 include an additional amount of Rs. Nil (Previous Year – Rs. 300 Crores) approved during the previous year ended 31st March, 2016 by the Working Committee of the Board. Also refer Note 42 below.

40. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Related Party Relationships

Particulars	Year Ended 31st March 2017
Office Bearers	Mr. Anurag Thakur, President (from 22 May 2016 to 2 January 2017)# Mr. Shashank Manohar, President (from 1 April 2016 to 21 May 2016) Mr. C. K. Khanna, Acting President (from 2 January 2017) Mr. Ajay Shirke, Hon. Secretary (from 22 May 2016 to 2 January 2017) #@ Mr. Anirudh Chaudhry, Hon. Treasurer Mr. Amitabh Choudhary, Acting Hon. Secretary (from 2 January 2017)
Other Key Management Personnel	Mr. Rahul Johri, Chief Executive Officer (from 1 June 2016) Mr. Santosh Rangnekar, Chief Financial Officer (from 15 June 2016)
Entities in which Office Bearers have Significant Influence	Vidarbha Cricket Association Himachal Pradesh Cricket Association Haryana Cricket Association Jharkhand State Cricket Association Maharashtra Cricket Association Delhi & District Cricket Association

The Hon. Supreme Court of India, vide Order dated 2nd January, 2017, directed that Mr. Anurag Thakur, President and Mr. Ajay Shirke, Hon. Secretary, shall forthwith cease and desist from being associated with the working of the Board.

@ No transactions have been entered into by the Board during the current year ended 31st March, 2017.

Related Party Transactions

Particulars	Cumulative Amount of Transactions (Rs. in Crores)		
	Office Bearers	Other Key Management Personnel	Entities in which Office Bearers have Significant Influence
Income for the Year	-	-	0.00 (Rs. 9,000)
Expenses for the Year	0.07	5.89	12.18*
Reimbursement of Expenses for the Year / Incurred on their Behalf	1.64	0.86	17.24
Advances / Receivables as at 31st March, 2017	0.16	0.01	218.82
Payables as at 31st March, 2017	-	-	127.12*

*The above excludes Amounts Due to Association accrued for the year ended 31st March, 2017 for all State Associations on an overall basis.

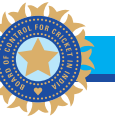
41. CONFIRMATIONS AND RECONCILIATIONS

In respect of transactions with State Associations and Foreign Cricket Boards, the Amounts Receivable from State Associations / Foreign Cricket Boards and Amounts Payable to State Associations / Foreign Cricket Boards as at 31st March, 2017 amounting to Rs. 856.36 Crores and Rs. 1,527.97 Crores respectively are subject to confirmation and reconciliation.

Adjustments required, if any, on account of the above would not be material and the same will be adjusted in the financial statements as and when identified.

42. PROCEEDINGS BEFORE THE HON. SUPREME COURT

The Hon. Supreme Court of India had passed certain orders and constituted a Committee to look into various matters relating to the Board, including the Indian Premier League. During the previous year ended 31st March,



2016, the Committee submitted its Report containing various recommendations and during the current year ended 31st March, 2017, the Hon. Supreme Court of India directed the Board and its member Associations to implement the Report, in line with its Order dated 18th July, 2016, as amended ("the Order") and appointed a Committee of Administrators (CoA) to supervise the administration of the Board and oversee the implementation of the Order.

Whilst the Order inter alia contains certain compliance requirements for making payments to State Associations, which are yet to be implemented in totality, an amount of Rs. 694.98 Crores has been accrued as at 31st March, 2017 as Amounts due to State Associations for the year ended 31st March, 2017, in accordance with the existing rules and as per the policy followed by the Board. Also refer Note 39 above.

The Board / members are in the process of taking up certain matters relating to the Order with the Hon. Supreme Court of India for which the hearings are in progress

43. PREVIOUS YEAR FIGURES

Previous year's figures have been regrouped / reclassified wherever necessary, to conform to the current year's classification.

44. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

All events subsequent to 31st March, 2017 and up to the date of approval (Refer Note 45 below) have been duly considered by the Board and the adjustments, if any, on account of the same have been appropriately dealt with in the financial statements. Further, there are no other material subsequent events that require disclosure in the financial statements.

45. APPROVAL OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

In connection with the preparation of the Financial Statements for the year ended 31st March, 2017, the Management and those in charge of governance of the Board have confirmed the propriety of the contracts / agreements entered into by / on behalf of the Board and the resultant income earned / expenses incurred during the year after reviewing the levels of authorisation and the available documentary evidences, the overall control environment and the audit observations made by internal and external auditors of the Board. The Management and those in charge of governance of the Board have also confirmed that the value of the Current Assets, Loans and Advances on realisation in the ordinary course will not be less than the value at which they are recognised and disclosed in the financial statements and all known liabilities / contingent liabilities have been provided for / disclosed, as appropriate. Further, the Management and those in charge of governance of the Board have confirmed that various internal investigations, ongoing regulatory / judicial / legal proceedings, litigations, direct and indirect tax disputes, other regulatory compliances relating to the Board, including compliance with laws, regulations, judicial orders, bye-laws and other constitutional documents of the Board, where applicable, have been duly considered / dealt with in the preparation of the financial statements. Based on the above, and duly taking into account the relevant disclosures made in the financial statements and the recommendation of the finance committee, these financial statements have been approved by those in charge of governance, for issuance on 25th October, 2017.

For and on behalf of The Board of Control for Cricket in India

C.K. Khanna
Acting President

Place: New Delhi
Date: 25th October, 2017

Amitabh Chaudhary
Acting Hon. Secretary

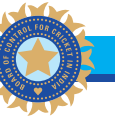
Place: New Delhi
Date: 25th October, 2017

Anirudh Chaudhry
Honorary Treasurer

Place: New Delhi
Date: 25th October, 2017

Rs. in Crores

PARTICULARS	BUDGET 2016-17	DRAFT ACTUALS 2016-17	BUDGET 2017-18
Income			
Media Rights	1,036.80	1,036.80	993.60
LESS: TV Production Cost	-103.68	-75.34	-99.36
Less: Amount due to Associations	-653.18	-694.98	-625.97
SURPLUS RETAINED WITH BOARD	279.94	266.48	268.27
Surplus from Tours	144.94	172.49	298.99
Royalty Income	12.00	6.00	6.00
Interest Income	160.00	171.28	140.48
Surplus from IPL	366.84	365.96	363.26
Share of Distributors from ICC / ACC	50.25	67.23	34.55
Deficit from Hosting of ICC WT20	-	-10.53	
Other Income	1.00	4.47	1.00
TOTAL INCOME - A	1,014.97	1,043.38	1,112.55
Expenses on Domestic Tournaments			
Ranji Trophy	31.82	31.13	32.03
Vijay Hazare Trophy	6.27	7.42	7.89
Irani Trophy	0.74	0.67	0.73
Duleep Trophy	2.48	2.59	4.51
Deodhar Trophy	0.64	0.91	0.99
Vizzy Trophy	0.51	0.20	0.52
Cooch Behar Trophy	13.17	13.56	14.26
Vinoo Mankad Trophy	4.05	3.10	4.18
Vijay Merchant Trophy	5.92	6.73	7.08
C K Nayudu Trophy	12.51	11.98	12.66
U-19 Inter Zonal	0.79	0.77	1.01
U-23 Zonal League	-		3.81
A & A Members - U-16 / U-19 Trophy	-	2.11	2.50
Women's Domestic Tournaments	14.90	15.49	19.29
Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy	4.93	4.00	5.63
SUB-TOTAL - B	98.72	100.66	117.10
Other Expenses			
Infrastructure Subsidy	75.00	34.89	75.00
India - 'A' and Junior International Tours	9.50	9.18	10.53
Women's International Tours	2.23	4.56	6.80
Expenses of NCA & Specialist Academies	26.10	23.75	29.22



