भारतीय खेल प्राधिकरण
SPORTS AUTHORITY OF INDIA
(TEAMS DIVISION)

File No. F. No. SAI/TD/AIFF/U-20 Women/ Myanmar/2025-26 (AIFF-X) Date: 23.07.2025

Administrative Sanction No. 29 (2025-26)

To,

The President/Secretary General

All India Football Federation (AIFF)

Sub: - Financial Assistance for Indian U-20 Women Team's Exposure and AFC U-20 Women's Asia Cup 2026(Q)-Yangon, Myanmar to be held from 1st to 11th August 2025.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the proposal regarding participation of the **Indian U-20 Women Team's Exposure and AFC U-20 Women's Asia Cup 2026(Q)-Yangon, Myanmar to be held from 1st to 11th August 2025** consisting of **31 Members (23 Athletes + 07 Coach & Support Staff Cost to govt and 1 Manager no cost to govt**). In this connection it is conveyed that the above-mentioned participation has been approved by the Competent Authority.

A. List of Tentative Athletes are as follows: -

U-20 WOMEN'S PLAYERS LIST			
S.NO	NAME	D.O.B	POSITION
1	Anika Devi Sharubam	30.12.2008	Goal Keeper
2	Khambi Chanu Sarangthem	20.09.2007	Goal Keeper
3	Melody Chanu Keisham	02.03.2006	Goal Keeper
4	Ribansi Jamu	16.12.2008	Goal Keeper
5	Malti Kumari	20.01.2006	Goal Keeper
6	Cindy Remruatpuii Colney	26.03.2007	Defender
7	Remi Thokchom	14.03.2008	Defender
8	Nishima Kumari	13.07.2007	Defender
9	Shubhangi Singh	11.06.2006	Defender
10	Viksit Bara	08.04.2008	Defender
11	Juhi Singh	29.07.2007	Defender
12	Sanjita Devi Thingbaijam	10.09.2006	Defender
13	Alina Chingakham	07.06.2008	Defender
14	Shivani Toppo	17.10.2007	Defender
15	Sahena Th	14.03.2006	Defender
16	Thoibisana Chanu Toijam	07.03.2007	Defender
17	Anju Chanu Kayenpaibam	02.03.2007	Midfielder
18	Arina Devi Nameirakpam	04.03.2008	Midfielder
19	Bhumika Devi Khumukcham	15.02.2007	Midfielder
20	Nitu Linda	05.04.2006	Midfielder

21	Ruchi	01.01.2006	Midfielder
22	Anusha Mandala	04.06.2008	Midfielder
23	Neha	19.05.2006	Midfielder
24	Pooja	07.02.2007	Midfielder
25	Monisha Singha	13.01.2007	Midfielder
26	Fragrancy Riwan	02.09.2006	Midfielder
27	Khushbu Kashiram Saroj	16.05.2007	Forward
28	Babita Kumari	02.08.2008	Forward
29	Sulanjana Raul	04.06.2007	Forward
30	Lhingdeikim	23.01.2008	Forward
31	Deepika Pal	22.01.2008	Forward
32	Sibani Devi Nongmeikapam	13.01.2007	Forward
33	Shiji Shaji	13.03.2007	Midfielder
34	Monalisha Devi Moirangthem	03.07.2006	Goal Keeper

B. Details of Coaches/Support Staff:

Sr.No.	Name	Designation	Recommendation
1	Joakim Bernt Alexandersson	Head Coach	Cost to Govt.
2	Paromita Sit	Assistant Coach	Cost to Govt.
3	K.K. Hameed	Goalkeeper Coach	Cost to Govt.
4	Shreya Rasania	Team Doctor	Cost to Govt.
5	Karan Ashok Mane	Fitness Coach	Cost to Govt.
6	Vallari Pejathaya	Physiotherapist	Cost to Govt.
7	Anjali Devi Mekala	Manager	**No Cost to Govt.**
8	Preeti Bhagvat Thombre	Massaeur	Cost to Govt.

