

President IBBF Mr Pradeep Baba Madhok was given the honour to hold the Queen's Baton



On 12th of July 2010 the Queen's Baton of the Commonwealth Games to be held in Delhi from 3rd October to the 14th October was received by the high delegation of Administrative officers and highly placed sports officials of the state of Uttar Pradesh U. P.

Mr Baba Madhok the President of Varanasi Region Olympic Committee , President of the Indian Bodybuilding Federation and the Organizer of the 2nd WBPF World Men's Bodybuilding Championship of Varanasi was one of the first to be given the opportunity to hold the Queen's Baton during the rally.

The Queen's Baton as a mark of tradition and as a practice of the Commonwealth Movement was handed over to the high level delegation of the government of India by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth of England last month since then the baton is taken over across all over to India and in all major cities of India

Varanasi as known to be the oldest living city and the cultural capital of India is among the chosen few cities to be given the privilege to host the baton.