

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is fact that students are facing numerous problems in getting admission in Navodaya Vidyalayas in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to keep Navodaya and Kendriya Vidyalayas under the impact of Right to Education Act;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT(SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

- (a) No, Sir.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) to (e) Navodaya Vidyalayas and Kendriya Vidyalayas, having a distinct character, are special category schools as defined in Section 2(p) of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009.