Rs. in Crores

PARTICULARS	BUDGET 2016-17	DRAFT ACTUALS 2016-17	BUDGET 2017-18
Retainership to International Players	17.25	24.84	33.70
Gross Revenue Share	45.27	37.29	47.30
Awards / Bonus to Players & Support Staff	0.21	24.14	-
Platinum Jubilee Benevolent Fund - Monthly Gratis	25.00	24.67	25.00
Umpires' Training Programme	1.50	0.70	1.50
Digital Archive Expenses	2.00	1.19	2.00
Anti-Doping & Anti-Corruption (ACSU)	1.50	0.91	1.50
Expenses on Curators	1.00	1.04	1.50
Medical Assistance / Examination of Players / Umpires	1.00	0.22	1.00
Sponsorship Analysis Expenses	0.20	0.43	0.65
Award & Function Expenses	1.50	2.39	2.50
Kits & Clothing	0.50	0.46	0.55
Coaching Expenses	15.00	14.85	17.50
Cricket Balls	2.60	2.94	3.53
Finance / Working Committee Expenses	0.67	1.02	1.42
Other Committee Meetings / General Body / Other Meetings	3.65	7.08	10.18
Salaries & Allowances	7.40	11.14	12.62
Retainer Charges	1.12	0.91	1.09
Legal & Professional Charges & Internal Audit Fee	17.50	27.72	30.05
Advertisement	0.22	1.20	1.33
Statutory Audit Fees	0.55	0.85	0.85
Honorarium to Statisticians	0.05	0.03	0.05
Postage & Telephone	0.34	0.30	0.33
Printing & Stationery	0.18	0.09	0.24
Travelling Expenses	2.25	2.60	3.12
Rent-Lease-Head Quarters / Property Tax	0.67	0.89	0.71
Miscellaneous Expenses	11.21	8.02	11.79
Interest Transferred on Funds	120.05	113.27	121.39
One Time Benefit to Players	2.60	22.80	-
Depreciation	2.41	1.80	2.41
Software and Website Expenses	6.00	5.25	6.00
Social Initiative Fund	-	0.51	
Contingencies / Prior Period Item	2.89	2.25	3.00
SUB-TOTAL - C	407.12	416.18	466.34
TOTAL EXPENDITURE - D = B + C	505.85	516.84	583.44
SURPLUS (A - D)	509.13	526.54	529.11

Notes to Budget 2017-18

1. Income projections for MRLA, Title, Team and Apparel Sponsorship rights fees are based on planned Home / Away tours.
2. Summary Tour Account considers the planned Home / Away series with the currently known expense factors.
3. International Senior Men / Women / Juniors Fees based on planned international series with all details of Match, Tour Fees, DA and other expenses projections of Players, Support Staff, etc based on current known tariffs.
4. ICC Income projections for the year 2017-18 is based on ICC communication.
5. IPL Income is projected based on the IPL budget approved by IPL Governing Council less the share of BCCI overheads allocated to IPL and Umpire Sponsorship of Rs. 26 Crores not realised.
6. Expenses for Domestic Tournaments are based on the matches to be played in the current FY and the expenses are based on the currently approved tariff.
7. Gross Revenue Share figures are projected based on the normal rules followed for such calculations.
8. We have also considered in the budget the proposed new Central Contracts for Men & Women Players.



HISTORY

The National Cricket Academy (NCA), a premier academy of BCCI, was established at Bangalore in the year 2000 in order to create a "Centre of Excellence" for India's elite cricketers. It now ranks amongst the best Cricket Academies in the world, in terms of training facilities and support staff. The academy looks after all the pre-hab, rehab and skill training aspects, with regard to all BCCI-contracted players, besides conducting camps for talented junior cricketers in different age groups. The NCA also looks after the education of coaches, physiotherapists and trainers across the country. A large number of players representing India today have undergone the training protocols of the NCA, and have made optimal use of the facilities.

AIM

The NCA is an institution wherein players can train and develop skills that will enable them to graduate from junior level to first-class and international levels. The NCA aims to assist in developing cricketers, physically, mentally and technically, so as to equip them to face the pressures of first-class and international cricket.

Cricket Training Activities (01 Aug 2016 to 31 Aug 2017)

1 FITNESS ASSESSMENT TEST – INDIAN TEAM

- Fitness Assessment Test of Indian Senior Players was conducted at NCA on 16 & 17 Aug 2016 and on 18 & 19 Aug 2016
- Fitness & Skill Training for the following Indian Senior players was conducted at NCA from 23 Oct to 28 Oct 2016:

- R Ashwin
- Mohammad Shami
- Ravindra Jadeja
- Murali Vijay
- Bhuvneshwar Kumar
- Shikhar Dhawan
- K L Rahul
- Cheteshwar Pujara

2 INDIA U-19 FITNESS CAMP

India U-19 Fitness Camp was conducted at NCA from 12 Jan to 19 Jan 2017.

SUPPORT STAFF

- Rahul Dravid, Head Coach
- Paras Mhambrey, Bowling Coach
- Abhay Sharma, Fielding Coach
- Yogesh Parmar, Physio
- Anand Date, Trainer
- Devraj Raut, Video Analyst

3 PREPARATORY CAMPS

- India U-19 Team's Preparatory Camp for ACC Youth Asia Cup.** A ten-day preparatory camp was conducted at NCA from 03 to 12 Dec 2016.

SUPPORT STAFF

- Rahul Dravid, Head Coach
- Paras Mhambrey, Bowling Coach
- Abhay Sharma, Fielding Coach
- Yogesh Parmar, Physio
- Anand Date, Trainer
- Devraj Raut, Video Analyst

- Indian Women Team's Preparatory Camp for ICC World Cup Qualifier – 2017.** An 11-day preparatory camp was conducted at Alur from 24 Jan to 03 Feb 2017.

SUPPORT STAFF

- Purnima Rau, Coach
- Suman Sharma, Coach
- Tracy Fernandez, Physio
- Radha Krishnaswamy, Trainer
- Aarti Nalge, Video Analyst

- Indian U-19 Team's Preparatory Camp for two 4-day Games against England U-19 – 2017.** A four days short period preparatory camp was conducted at NCA, Bangalore from 05 to 08 Feb 2017.

SUPPORT STAFF

- W V Raman, NCA Coach
- Narendra Hirwani, NCA Coach
- Jaba Prabhu, Physio
- Prashant Pujar, Trainer

- India U-19 Team's Preparatory Camp for UK Tour.** A nine days preparatory camp was conducted at NCA from 05 Jul to 13 Jul 2017

SUPPORT STAFF

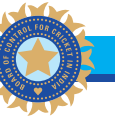
- W V Raman, Batting Coach
- Abhay Sharma, Fielding Coach
- Yogesh Parmar, Physio
- Anand Date, Trainer
- Devraj Raut, Video Analyst

A five days preparatory camp for the players selected for the one-day series only was also conducted at NCA from 28 Jul to 01 Aug 2017 by the NCA Support Staff

- India 'A' Team's Preparatory Camp for South Africa Tour.** A six days preparatory camp was conducted at NCA from 15 to 20 Jul 2017.

SUPPORT STAFF

- Rahul Dravid, Head Coach
- Kamlesh Jain, Physio
- S Rajnikanth, S & C Coach
- Sarvpreet Singh, Video Analyst



A four days preparatory camp for the players selected for the test series only was also conducted at NCA from 03 Aug to 06 Aug 2017 by the NCA Support Staff.

SUPPORT STAFF

1. Rahul Dravid, Head Coach
2. Kamlesh Jain, Physio
3. S Rajnikanth, S & C Coach
4. Sarvpreet Singh, Video Analyst

4 NCA CAMPS

a) **Senior Women's Camp – 2016.** The Senior Women's National Camp was conducted at NCA from 19 Aug 2016 to 17 Sep 2016.



NCA Senior Women's Camp (19 Aug - 17 Sep 2016)

A four days preparatory camp for the players selected for the test series only was also conducted at NCA from 03 Aug to 06 Aug 2017 by the NCA Support Staff.

COACHES & SUPPORT STAFF

1. Purnima Rau, Coach
2. Suman Sharma, Coach
3. Devieka Palshikar, Coach
4. Tracy Fernandez, Physio
5. Prachi Lotlikar, Physio
6. Kavita Pandya, Trainer
7. Abhilasha Sharma, Trainer
8. Aarti Nalge, Video Analyst

The services of M/s Samiksha were used for the Sports Psychology sessions.

b) **Combined Associate & Affiliate U-19 Team's Camp.** A five days camp was conducted at NCA from 23 Sep to 29 Sep 2016 prior to the team's participation in U-19 Vinoo Mankad Trophy Matches at Dhanbad from 01 Oct 2016. The support staff appointed for the camp was:

COACHES & SUPPORT STAFF

1. W V Raman, NCA Coach
2. Ashok Kumar, Coach
3. Yogesh Parmar, NCA Physio
4. Nand Kumar, Physio
5. Rajinikanth, NCA Trainer
6. Devraj Raut, Video Analyst

c) **U-19 (Boys) Camp (Batch-1) at NCA.** The U-19 players National Camp (batch-1) was conducted at the NCA from 20 Apr to 19 May 2017.



