GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF EDUCATION DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY

RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1934 ANSWERED ON 20.12.2023

FUNCTIONAL KENDRIYA VIDAYALAS

1934 SHRI SUJEET KUMAR:

Will the Minister of *Education* be pleased to state:-

- (a) the number of Kendriya Vidayalas (KVs) established in the last five years in the country, State-wise/UTs-wise;
- (b) the total number of Kendriya Vidayalas functional in the country, State-wise/UTs-wise;
- (c) whether Government is planning to establish more KVs in the State of Odisha; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof, including the stipulated timeline?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION (SMT. ANNPURNA DEVI)

- (a) & (b) As per information received from Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS), 70 new Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) have been opened across the country during the last five years. State / UT-wise number of KVs opened during the last five years and total number of 1251 functional KVs (as on date) across the country are **Annexed**.
- (c) & (d) Opening of new KVs is a continuous process. KVs are opened primarily to cater to the educational needs of the wards of transferable Central Government Employees including Defence & Para-military personnel, Central Autonomous Bodies, Central Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) and Central Institute of Higher Learning (IHL) by providing a common programme of education throughout the country. Proposals for opening of new KVs may be sponsored by Ministries or Departments of the Government of India / State Governments / Union Territories (UTs) Administrations, with commitment to provide requisite resources including land and temporary accommodation for setting up a new KV as per norms. These proposals for establishment of new KVs are subject to approval of the competent authority as per extant procedures. At present, 66 KVs are functioning in the State of Odisha.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) & (b) OF THE RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1934 RAISED BY SHRI SUJEET KUMAR, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT ANSWERED ON 20/12/2023 REGARDING "FUNCTIONAL KENDRIYA VIDYALAYAS".

STATE / UT -WISE TOTAL NUMBER OF FUNCTIONAL KENDRIYA VIDYALAYAS (AS ON DATE) AND NUMBER OF KVs OPENED DURING THE LAST FIVE YEARS ACROSS THE COUNTRY

SI.	State/UTs	Number of KVs opened during	Total number of
No.		the last five years (i.e. from 2018-	
		19 to 2022-23) across the	across the country
1	Andaman 9 Nicobar	country	(as on date)
1.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	0	02
2.	Andhra Pradesh	02	35
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	03	20
4.	Assam	02	57
5.	Bihar	02	49
6.	Chandigarh	0	05
7.	Chhattisgarh	02	36
8.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0	
<u> </u>	and Daman & Diu	0	02
9.	Delhi	01	46
10.	Goa	0	05
11.	Gujarat	0	46
12.	Haryana	03	35
13.	Himachal Pradesh	01	26
14.	Jammu & Kashmir	01	35
15.	Jharkhand	04	41
16.	Karnataka	05	52
17.	Kerala	01	38
18.	Lakshadweep	0	01
19.	Ladakh	0	03
20.	Madhya Pradesh	08	112
21.	Maharashtra	02	59
22.	Manipur	01	09
23.	Meghalaya	0	07
24.	Mizoram	0	04
25.	Nagaland	0	06
26.	Odisha	06	66
27.	Puducherry	0	04
28.	Punjab	01	52
29.	Rajasthan	04	77
30.	Sikkim	0	02
31.	Tamilnadu	03	45
32.	Telangana	02	35
33.	Tripura	01	10
34.	Uttar Pradesh	11	122
35.	Uttarakhand	02	45
36.	West Bengal	02	62
	TOTAL	70	1251
