

# **CWG 2014: BAI announces Cash Prize for Indian Shuttlers**

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**New Delhi: Badminton Association of India President Dr. Akhilesh Das Gupta announced a financial windfall for the Indian contingent at the 2014 Commonwealth Games with Men's Singles Gold Medallist P. Kashyap set to get a cash reward of Rs 25 lakh.**



(CWG 2014: Kashyap wins historic Men's Singles Gold)

**"While Kashyap would be honoured with a cash prize of Rs 25 lakh, Jwala and Ashwini will receive Rs 10 lakh each, Sindhu and Gurusaidutt (Rs 5 lakh) and K. Shrikant and P.C. Tulasi (Rs 1 lakh)," Dr Gupta said in a statement here.**

**Dr Gupta also took the opportunity to thank Chief National Coach Pullela Gopi Chand, Madhumita Bisht, the support staff, Indian Olympic Association and the Sports Ministry for all the support and said they were now focused on winning medals in next month's Asian Games in Incheon, Korea.**



(CWG 2014: Jwala Gutta & Ashwini Ponnappa wins Women's Double's Silver Medal)



(CWG 2014: PV Sindhu wins Women's Singles Bronze Medal)



(CWG 2014: Gurusaidutt wins Men's Singles Bronze Medal)

**"The Indian team would be further strengthened by the return of Saina Nehwal and I am confident that we will bring back medals from Incheon as well," Dr Gupta added.**

Kashyap ended India's 32-year wait for a Men's Singles title on Sunday when he defeated Singapore's Derek Wong in the final in Glasgow. The Women's Doubles pair of Jwala Gutta and Ashwini Ponnappa had to settle for Silver while P V Sindhu and RMV Guru Sai Dutt bagged the Bronze in Women's and Men's Singles respectively.

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