NCA U-19 Camp Batch-1 (20 Apr - 19 May 2017)

The support staff appointed for the camp was:

COACHES & SUPPORT STAFF

1. W V Raman, NCA Coach
2. Narendra Hirwani, NCA Coach
3. Shivsundar Das, Coach
4. Sunil Joshi, Coach
5. Debashish Mohanty, Coach
6. Abhay Sharma, Coach
7. Yogesh Parmar, NCA Physio
8. Mahesh Buran, Physio
9. Badrinath Prathi, Physio



10. Deepak Sury, Physio
11. Amit Kumar Dubey, Physio
12. Anand Date, NCA Trainer
13. Nishanta Bordoloi, Trainer
14. Prashant Pujar, Trainer
15. Devraj Raut, Video Analyst

The following Classes and Lectures were organised during the camp:

- a. Lecture on Nutrition – Nutritionist from Fortis Hospital
- b. Code of Conduct – Shavir Tarapore, BCCI Panel Umpire

The services of M/s Samiksha were used for the Sports Psychology sessions.

d) U-19 (Boys) Zonal Camps – 2017. The U-19 (Boys) Zonal Camps were conducted from 20 Apr to 14 May 2017 at the following locations:

Zone	Location	Coaches & Support Staff
North	Delhi	Gurusharan Singh (Coach) Yoginder Puri (Coach) Munish Bali (Coach) Kanwaljit Singh (Coach) Karan Nayyar (Physio) Rahul Ahluwalia (Physio) Rajneesh Mehta (Trainer) Rajesh Kumar (Trainer) Rajesh Ohlan (Video Analyst)
West	Baroda	Hitesh Majumdar (Coach) Kiran Mokashi (Coach) B S Sandhu (Coach) T Dilip (Coach) Abhishek Thakar (Physio) Sumit Meshram (Physio) Rakesh Gohil (Trainer) Sethi (Trainer) Nirav Dubhashe (Video Analyst)
Central	Jaipur	Amit Asawa (Coach) P Krishna Kumar (Coach) Usman Gani (Coach) Harshal J Pathak (Coach) Ravindra Kumar (Physio) Rudra N Mejjatar (Physio) Jeeth Devaiah (Trainer) Venka Murali (Trainer) Vijaendra Gadwal (Video Analyst)

Zone	Location	Coaches & Support Staff
South	Mangalagiri	P V Shashikanth (Coach) Dodda Ganesh (Coach) R Ananth (Coach) Noel David (Coach) Nanda Kumar V (Physio) Ronak Hosabetu (Physio) Dinesh Suvarna (Trainer) Sagar Konda (Trainer) VBB Subba Rao (Video Analyst)
East	Ranchi (from 01 to 25 May 2017)	Mukund Parmar (Coach) Goutam Shome (Coach) Murtaza Lodghar (Coach) Sanjay Pandey (Coach) Jaspal Singh (Physio) Magan Singh Chauhan (Physio) Naresh Ramadoss (Trainer) Manish Jha (Trainer) Amit Kumar (Video Analyst)

e) NCA U-19 (Boys) Camp for Players from NE & Bihar States. The U-19 players NCA Camp for players from NE & Bihar States was conducted at Agartala from 12 May to 01 Jun 2017. The support staff appointed for the camp was:

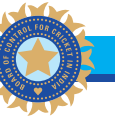
COACHES & SUPPORT STAFF

1. Debopam Sarkar, Coach
2. Zaved Zaman, Coach
3. VVV Appa Rao, Coach
4. Vinod Dinanath Dhamasker, Coach
5. Deep Tomar, Physio
6. Mitul Kumar Darji, Physio
7. Ramswaroop Saini, Trainer
8. Purnendu Sekhar Jena, Trainer
9. Dipangshu Choudhary, Video Analyst

f) NCA U-16 (Boys) Camp for Players from NE & Bihar States. The U-16 players NCA Camp for players from NE & Bihar States was conducted at Dimapur from 16 May to 05 Jun 2017. The support staff appointed for the camp was:

COACHES & SUPPORT STAFF

1. Nirmal Kumar Nalluri (Coach)
2. Dodda Ganesh, Coach
3. Manish Majithia, Coach
4. Satish Singh, Coach
5. Krishna Prabhu Dhanraj, Physio
6. Parvez Bhati, Physio
7. Swadesh Nagare, Trainer
8. Rahul Deb, Trainer
9. Rajesh Sharma, Video Analyst



g) U-19 (Girls) Zonal Camps – 2017. The U-19 (Girls) Zonal Camps were conducted from 20 May to 08 Jun 2017 at the following locations:

Zone	Location	Coaches & Support Staff
West	Rajkot	Aparna Kambli (Coach) Payal Panchal (Coach) Nandita Adhiya (Coach) Lavanya (Physio) Deepali Gole (Physio) Sunetra Paranjape (Trainer) M Shalini (Trainer) Aniruddha Deshpande (Video Analyst)
Central	Jaipur	Devieka Palshikaar (Coach) Roopali Slathia (Coach) Aarti Sankaran (Coach) Harsha Gangwal (Physio) Ritu Chauhan (Physio) Kavita Pandya (Trainer) Apurva D Nadkarni (Trainer) Prateek Chhabra (Video Analyst)
South	Guntur	Kalpana Venkatachar (Coach) Savita Nirala (Coach) Freeda A Pereira (Coach) K Gayatri (Physio) Harini (Physio) Abhilasha Sharma (Trainer) Hithaishi B (Trainer) Chaitanya Nag (Video Analyst)
East	Bhubaneswar	Anju Jain (Coach) Pushpanjali Banerjee (Coach) Rituparna Roy (Coach) Pooja Swar (Physio) Anuradha Rakhonde (Physio) Sandy Nair (Trainer) Tejas V Matapurkar (Trainer) Prasenjit Banerjee (Video Analyst)
North	Delhi (22 May to 10 Jun 2017)	Geeta Mehta (Coach) Ragini Malhotra (Coach) Suman Sharma (Coach) Prachi Lotlikar (Physio) Khyati Sharma (Physio) Pratiksha Phadnis (Trainer) Priyanka Sisodiya (Trainer) Sarvpreet Singh (Video Analyst)

h) U-16 (Boys) Camp (Batch-1) at NCA. The U-16 players National Camp (Batch-1) was conducted at the NCA from 22 May to 17 Jun 2017.



NCA U-19 Camp Batch-1 (20 Apr - 19 May 2017)

The support staff appointed for the camp was:

COACHES & SUPPORT STAFF

1. W V Raman, NCA Coach
2. Narendra Hirwani, NCA Coach
3. Gursharan Singh, Coach
4. Kanwaljit Singh, Coach
5. David Johnson, Coach
6. Noel David, Coach
7. Yogesh Parmar, NCA Physio
8. Anand Ramdoss, Physio
9. Badrinath Prathi, Physio
10. Deepak Sury, Physio
11. Amit Kumar Dubey, Physio
12. Anand Date, NCA Trainer
13. Rohit Wagh, Trainer
14. Suhas Pawar, Trainer
15. Ashutosh Dandige, Video Analyst

The following Classes and Lectures were organised during the camp:

- a. First Aid & CPR – Doctor from Fortis Hospital
- b. Law of Cricket – Shavir Tarapore, BCCI Panel Umpire

The services of M/s Samiksha were used for the Sports Psychology sessions.

i) **U-16 (Boys) Zonal Camps – 2017.** The U-16 (Boys) Zonal Camps were conducted from 22 May to 16 Jun 2017 at the following locations:

Zone	Location	Coaches & Support Staff
North	Mohali	Bantu Singh (Coach) K Jeshwant (Coach) Vikram Rathour (Coach) Harvinder Singh (Coach) B L Thakur (Physio) Ram Babu Shaw (Physio) Pratik Kadam (Trainer) Irfanulla Khan (Trainer) Amit Kumar Sharma (Video Analyst)
West	Mumbai	Atul Bedade (Coach) Pritam Gandhe (Coach) Atul Gaikwad (Coach) Karsan Ghavri (Coach) Avinash Kumar Boyat (Physio) Jayesh Bane (Physio) Amogh Pandit (Trainer) Rakshit S S (Trainer) Pushkar Sawant (Video Analyst)
Central	Nagpur	Rajesh Chauhan (Coach) Ankit Aggarwal (Coach) Anshu Jain (Coach) Sanjay Pandey (Coach) Bheeshm Pratap Singh (Physio) Kishore Nakhale (Physio) Sanjib Das (Trainer) Yuvraj Singh (Trainer) Brajmohan Chourasia (Video Analyst)
South	Vizianagaram	Amit Pathak (Coach) J Krishna Rao (Coach) T Dilip (Coach) Jayesh Dadarkar (Coach) Danny Pereira (Physio) Manish Kumar (Physio) S E Thanigai Prabhu (Trainer) Pawan Kumar Sharma (Trainer) Imran Pasha (Video Analyst)
East	Ranchi	Subrajit Saikia (Coach) Subhadeep Ghosh (Coach) S S Rao (Coach) Sanjay Pandey (Coach) Abhishek Sawant (Physio) Nitin Khurana (Physio) Praveen Tokas (Trainer) Yogesh Murdia (Trainer) Chandra Deo (Video Analyst)

j) **U-19 (Boys) Inter Zonal Tournament – 2017.** The U-19 (Boys) Inter Zonal Tournament was conducted at Chennai from 25 May to 07 Jun 2017. The tournament was conducted as a two-day tournament as per BCCI rules.



