

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of Krishi Vigyan Kendras (KVKs) in the country including Himachal Pradesh, State-wise;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to set up more KVKs;
- (c) if so, the details of the locations identified; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS)

- (a) The total number of Krishi Vigyan Kendras (KVK) in the country is 567 including 12 in Himachal Pradesh. The State-wise number of KVKs is given in Annexure-I.
- (b) & (c): The Indian Council of Agricultural Research has a proposal to set up 92 more KVKs. The State-wise details of identified approved districts for setting up of these KVKs are given in Annexure-II-IV.
- (d) Does not arise.