

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

STARRED QUESTION NO:106

ANSWERED ON:21.03.2012

KENDRIYA VIDYALAYAS

Khattri Shri Nirmal;Mandal Shri Mangani Lal

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

(a) the number of Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) functioning in the country at present, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government employees who are prone to frequent transfers are finding it difficult to admit their children at various places due to non- availability of KVs;

(c) if so, whether the Government is planning to open more KVs during the Twelfth Plan Period; and

(d) if so, the places identified for the same, State-wise and the time by which these are likely to be set up?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI KAPIL SIBAL)

(a) to (d) : A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 106 RAISED BY DR. NIRMAL KHATRI & SHRI MANGANI LAL MANDAL, HON'BLE MPs TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.03.2012 REGARDING KENDRIYA VIDYALAYAS

(a) Presently 1084 Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) are functioning in the country. The State wise details are given in Annexure.

(b) Yes, Sir. KVs are not available in 155 districts of the country. Proposals for opening of new Kendriya Vidyalayas are considered in the project sector if sponsored by one of the following (i) Ministries or Departments of the Government of India (ii) State Governments / UTs; (iii) Organizations of employees belonging to the eligible categories. Further, new Kendriya Vidyalayas are opened when there is a concentration of at least 500 employees of the Defence services / Government of India / Government Undertaking individually or jointly (250 in the case of Special Focus Districts) or when there is minimum potential enrolment of children of specified categories which may be 200 or an average of 30 per class, whichever is more. Accordingly, it may not be possible to open Kendriya Vidyalayas at all locations where Government employees are posted on transfer.

(c) Setting up of KVs in the uncovered areas of the country is an ongoing process. However, the 12th Five Year Plan proposals, including opening of new KVs, have not been finalized.

(d) Does not arise.