

## SPORTS

### ■ Dilip Tirkey Unanimously Elected President of Hockey India

Dilip Tirkey, former captain of Indian Hockey Team and member of the gold medal-winning team at the 1998 Asian Games, was unanimously elected as Hockey India (HI) President on 23rd September. For the first time in history, a former sportsperson and Olympian has gone on to head the national body. Tirkey, 44, has a record 412 international matches as a defender in his career spanning more than 15 years. He represented India at the Olympic Games in Atlanta in 1996, Sydney in 2000, and Athens in 2004.



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