U-19 Boys Inter Zonal Tournament Winners - North Zone

The support staff appointed for the tournament was:

NORTH ZONE

1. Yoginder Puri (Coach cum Manager)
2. Karan Nayyar (Physio)
3. Rajneesh Mehta (Trainer)
4. Rajesh Ohlan (Video Analyst)

EAST ZONE

1. Goutam Shome (Coach Cum Manager)
2. Jaspal Singh (Physio)
3. Naresh Ramadoss (Trainer)
4. Amit Kumar (Video Analyst)

WEST ZONE

1. B S Sandhu (Coach cum Manager)
2. Abhishek Thakar (Physio)
3. Rakesh Gohil (Trainer)
4. Nirav Dubhashe (Video Analyst)

SOUTH ZONE

1. R Ananth (Coach Cum Manager)
2. Ronak Hosabettu (Physio)
3. Rajesh Kumar (Trainer)
4. V B B Subba Rao (Video Analyst)

CENTRAL ZONE

1. Amit Asawa (Coach cum Manager)
2. Ravindra Kumar (Physio)
3. Jeeth Devaiah (Trainer)
4. Vijendra Saini (Video Analyst)

The North Zone Team won the trophy.

k) U-19 (Girls) Inter Zonal Tournament – 2017. The U-19 (Girls) Inter Zonal Tournament was conducted at Guntur from 11 Jun to 19 Jun 2017. The tournament was conducted as a one-day tournament as per BCCI rules.



U-19 Girls Inter Zonal Tournament Winners - West Zone

The support staff appointed for the tournament was:

NORTH ZONE

1. Suman Sharma (Coach cum Manager)
2. Khyati Sharma (Physio)
3. Priyanka Sisodia (Trainer)
4. S Ashok Reddy (Video Analyst)

EAST ZONE

1. Pushpanjali Banerjee (Coach cum Manager)
2. Pooja Swar (Physio)
3. Tejas V Matapurkar (Trainer)
4. Prasenjit Mukherjee (Video Analyst)

WEST ZONE

1. Aparna Kambli (Coach cum Manager)
2. Lavanya (Physio)
3. M Shalini (Trainer)
4. Aniruddha Deshpande (Video Analyst)

SOUTH ZONE

1. Sudha Shah (Coach cum Manager)
2. Harini V (Physio)
3. Abhilasha Sharma (Trainer)
4. Chaitanya Nag (Video Analyst)

CENTRAL ZONE

1. Roopali Slathia (Coach cum Manager)
2. Harsha Gangwal (Physio)
3. Hithaishi B (Trainer)
4. Prateek Chhabra (Video Analyst)

The West Zone Team won the trophy.

l) U-16 (Boys) Inter Zonal Tournament – 2017. The U-16 (Boys) Inter Zonal Tournament was conducted at Hyderabad from 20 Jun to 03 Jul 2017. The tournament was conducted as a two-day tournament as per BCCI rules



U16 Boys Inter Zonal Tournament Winners - East Zone

The support staff appointed for the tournament was:

NORTH ZONE

1. Harvinder Singh (Coach cum Manager)
2. B L Thakur (Physio)
3. Pratik Kadam (Trainer)
4. Amit Kumar Sharma (Video Analyst)



EAST ZONE

1. S S Rao (Coach cum Manager)
2. Abhishek Ashok Sawant (Physio)
3. Yogesh Murdia (Trainer)
4. Chandra Deo (Video Analyst)

WEST ZONE

1. Atul Bedade (Coach cum Manager)
2. Avinash Kumar Boyat (Physio)
3. Rakshit S S (Trainer)
4. Pushkar Sawant (Video Analyst)

SOUTH ZONE

1. J Krishna Rao (Coach cum Manager)
2. Danny Pereira (Physio)
3. S E Thanigai Prabhu (Trainer)
4. Imran Pasha (Video Analyst)

CENTRAL ZONE

1. Ankit Aggarwal (Coach cum Manager)
2. Kishore Nakhale (Physio)
3. Sanjib Das (Trainer)
4. Brajmohan Chourasia (Video Analyst)

The East Zone Team won the trophy.

- m) U-23 (Boys) Camp at NCA.** The U-23 players National Camp was conducted at the NCA from 26 Jun to 22 Jul 2017. The support staff appointed for the camp was:

COACHES & SUPPORT STAFF

1. W V Raman, NCA Coach
2. Narendra Hirwani, NCA Coach
3. Sunil Joshi, Coach
4. Amol Mazumdar, Coach
5. Subroto Banerjee, Coach
6. Vijay Yadav, Coach
7. Yogesh Parmar, NCA Physio
8. Anand Ramdoss, Physio
9. Badrinath Prathi, Physio
10. Deepak Sury, Physio
11. Amit Kumar Dubey, Physio
12. Anand Date, NCA Trainer
13. Rajnikanth, NCA Trainer
14. Rohit Wagh, Trainer
15. Ashutosh Dandige, Video Analyst

The services of M/s Samiksha were used for the Sports Psychology sessions.

- n) U-19 (Boys) Camp (Batch-2) at NCA.** The U-19 players National Camp (Batch-2) was conducted at the NCA from 24 Jul to 16 Aug 2017. The support staff appointed for the camp was:

COACHES & SUPPORT STAFF

1. W V Raman, NCA Coach
2. Narendra Hirwani, NCA Coach
3. B S Sandhu, Coach
4. Nikhil Chopra, Coach
5. Bhaskhar Pillai, Coach
6. Ajay Ratra, Coach
7. Danny Pereira, Physio
8. Rahul Ahluwalia, Physio
9. Adrian Gregory Dias, Trainer
10. Rakesh Gohil, Trainer
11. Santosh Karigar, Video Analyst
12. Gursharan Singh, Specialist Consultant Coach

The following Classes and Lectures were organised during the camp:

- a. Lecture on Nutrition – Nutritionist from Fortis Hospital

- o) U-19 (Girls) Camp at Belgaum.** The U-19 (Girls) National Camp was conducted at Belgaum from 17 Aug to 10 Sep 2017. The support staff appointed for the camp was:

COACHES & SUPPORT STAFF

1. Sudha Shah, Coach
2. Suman Sharma, Coach
3. Pushpanjali Banerjee, Coach
4. Anuradha Rakhonde, Physio
5. Pooja Swar, Physio
6. Abhilasha Sharma, Trainer
7. Hithaishi B, Trainer
8. Rajesh Patidar, Video Analyst

The following Classes and Lectures were organised during the camp:

- a. Nutrition
- b. Goal Setting Sessions

The services of M/s Samiksha were used for the Sports Psychology sessions.

- p) U-16 (Boys) Camp (Batch-2) at NCA.** The U-16 players National Camp (Batch-2) was conducted at NCA from 21 Aug to 13 Sep 2017. The support staff appointed for the camp was:

COACHES & SUPPORT STAFF

1. W V Raman, NCA Coach
2. Narendra Hirwani, NCA Coach
3. Shivsundar Das, Coach
4. M Venkataramana, Coach
5. Hitesh Goswami, Coach
6. T Dilip, Coach
7. T Shiva Prasad, Physio



8. Deep Tomar, Physio
9. Jeeth Devaiah, Trainer
10. Afzal Khan, Trainer
11. Aaron George Thomas, Video Analyst
12. Gursharan Singh, Specialist Consultant Coach

The following Classes and Lectures were organised during the camp:

- a. Lecture on Nutrition – Nutritionist from Fortis Hospital
- b. Law of Cricket – Shavir Tarapore, BCCI Panel Umpire
- c. First Aid & CPR – Doctor from Fortis Hospital

The services of M/s Samiksha were used for the Sports Psychology sessions.