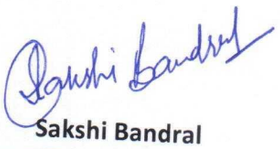
1. Section 9 of FC (R) Act, 1976, provides inter – alia that no member of a legislature, office bearer of a political party, judge, Government servant or employee of any corporation shall accept any foreign hospitality without the prior permission of the Central Government. In case, any team member is covered under the above act, he/ she obtains the prior permission from Ministry of Home Affairs before their departure to **Yangon, Myanmar.**

2. As regards foreign exchange required for above participation, **AIFF** is requested to approach authorized dealers for getting the foreign exchange in view of RBI circular No. 41 A.D (M.A. Series) dated 25.1.97.

3. Such of the team – member who might be Central Government Servants are to be treated as on duty (Which include deputation abroad) in respect of the participation by the Departure / Office in which they are employed in teams of Department Personnel & Training O.M. No. 6/1/85-Est. (Pay-1) dated 30.1.1989. **AIFF** should inform their employing Department/ Office accordingly.

4. It is requested that Indian High Commission/ Embassy in **Yangon, Myanmar** and organizers of the event may please be informed of the travel plans and itinerary of the delegation for participation in above event. The team members may be advised to call on the Mission for exchange of views.
5. A report on the visit of the team along with its **performance / achievement** in the above Event may please be sent to TEAMS Division, SAI within 7 days of the return of the team to India along with **some action photographs**.
6. Before departure of the team, **AIFF** may please have the report of Dope Test of members of the team from NADA.

Yours faithfully,



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2. DDO (TEAMS), J.N. Stadium, New Delhi
3. SDO, TEAMS Division, SAI
4. SO, Ministry of External Affairs
5. Media Division, SAI HQ, New Delhi
6. Sanction folder

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Sir,

Further to Administrative Approval issued dated 23.07.2025 on the subject mention above. I am directed to convey the financial sanction of Competent Authority, in principle, for the subject International Exposure, as per following break-up of financial assistance and Terms and Conditions: -

[FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS]

1 USD = 86 INR

S. No	Head of Expenditure	Currency	Rate	Members	No. of Days	Currency Conversion	Amount (₹)
1	Airfare (as per actual)	INR	70000	30	-		21,00,000/-
2	Visa	INR	3000	30	-		90,000/-
3	Insurance (as per actual)	INR	2000	30	-		60,000/-
4	Lodging & Boarding (for 03 days i.e. 02nd to 04th Aug.,2025	USD	135	30	03	86	10,44,900/-
5	Transport & Ground	USD	400	-	03	86	1,03,200/-
6	Excess Baggage	USD	3000	-	-	86	2,58,000/-
7	Out of Pocket Allowance (OPA)	USD	25	30	07	86	4,51,500/-
TOTAL							**41,07,600/-**

I am also directed to convey the sanction of Competent Authority for the payment of: -

1. Participation of the **Indian U-20 Women Team's Exposure and AFC U-20 Women's Asia Cup 2026(Q)-Yangon, Myanmar to be held from 1st to 11th August 2025** consisting of **31 Members (23 Athletes + 07 Coach & Support Staff) Cost to govt and 01 Manager no cost to govt.**
2. Expenditure of **Rs. 41,07,600/- (Rupees Forty-One Lakhs Seven Thousand Six Hundred only)** including Airfare, Insurance, Lodging & Boarding Visa Fees, Excess Baggage, Transport & Ground and OPA towards participating in the said competition.
3. OPA of Rs. 4,51,500/-(@RS. 15,050/- per head) for **30 Members (23 Athletes + 07 Coaches & Support Staff, excluding 01 Manager** may be released directly to the members bank account towards participating in the said event after receiving the air tickets.
4. The expenditure to be incurred towards Airfare to be reimbursed to Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd./ Ashok Tours & Travels on receipt of bills as per actual.
5. The settlement will be done on receipt of accounts along with duly certified vouchers/invoice duly certified by the CAG empaneled Chartered Accountant within 15 days after the event is over to Sports Authority of India.
6. The amount sanctioned herein will be drawn by the Drawing & Disbursing Officer, Sports Authority of India on the prescribed bill immediately for disbursing the same to grantee through Electronic Clearing System. This grant is of non-recurring nature.
7. The grant is subject to the conditions mentioned below:-

   i. That the grantee shall execute a bond for the full amount of grant in the prescribed Performa on a non-judicial stamp paper in acceptance of the terms and conditions of the grant duly executed by the authorized signatory of the grantee and two sureties and witnesses with complete permanent addresses.

