

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

STARRED QUESTION NO:227

ANSWERED ON:23.07.2014

NORMS FOR OPENING OF KVS

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

- (a) whether the Government has opened Kendriya Vidyalayas in tribal districts and inaccessible parts of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (c) whether the Government has any proposal to relax norms to allow rent free temporary accommodation for setting up of new KVs in tribal and inaccessible areas;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps taken/proposed to be taken to augment infrastructure in KVs located in such areas?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

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

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 227 RAISED BY SHRIMATI DARSHANA VIKRAM JARDOSH AND SHRI A.T. NANA PATIL HON'BLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT TO BE ANSWERED ON 23RD JULY 2014 REGARDING NORMS FOR OPENING OF KVs.

(a) Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) are opened primarily to cater to the educational needs of the wards of transferable Central Government employees including Defence personnel on receipt of the proposal in prescribed proforma from various Ministries/ State/UT Governments, thereby committing resources for setting up a new KV as well as on the availability of necessary sanction of Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India. On fulfillment of the above norms, 73 KVs have been set up in districts having tribal population above 50%; and 96 KVs in districts having tribal population between 25% to 50%. KVS has not defined any stations as inaccessible, however, these are categorized as hard / very hard on the criteria of accessibility to road / rail network, impact of internal security related issues, availability of residential accommodation for the staff, and medical, education, facilities etc. There are 131 KVs in hard /very hard stations.

(b) The following KVs have been opened during the last 3 years in the tribal districts:

S1. Name of KV & Districts	Year of opening
No.	
1. Tuting, distt. Upper Siang, Arunachal Pradesh	2011-2012
2. KV No. IV Korba Distt. Chhattisgarh	2011-2012
3. Rajnandgaon, Distt. Rajnandgaon, Chhattisgarh	2011-2012
4. Chaurai, Distt. Chhindwara, Madhya Pradesh	2012-2013

(c)No, Madam.

(d)Does not arise.

(e) The norms for provision of all physical infrastructure and other facilities in Kendriya Vidyalayas are uniform for all Kendriya Vidyalayas across the country and upgradation of these is a continuous process.