- q) Specialist Wicket Keepers Camp.** Specialist Wicket Keepers Camp was conducted by Kiran More, Specialist Consultant, during this report period as stated below:

Camp period	No. of players attended
12 to 16 Jun 2017	05
17 to 21 Jul 2017	06
27 Aug to 31 Aug 2017	07

- r) Specialist Spinners Camp.** Specialist Spinners Camp was conducted by Narendra Hirwani, NCA Coach, during this report period as stated below:

Camp period	No. of players attended
12 to 16 Jun 2017	07
17 to 21 Jul 2017	06
27 Aug to 31 Aug 2017	07

- s) Fast Bowlers Training Programme.** Fast Bowlers Specialist Spinners Camp was conducted by Narendra Hirwani, NCA Coach, during this report period as stated below:

Camp period	No. of players attended
19 Jun to 01 Jul 2017	07

- t) Specialist Batting Camp.** Specialist Batting Camp was conducted by W V Raman, NCA Coach, during this report period as stated below:

Camp period	No. of players attended
26 Jun to 30 Jun 2017	12

UMPIRES' PERFORMANCE REVIEW

The Umpires' Performance Review Meetings were held at NCA on the following dates:

- a) 1st Umpires Performance Review Meeting - 23 to 25 Nov 2016
- b) 2nd Umpires Performance Review Meeting - 03 to 05 Dec 2016
- c) 3rd Umpires Performance Review Meeting - 7 to 9 Jan 2017
- d) 4th Umpires Performance Review Meeting - 23 to 25 Jan 2017
- e) 5th Umpires Performance Review Meeting - 02 to 04 Feb 2017
- f) 6th Umpires Performance Review Meeting - 01 to 03 Mar 2017
- g) 7th Umpires Performance Review Meeting - 09 to 11 Mar 2017
- h) 8th Umpires Performance Review Meeting - 16 to 18 Mar 2017 (For Junior Matches)
- i) 9th Umpires Performance Review Meeting - 03 to 05 Apr 2017

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMES

1. **Umpires – Train to Trainers Course.** A two days' 'Umpires – Train to Trainers' Course was conducted by Mr. Dennis Burns from ICC at NCA on 11 & 12 Jan 2017 at NCA. A total number of 22 umpires attended the course.
2. **BCCI Match Referee's Workshop.** A two days' workshop for BCCI Match Referees was conducted on 28 Aug to 29 Aug 2017 at Bangalore. A total number of 46 match referees attended the workshop.

BCCI SPORTS SCIENCE & SPORTS MEDICINE ORIENTATION WORKSHOP

BCCI Sports Science & Sports Medicine Orientation Workshop (SSSM1) for Physios & Trainers was conducted by BCCI faculty during this report period as stated below:

Association	Venue	Date (From – To)	No. of Physios & Trainers Attended
For Physios & Trainers of State Affiliated Units of BCCI	Bengaluru	05 Sep to 11 Sep 2016	Physios – 18 Trainers – 17

LEVEL-'B' RE-CERTIFICATION PROGRAMME FOR COACHES

Level-'B' Re-Certification Programme for Coaches was conducted by a team of faculty from Cricket Australia during this report period as stated below:

Association	Venue	Date (From – To)	No. Coaches Attended
For Women Coaches of State Associations affiliated to BCCI	NCA, Bengaluru	21 Mar to 25 Mar 2017	20
For Men Coaches of State Associations affiliated to BCCI (Batch-1)	NCA, Bengaluru	27 Mar to 31 Mar 2017	23
For Men Coaches of State Associations affiliated to BCCI (Batch-2)	NCA, Bengaluru	04 Jul to 08 Jul 2017	26
For Men Coaches of State Associations affiliated to BCCI (Batch-3)	NCA, Bengaluru	09 Jul to 13 Jul 2017	26



LEVEL-‘C’ RE-CERTIFICATION PROGRAMME FOR COACHES

Level-‘C’ Re-Certification Programme for Coaches was conducted by a team of faculty from Cricket Australia during this report period as stated below:

Association	Venue	Date (From – To)	No. Coaches Attended
For Men Coaches of State Associations affiliated to BCCI (Batch-1)	NCA, Bengaluru	14 Aug to 19 Aug 2017	25

BCCI CURATORS WORKSHOP – 2017

The Annual Workshop for Curators of all State Units was conducted at NCA Bangalore on 22 & 23 Jun 2017. It was conducted by the Chairman & Members of Ground & Pitches Committee, BCCI. A total number of 60 curators were attended the workshop.

CLINIC FOR DIRECTOR – OPERATIONS / HEAD COACHES OF STATE CRICKET ACADEMIES

A clinic was conducted on 09 Mar 2017 at the NCA, Bangalore for Director-Operations/Head Coaches of State Cricket Academies of various State Associations in the country to discuss the role of State Cricket Academies and their functioning. Dr. M V Sridhar, General Manager - Cricket Operations, BCCI, who was present at the clinic outlined the objectives of NCA and its expectations, apart from sharing the programme for the year 2017.

Speaking at the clinic, Dr. Sridhar exhorted all the State Associations to develop State Academies which could partner the National Cricket Academy for the future development of Indian cricket. He spoke of the need to create top quality cricketers as well as fine citizens for the country by instilling good values in the trainees as well as encouraging them to pursue their education in all earnest.

Mr. Patrick Farhart, Indian Team Physiotherapist briefed on the ‘Role of SSSM Department’, while Mr. Anand Date, Strength and Conditioning Specialist, NCA outlined the ‘Role of Strength & Conditioning Coach’. Mr. W V Raman & Mr. Narendra Hirwani, NCA Coaches, addressed ‘Overview of Performing of NCA’.

Fifteen delegates from different State Associations attended the programme and each of them made a presentation on the status of the State Cricket Academy in their respective states with respect to infrastructure, manpower development and programmes that are being conducted by them.

The clinic ended with an Open Forum, where ideas were shared freely and doubts cleared by Dr. Sridhar and the NCA Coaches.

REHABILITATION AND TRAINING PROGRAMME OF CONTRACTED PLAYERS / STATE PLAYERS

Rehabilitation and training programme for BCCI contracted players / State players conducted at NCA during this period are as under:

BCCI Contracted Players

- | | |
|----------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Ashish Nehra | 15. Yuzvendra Chahal |
| 2. Ambati Rayudu | 16. Yuvraj Singh |
| 3. Shikhar Dhawan | 17. Shardul Thakur |
| 4. Bhuvneshwar Kumar | 18. Shivam Chaudhary |
| 5. K L Rahul | 19. Krunal Pandya |
| 6. Wriddhiman Saha | 20. Jasprit Bumrah |
| 7. Ajinkya Rahane | 21. Amit Mishra |
| 8. Mohammed Shami | 22. Abhinav Mukund |
| 9. Rohit Sharma | 23. Barinder Sran |
| 10. Mohit Sharma | 24. Murali Vijay |
| 11. Hardik Pandya | 25. Kedar Jadhav |
| 12. Dhawal Kulkarni | 26. Gurkeerat Singh Mann |
| 13. Jayant Yadav | 27. Mandeep Singh |
| 14. Axar Patel | 28. Sanju V Samson |

India ‘A’ Players

- Vijay Shankar
- Shreyas Iyer
- Aniket Chaudhary

India U-19 Players

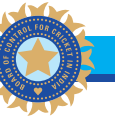
- Himanshu Rana
- Kamlesh Nargoti
- Rahul Chahar

India Women Players

- Jhulan Goswami
- Smriti Mandhana
- Mithali Raj
- Harmanpreet Kaur
- Devika Vaidya
- Veda Krishna Murthy
- Vanitha

State Players

- Ricky Bhui
- Naman Ojha



ADMINISTRATION

All administrative aspects of the Academy were taken care of in a proper manner. All required support facilities were provided for the benefit of players, coaches & support staff. A few important administrative activities are elaborated in the succeeding paragraphs.

Issue of Clothing: Nike provided clothing this year for the NCA camps and for ZCA Camps we purchased the clothing from TK Sports.

