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Title: Request government allocate sufficient funds so that retired teachers of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan can get their pensionary benefits, service gratuity, leave encashment, etc.

SHRI K. MURALEEDHARAN (VADAKARA): I would like to submit that from last year onwards, retired teachers of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan have not been paid their pensionary benefits, leave encashment, commutation amount, and service gratuity, etc. The Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan is returning their representation saying that they have not got funds from the Ministry of HRD.

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(Shri Rajendra Agrawal *in the Chair*)

Sir, these pensionary teachers were expecting this amount from their date of retirement for settlement of their needs such as fulfilling the marriage of their sons or daughters, construction of house, etc. They are unable to repay their loans also.

Therefore, I would request the hon. HRD Minister to allot sufficient funds for settlement of their above issues. Otherwise, these retired teachers will commit suicides. It is a very important matter and I would urge upon the Government to intervene in this matter.