   ii. The grantee shall maintain subsidiary accounts of the grant received from the Sports Authority of India.

   iii. The grantee shall maintain the register of assets in the prescribed form GFR-12 A. The assets acquired wholly or substantially out of the grant except those declared as obsolete and unserviceable or condemned as per the procedure laid down in the General Financial Rules shall not be disposed off without the prior approval of the Sports Authority of India.

   iv. The grantee shall not divert the grants and entrust execution of the scheme or work concerned to another Institution or Organizations and shall abide by the terms & conditions of the grant. If the grantee fails to utilize the grant, for the purpose for which the same has been sanctioned, the grantee will be required to refund the entire amount of the grant with interest thereon @ 10% per annum.

v. The Utilization Certificate in the prescribed form GFR – 12 A disclosing whether the specified, quantified and qualitative targets that should have been reached against the amount utilized, were in fact reached and if not, the reasons therefore should be submitted within 30 Days of the completion of the program along with the audited statement of accounts. The UC should be checked and signed by the Chartered Accountant with reference to the initial and subsidiary accounts of the grant to be maintained by the grantee as per GFRs.

vi. The performance-cum-achievement report in respect of the above event for which the grant has been sanctioned should be forwarded to the TEAMS DIVISION, Sports Authority of India with a copy to Government Observer within one week of the completion of event.

vii. That some photographs of the events, i.e. events, medal winners etc. with sample invitation cards for opening and closing ceremony and copies of newspaper clippings related to the event preferably in National and Regional dailies be sent to this office along with performance-cum-achievement report.

viii. That the amount in INR will be subject to the actual rate of Foreign Exchange on the date of payment by the Federation. The difference, if any, in INR will be adjusted.

ix. There is no reason to believe that the grantee is involved in corrupt practice.

x. That no advertisement of Tobacco and Liquor will be displayed during the event, the breach of which entails the cancellation of grant.

xi. Amount of grant should be utilized only for the purpose for which it is sanctioned and unspent balance of grant shall be refunded by the grantee institution immediately after conclusion of the event.

xii. The grantee should maintain separate accounts for the grants released by the Sports Authority of India. The accounts of the amount so paid to the grantee shall be open to check by an officer deputed by Sports Authority of India or the Government in addition to other statutory authorities to ensure proper utilization of the funds and that no profits are earned out this.

xiii. The grantee shall also submit consolidated accounts of the grants received from other Ministries/Departments/State Governments for detailed checking by the Sports Authority of India, in addition to the separate annual accounts on the activities implemented with the grants released by the Sports Authority of India.

xiv. The grant is further subject to the conditions laid down in General Financial Rules as amended from time to time.

xv. The fact the program is sponsored by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports/ Sports Authority of India should be prominently highlighted and displayed while inviting people and holding functions/programs/events etc.

xvi. When the Sports Authority of India/Government of India/State Government has reasons to believe that the sanctioned money is not being utilized for the approved purposes, the payment of the grant will be stopped. If the reply to the show cause notice is not satisfactory, the earlier grant will be recovered with interest as mentioned in Clause IV above.

xvii. The grantee institution or organization should exercise reasonable economy in the working of the approved projects.

xviii. As per GFR-212(1), the accounts of grantee institution or organization shall be opened to inspection by the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports/Sports Authority of India and audit, both by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India under the provision of CAG (DPC) Act, 1971 and Internal Audit of Sports Authority of India, New Delhi, whenever the grantee is called upon to do so.

xix. The above sanction has been issued under the powers delegated to the Director General/Secretary/Executive Director of Sports Authority of India. It is certified that the grant being released is in conformity with the rules and regulations of the scheme as approved by the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports.

8. Travel Sector: Hometown/Training base – Competition Venue & Back. In this regard, it is requested to book Air ticket through any of the three travel agents viz. (i) M/s Balmer Lawrie & Company Limited (BLCL), (ii) M/s Ashok Travels and Tours (ATT) and (iii) Indian Railways Catering and Tourism Corporation Ltd. (IRCTC), in terms of Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure's OM No. 19024/03/2021 dated 16th June, 2022.

This issue with the approval of Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully,

(Sakshi Bandral)
Project Officer (TEAMS)

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