Boarding & Lodging: All players including Coaches & Support Staff were accommodated in the Hotels ITC My Fortune & Ritz Carlton (Bangalore). The quality of accommodation and services provided by the hotels were good. As regards food, it was provided to the players and support staff as per the instructions of the Sports Nutritionist and Strength & Conditioner Specialist, NCA.

NCA Committee Meetings: The NCA Committee met during this report period as under:
(a) 02 May 2017 at Hotel Taj, Devanahalli, Bengaluru.

Auditing and Accounting: Accounts are maintained as per the BCCI policy. Expenditure incurred along with bills are forwarded by Accounts In Charge, NCA to CFO, BCCI to obtain approvals of CEO, BCCI & Hony Secretary, BCCI. After approvals the funds are getting released from Office of Hony. Treasurer, BCCI. Now all the budget expenditure & proposals are also forwarded by Accounts In Charge, NCA to CFO, BCCI to obtain approvals of CEO, BCCI & Hony Secretary, BCCI. On a monthly basis all expenditure including cash transactions are forwarded to CFO, BCCI to obtain approvals of CEO, BCCI & Hony Secretary, BCCI.

Auditing of accounts is carried out periodically under instructions of the Office of the Hony. Treasurer, BCCI. The BCCI audit team carries out scrutiny of books of account on a regular basis for reconciliation purposes. The statutory audit is carried out at the end of the financial year. The statutory auditors have completed their annual audit for the financial year 2016-17.

NATIONAL ACADEMY OF UMPIRES

Seminars & Workshops for Match Officials

In August 2016 six seminars and workshops were conducted at National Academy of Umpires (NAU), Nagpur for BCCI Umpires & Match Referees. A total of 143 umpires and match referees attended the same. The workshops were conducted by Manu Nayar, Nandan, Anil Chaudhary, C Shamshuddin, Amit Sharma & I Shivram. These workshops were conducted as pre-season preparation.



Amit Sharma taking a session



Anil Chaudhary taking a session



Workshop for Umpires & Match Referees - Batch 1



Workshop for Umpires & Match Referees - Batch 2



Workshop for Umpires & Match Referees - Batch 3



Workshop for Umpires & Match Referees - Batch 4



Workshop for Umpires & Match Referees - Batch 5

Umpire Decision Review Sessions

During the year under review 10 sessions of Umpire Decision Review were held covering various BCCI Tournaments of Senior and Junior levels. The review committee comprised V K Ramaswami, Vijay Chopra, K Hariharan & I Sivram.



Anti Doping Education Program

BCCI ANTI-DOPING, AGE VERIFICATION PROGRAM & MEDICAL SERVICES (APR 2016 – SEP 2017)

The BCCI being the national governing body for all cricket in India has adopted certain rules to impose clear prohibitions and controls as part of BCCI's continuing effort to:

- a. Maintain the integrity of the sport of cricket in India.
- b. To protect the health of all the participants in the sport of cricket in India.
- c. To keep Indian cricket free from doping.

The BCCI has zero tolerance towards corruption in cricket and that includes doping and age fraud. To create awareness, BCCI lays plenty of emphasis on its Education Programs.

A. BCCI ANTI-DOPING EDUCATION PROGRAMS (ADEP)

1. The BCCI's Anti-Doping Education Program addresses the following issues:
 - a. BCCI's stand on doping in sport.
 - b. History of doping.
 - c. WADA Prohibited list: Substances and Methods, Therapeutic Use Exemption, Ill effects of doping.
 - d. Hazards and risks involved with Supplement use, Ayurvedic, Homeopathic and Herbal medications.
 - e. Doping Control Process: Rights and responsibilities of players, player selection & notification, sample collection & analysis, results management.
 - f. Practical demo of Anti-Doping forms and equipment.
2. All the players and team support staff are given a copy of the **BCCI Anti-Doping Pocket Guide**, which contains the updated World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) Prohibited list of Substances and Methods, Doping Control Process & Player's Rights & Responsibilities.
3. The BCCI provides a **24x7 Anti-Doping Helpline**, to help Cricketers and Support Personnel in knowing what medications are prohibited.



4. **ADEP (Season 2016-17 & 2017-18)** for Junior & Senior, both Men & Women cricketers and the team support staff of all State Cricket Associations was attended by a total of 5684 players & team support staff.
5. **ADEP for members of Team India – Senior Men** was conducted on 17th January 2017 in Pune. Along with the above-mentioned anti-doping topics, the players were briefed about blood testing in cricket, which was to commence in July 2017, during the Champions Trophy in England. All queries and apprehensions from players and support staff were satisfactorily resolved.
6. **ADEP for franchise support staff of IPL teams on 6th April 2016 in Mumbai & 4th April 2017 in Hyderabad:** All 8 franchise Physiotherapists participated in the workshop. Each of them received 30 copies of the updated BCCI Anti-Doping Pocket Guide for all the Players / Team Support Staff. The 24x7 BCCI Anti-Doping Helpline number was also provided to all the franchise Physiotherapists. A Player Acknowledgement Form was signed by each team member to confirm that they have received the resource material and were explained the BCCI anti-doping protocols.

B. BCCI ANTI-DOPING TESTING PROGRAM

1. The BCCI commenced testing in **Domestic Tournaments** during the Ranji Trophy games in October 2016. Following this, testing was also conducted during the Vijay Hazare Trophy, Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy & Col. C K Nayudu Trophy matches. A total of 162 urine samples were collected In-Competition as well as Out-of-Competition.
2. Testing was conducted during **IPL 2016 & IPL 2017** across 11 venues in India and 127 samples were collected In-Competition & Out-of-Competition.

C. BCCI U-16 AGE VERIFICATION PROGRAM (AVP)

The BCCI is using the TW3 (Tanner et al) method of assessment of skeletal maturity. This is the sole determining factor for age verification in the BCCI Under-16 age-group tournament since Season 2012-13.

A total of 1051 fresh players from 32 State Cricket Associations, including Associate & Affiliate Units, were screened, of which 826 were eligible to play the BCCI U-16 tournament and 225 were ineligible.

An AVP and Registration workshop was conducted for the Associate & Affiliate Units on the 12th July 2016 at Shillong, Meghalaya which was attended by representatives from Meghalaya, Manipur, Arunachal, Nagaland & Sikkim Cricket Associations.

D. MEDICAL SERVICES GUIDELINES FOR BCCI DOMESTIC & INTERNATIONAL MATCHES

The BCCI Medical Services Unit laid down minimum medical guidelines to be followed during all BCCI Domestic & International cricket matches in India. The responsibility of providing medical services at matches lies with the respective State Cricket Associations. The Medical Service Provider (Hospital) in each city provided rapid response teams, player & spectator medical centres with medical staff, First Aid centres and advanced life support ambulances.



Anti Corruption Education Program

ANTI-CORRUPTION UNIT

The BCCI has zero-tolerance towards corrupt activities in Cricket. To ensure that the game is well protected from malpractices, BCCI took a major initiative in 2012, to form its own Anti-Corruption Unit (ACU). The unit has expanded its role by developing in-house expertise in handling security issues during international and domestic fixtures besides putting in place strong regulations and anti-corruption mechanisms to prevent corruption in cricket. In the event of someone found indulging in 'corrupt' practices, the ACU deals with such person(s) sternly and recommends to the Disciplinary Committee of the Board to hand out exemplary punishments to them.

It is the responsibility of the BCCI Anti-Corruption Unit to cover all domestic games played under the aegis of the BCCI. These include IPL, Ranji Trophy and other similar tournaments played in the country.

The ACU, in order to achieve the aforesaid objectives, takes the following steps:

1. Preventive vigilance through education, awareness building and intelligence gathering.
2. Enforcement of all BCCI codes and regulations meant to check corruption in cricket.
3. Investigate breaches of the Anti-Corruption Code.
4. Prosecute offenders before the BCCI Disciplinary Committee.
5. Creating security awareness amongst participants.
6. Developing and implementing a robust Security Plan during international and domestic fixtures.

As a matter of policy, the most important step undertaken by the ACU is imparting competency-based education to all participants of the game. This is done to ensure that they are aware of the risks involved in becoming a party to match fixing or spot fixing. They are advised to shun approaches made to them by undesirable elements like bookies, fixers, middle men / women etc. They are, in the process, educated to thwart any attempt to corrupt them by vested interests.

Towards this goal, the ACU of the BCCI launched a massive country-wide education campaign. Officers of the ACU travelled to various States and imparted comprehensive Anti-Corruption Education Programme (ACEP) for Seniors, Under-25, Under-19, Under-16 and Women Players, besides the support staff. Participants were provided a pocket-sized printed Advice Card, both in Hindi and English, detailing the offences, Dos and Don'ts, and advice on how to respond if wrongly approached. In 2016-17, the ACEP was conducted for the benefit of 3002 participants.



