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Title : Need to open a Kendriya Vidyalaya in Tirunelveli district, Tamil Nadu and fill up vacant posts in Kendriya Vidyalayas in the country.

SHRI S.S. RAMASUBBU (TIRUNELVELI): In my Tirunelveli District, Tamil Nadu, Central Government Offices Viz., EPF, Income Tax, Central Excise, Highways are located and the services of many of the employees are transferable in nature. Moreover, families of persons working in various defence establishments are residing here. They are facing a lot of difficulties without KV School for admission of their children.

Moreover, as on 1.7.2009, 4496 posts (both teaching and non-teaching in different categories in various Kendriya Vidyalayas are vacant. Though steps have been taken to fill up these vacancies through direct recruitment as well as promotion, the process is time-consuming. The students are facing lot of difficulties and the syllabus could not be covered within the time schedule. Hence, I urge upon the Union Government that recruitment process of teachers should be made continuously and the vacancies be filled as soon as they arise.

I, therefore, urge upon the Hon'ble Minister to set up a Kendriya Vidyalaya in Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu and fill up the backlog of vacant posts in Kendriya Vidyalaya without delay.