

1	2	3	4
5. Gujarat		2	9
6. Haryana		—	2
7. Himachal Pradesh		6	—
8. Jammu & Kashmir		—	2
9. Karnataka		3	2
10. Kerala		2	5
11. Madhya Pradesh		7	27
12. Maharashtra		8	11
13. Manipur		—	1
14. Mizoram		—	1
15. Orissa		8	8
16. Punjab		—	1
17. Rajasthan		1	5
18. Sikkim		1	—
19. Tamil Nadu		8	1
20. Uttar Pradesh		3	14
21. West Bengal		—	11
22. Andaman & Nicobar		6	1
		—	—
	Total	68	134
		—	—

[English]

Kendriya Vidyalaya at Haldia,
West Bengal

828. SHRI SATYAGOPAL MISRA :
Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE
DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government propose to set
up a Kendriya Vidyalaya at Haldia, West
Bengal;

(b) whether any site has been selected
for the said Vidyalaya; and

(c) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND
CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI) : (a) No,
Sir.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Decontrol of price of Vitamin

829. DR. CHANDRA SHEKHAR
TRIPATHI : Will the Minister of HEALTH
AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to
state :

(a) whether deficiency of Vitamin A is
the main cause of blindness;

(b) if so, whether preparations based on
Vitamin A are very costly;

(c) whether his Ministry has recom-
mended for price decontrol of Vitamin A;
and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN
THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ
KHAPARDE) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Proprietary preparations of Vit. A are
sold at different prices. The Vit. A Solu-
tion procured by the Government costs
about 45 paise per dose and is supplied free
to the children under 5 years in the country
through vast Health infrastructure.

(c) and (d). All Vitamin bulk drugs along
with their single ingredient products are
exempt from price control under Drugs
Control Price Order, 1987.

[Translation]

Rehabilitation of widows

830. SHRI KALI PRASAD PANDEY :
Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE
DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government propose to start
a national programme for the rehabilitation
of widows after Deorala Sati incident;

(b) if so, the main features of the
national programme and the details of the
expenditure likely to be incurred on this
programme during the current financial year