A break-up of the number of participants, who attended these programs during this period, is given below:

SR. NO.	STATE ASSOCIATION	DATE	MEN	WOMEN	SUPPORT STAFF	TOTAL
1	HPCA, Dharamsala	24-08-2016	87	34	9	130
2	JSCA, Ranchi	25-08-2016	72	17	10	99
3	Baroda CA, Vadodara	29-08-2016	120	26	32	178
4	CAB, Kolkata	29-08-2016	84	25	10	119
5	Gujarat CA	30-08-2016	115	35	21	171
6	KSCA, Bengaluru	31-08-2016	85	41	15	141
7	VCA, Nagpur	01-09-2016	82	29	18	129
8	MCA, Mumbai	02-09-2016	74	31	12	117
9	Goa CA, Goa	02-09-2016	51	21	10	82
10	SCA, Rajkot	03-09-2016	64	27	14	105
11	CSCS, Raipur	05-09-2016	90	47	20	157
12	HCA, Hyderabad	06-09-2016	63	45	18	126
13	TCA, Agartala	10-09-2016	50	18	4	72
14	SSCB, Delhi	13-09-2016	26	0	4	30
15	UPCA, Kanpur	14-09-2016	44	20	8	72
16	RSPB, Delhi	14-09-2016	50	13	0	63
17	Haryana CA, Lahlia	15-09-2016	53	16	6	75
18	OCA, Cuttack	17-09-2016	160	34	14	208
19	Assam CA, Guwahati	22-09-2016	48	16	21	85
20	TNCA, Chennai	23-09-2016	124	60	12	196
21	DDCA, Delhi	24-09-2016	3	33	11	47
22	Andhra CA, Vijaywada	26-09-2016	74	20	33	127
23	PCA, Mohali	26-09-2016	52	13	3	68
24	KCA, Kochi	28-09-2016	69	30	16	115
25	MPCA, Indore	28-09-2016	37	19	9	65
26	Maharashtra CA, Pune	29-09-2016	100	15	14	129
27	Team Rajasthan	29-09-2016	49	14	14	77
28	Associates & Affiliates U-19	09-10-2016	15	0	4	19
			1941	699	362	3002

ACU had also assisted ICC ACU into conducting inquiries in India during their investigation into allegations of Corruption in Ram Slam T20 with the assistance of local police.

ACU also conducted investigations into corrupt approaches made during Karnataka Premier League (KPL) matches held in Bangalore, Hubli and Mysore. During these investigations it transpired that young KPL players were approached by bookies / fixers based out of Punjab and UP. The corruptors were traced and questioned with the help of local police. Inter alia, one of the things learnt was that several T20 tournaments are being held in different parts of India like Goa, Jaipur, Hyderabad etc. in which match fixing and spot fixing are rampant. Some of the team owners, sponsors, promoters of these private leagues, taking advantage of the high stakes involved, indulge in match / spot fixing. Pitch-siders and their masters also make merry. Bookies and corruptors hang around in team hotels freely to compromise players / match officials for spot fixing.

It was highlighted during the ACEPs that such tournaments are dens of corruption and pose great danger to the game in general and players in particular, since many BCCI registered players also participate in them. Young players are exposed to corrupt ways that they are likely to continue with in the event of their making to Ranji or national levels. It may be difficult for the players getting compromised to break the vicious circle of corruption. The BCCI Players and Match Officials participating in such tournaments may often become victims of corruption in these unauthorized tournaments.

ACU has also collaborated with law enforcement agencies and shared intelligence on various undesirable elements and frauds committed by them from time to time.

For instance, it was ACU's intelligence that led to arrest of Nayan Shah, a bookie / fixer during IPL 10.

Subsequently, fraudsters like Saurabh Bhambri, Vijay Barhate and others who were cheating young aspiring cricketers, were also arrested.

BCCI ACU has launched a campaign against private unauthorized leagues. In one joint operation with Jaipur police, in July 2017, 20 people including 6 players were arrested for corruption in Rajputana Premier League.

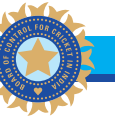
As a result of ACU's initiative, the tournament was disrupted. And further as a consequence, many such private leagues which were planned subsequently, were abandoned by corruptors.

ACU continues to monitor private leagues and liaise with other Board ACUs to disrupt them.

ACU has been able to build a strong reputation for zero tolerance towards corruption in cricket whether it is match fixing, cheating aspiring cricketers, frauds of any kind in name of BCCI, BCCI Officials, IPL Franchisee. ACU's action has resulted in the robust network of sources who keep us informed of developments in the bookies circles relating to betting, fixing, or probable corruption in approved and unapproved tournaments – concluded, in progress, or in planning phase. BCCI ACU officials have worked in collaboration with ICC ACU to thwart several attempts of staging corrupt leagues.

However, there is a mushrooming growth of private and unauthorised T-20 tournaments in different parts of the country. It is now a well known fact that such tournaments are held only for purposes of betting / fixing. These tournaments are a source of great deal of intelligence and information about bookies and corruptors and therefore ACU continues to monitor such tournaments for gathering intelligence.

The BCCI remains committed to maintaining the integrity and sanctity of the game at all costs. The Board is open to new ideas from all stakeholders, including the ardent fans and followers of cricket, to further upgrade its anti-corruption measures, and to ensure that their confidence in the 'gentleman's game' is restored.



TROPHIES AT BCCI HQ, MUMBAI (OLD OFFICE)

- 1 Sri Lanka-India Videocon Test Series 2005
- 2 Pepsi Cup India-South Africa 2005
- 3 U-17 Asia Cup 2001
- 4 India 'A' to Sri Lanka 2002 May-June
- 5 Cable and Wireless Series at West Indies 2006
- 6 TVS Cup 2006 India-England
- 7 Eurasia Cup, Abu Dhabi 2006
- 8 ICC Champions Trophy 2002 Sri Lanka
- 9 LG Cup India-England 2002 (broken)
- 10 Videocon U-19 Asia Cup 2003
- 11 Coca Cola Cup 1998, Sharjah
- 12 Videocon Cup Sri Lanka Tour India 2005 ODI
- 13 Hutch Cup Pakistan Tour India 2006
- 14 Sanvijay Group Series India-Kenya-Pakistan 2004 (Winner - Kenya)
- 15 Asia Cup 1988 Rolling
- 16 West Indies Tour India Fateh Singh Gaikwad Trophy(2) 1994-95
- 17 U-19 CWC Sri Lanka Jan-2000 (shifted to New HQ)
- 18 Rothmans Asia Cup
- 19 Mc Dowell Test Nov 96 India-South Africa
- 20 Independence Cup, Sri Lanka 1998
- 21 Indian Oil Asia Cup 2004
- 22 Wills Asia Cup 88, Bangladesh
- 23 Titan Cup Nov 96 Australia-South Africa-India
- 24 Pepsi Independence Cup 1997 (Big & Small)
- 25 3rd SAARC Runners-up, Bangladesh 1997
- 26 Exide Cup India-West Indies Test
- 27 Wills Trophy World Series 1994
- 28 Sharjah Cup 1988
- 29 Pepsi Series India-Sri Lanka 1997
- 30 Madhavrao Scindia Trophy Domestic
- 31 Wills Trophy Domestic
- 32 Dutch Bangla Bank Bangladesh-India 2000
- 33 Beximico Youth Cup 1989, Bangladesh
- 34 Hero Cup 1993-1994
- 35 Bakerton Challenge Cup U-19 WC 1992 (shifted to New HQ)
- 36 Singer World Series 1994
- 37 Texaco Trophy 1986 (shifted to New HQ)
- 38 DMC Cup India vs West Indies 1999
- 39 Costcutter U-15 World Challenge 2000
- 40 Anthony Demello Trophy India vs England (08 Nos. Trophy)
- 41 Charminar Cup India-Zimbabwe 1993 (Charms)
- 42 Charminar Cup India-England 1993 (Charms)
- 43 SAARC 1994, Bangladesh
- 44 Pepsi Asia Cup 1995
- 45 India-Zimbabwe Jul-Aug 2004 Souvenir
- 46 Pepsi 2000 Series India-Zimbabwe (ODI & Test)
- 47 Pepsi Cup India-South Africa 2000

- 48 Pepsi 2001 India-England MoS
- 49 Coca Cola Cup 1998 India-Bangladesh
- 50 Pepsi Cup India-West Indies 1994
- 51 Hero Cup India-England 2001
- 52 Pepsi Cup 1999 India-New Zealand Test & ODI
- 53 Pepsi Cup 2000 India-Zimbabwe
- 54 Digicel 2006 West Indies-India
- 55 U-19 India-England 2006 One Day
- 56 Pepsi Challenge India-South Africa 1996
- 57 Afro Asia Cup 2005
- 58 Royal Stag Trophy India-Zimbabwe 2005 ODI & Test
- 59 U-19 India-England 2006 Test
- 60 Indian Oil Cup 2005 (India-Sri Lanka-West Indies)
- 61 India Tour Zimbabwe 2005 Winner Royal Stag
- 62 ACC U-15 2000
- 63 Kathmandu Kalash India tour Nepal U-19
- 64 Maharaja Fatehsingh Rao Gaekwad Trophy India-West Indies 1996
- 65 Pepsi Series India-New Zealand 1995
- 66 Standard Cup India-South Africa 2006
- 67 House of Kedia Challenger Trophy (Domestic) 1995
- 68 India 'A' Tour to Kenya 1995
- 69 Standard Bank India-South Africa T20
- 70 Women's Asia Cup 2008
- 71 Castrol Indian Cricketer of the Year 2000-2001
- 72 Coca Cola Cup India-Australia-New Zealand 1998

TROPHIES AT BCCI HQ, MUMBAI (NEW OFFICE)

- 1 Benson & Hedges Tournament on 150th Anniversary
- 2 Samsung Cup (India-Pakistan ODI) 2004
- 3 Samsung Cup (India-Pakistan Test) 2004
- 4 Videocon Cup (India-South Africa)
- 5 Super Asia Cup (Women's Asia Cup) 2006
- 6 Super Asia Cup (U-19) in Pakistan 2006
- 7 DLF Cup (India-Pakistan) in Abu Dhabi 2006
- 8 Safaricom - Tri Series (India 'A'-Sri Lanka 'A'-Kenya) 2007
- 9 Champions Cup (U-19) (Sri Lanka-India-Bangladesh) 2007
- 10 Pepsi Cup (West Indies Tour to India ODI Series) 2007
- 11 Hero Honda Cup (Sri Lanka Tour to India ODI Series) 2007
- 12 Grameenphone Bangladesh (ODI Series) 2007
- 13 Grameenphone Bangladesh (Test Series) 2007
- 14 HSBC International Invitation (India-England-Malaysia) U-19 2007
- 15 Royal Stag (India-Scotland) 2007
- 16 Npower (England-India) Test Series 2007
- 17 Twenty20 ICC World Cup - ICC Event at South Africa 2007
- 18 Govt of Maharashtra ICC T-20 Series 2007
- 19 Future Cup (India-South Africa) Ireland 2007
- 20 Future Cup (India-Australia) T20 at CCI 2007



21	Indian Oil Cup (India-Pakistan Test Series) 2007	69	ACC Women's T-20 Asia Cup at China 2012
22	India Oil Cup (India-Pakistan ODI Series) 2007	70	Airtel India-Pakistan T-20 2012-13
23	C B Series at Australia (India-Sri Lanka-Australia) 2008	71	Bakerton Challenger Series 1988
24	India Under-19 to South Africa 2008	72	India-England ODI Series 2012
25	Kitply Cup (India-Pakistan-Bangladesh) 2008	73	India-England T-20 Series 2012
26	Idea Cup (India Tour to Sri Lanka) 2008	74	Anthony de Mello Trophy (India-England)
27	U-19 ICC World Cup Malaysia 2008	75	Celkon Mobile Cup 2013 at West Indies 2013
28	England to India RBS Cup 2008	76	Celkon Mobile Cup 2013 Zimbabwe-India at Zimbabwe 2013
29	Australia to India - Airtel- Border-Gavaskar Trophy (Test Series) 2008	77	Tri Nation Challenge Series (India 'A'-South Africa 'A'-Australia 'A') 2013
30	U-19 India-South Africa - 3 day game 2008	78	ACC Emerging Cup 2013 at Singapore 2013
31	Royal Stag - T20 India-Sri Lanka 2009	79	India-England ODI Series 2013
32	India to Sri Lanka - IDBI Wealthsurance Cup (ODI Series) 2009	80	India-Australia ODI Series 2013
33	India to Sri Lanka - IDBI Wealthsurance Cup (T-20 Match) 2009	81	India-Australia T-20 Series 2013
34	India to West Indies - Digicel ODI Series 2009	82	India-West Indies 2013 Test Series
35	Sri Lanka to India - Jaypee Test Series 2009	83	Under-19 Quadrangular Series 2013 at Vizag
36	India to Sri Lanka - Compaq Tri Series 2009	84	Under-19 Asia Cup at UAE 2013-14
37	Sri Lanka to India - Karbonn ODI Series 2009	85	Under-19 Asia Cup at UAE 2014 (replica)
38	India to Bangladesh - Test Series Idea Trophy 2010	86	India-Zimbabwe Prayag ODI Series 2015
39	South Africa to India - Micromax mobile ODI Series 2010	87	Women's India-Sri Lanka ODI Series at Vizag 2014
40	England Women's to India 2010 ODI Series	88	India-Sri Lanka ODI Series 2014
41	India-South Africa-Sri Lanka Champions Trophy 2009-10 at South Africa	89	India 'A'-South Africa 4-day Paytm Series 2015-16
42	India to Zimbabwe - Micromax T-20 Series 2010	90	India 'A'-Australia 'A'-South Africa 'A' - Tringular Series 2015-16
43	Air Tel India India-Australia Test Series 2010	91	India-Bangladesh Test Series in Bangladesh 2015
44	Air Tel India India-Australia ODI Series 2010	92	Freedom Test Series India-South Africa in India, 2015
45	Airtel India-New Zealand ODI & Test Series 2010 (2 Trophies)	93	India-Australia KFC International T20 Series 2016
46	West Indies Women's tour to India ODI Series 2011	94	Women's India-Australia Commonwealth T20 Series 2016
47	West Indies Women's tour to India T-20 Series 2011	95	India-Sri Lanka Paytm ODI Series in India 2016
48	ICC World Cup 2011	96	Micromax Asia Cup in Bangladesh 2016
49	Digicel Test Match Series 2011 at West Indies	97	Under-19 Tringular Series in Sri Lanka 2016
50	Digicel ODI Series 2011 at West Indies	98	Under-19 Paytm Triangular Series (Afghanistan-Bangladesh-India) in India 2016
51	Digicel T-20 Match 2011 at West Indies	99	Women's India-Sri Lanka T20 Series 2016 in Ranchi 2016
52	KFC T-20 Winner in Australia 2012	100	Women's India-Sri Lanka ODI Series 2016 in Ranchi 2016
53	Under-19 2010 International Quadrangular Series, Townsville Australia 2012	101	Killer Cup India-Zimbabwe ODI Series
54	AirTel India-New Zealand Test Series 2012	102	Prayag Cup India-Zimbabwe T20 Series
55	Airtel India-England ODI Series 2011	103	Royal Stag India-West Indies Test Series 2016
56	Air Tel India-West Indies 2012 Test Series	104	Royal Stag India-West Indies ODI series 2017
57	Micromax India-Sri Lanka T-20 Series 2012	105	Paytm Test India-Bangladesh 2017
58	Micromax India-Sri Lanka ODI Series 2012	106	Paytm ODI India-England 2017
59	Under-19 Quadrangular Series 2011	107	Paytm T20 India-England 2017
60	World Cup 1983	108	ICC Women's Qualifiers 2017 in Sri Lanka
61	ACC U-19 Asia Cup 2012 Jt. Winner	109	Under-19 Test Winner 2017 in England
62	Independence Cup 1998	110	Under-19 Test Winner 2017 in India
63	Under-19 Triangular Series 2009-10	111	Women's ODI Quadrangular Series 2017
64	ICC Under-19 World Cup 2000	112	India 'A' Team Triangular Series in South Africa 2017
65	Micromax Asia Cup 2010	113	Micromax Sri Lanka-India Test Series in Sri Lanka 2017
66	ICC Champions Trophy 2002	114	Micromax Sri Lanka-India ODI Series in Sri Lanka 2017
67	Rothmans Cup	115	Micromax Sri Lanka-India T20 Series in Sri Lanka 2017
68	Texaco Trophy India-England ODI Series 2013		



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