

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE  
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 846**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11<sup>th</sup> December, 2023  
**SAINIK SCHOOLS IN KARNATAKA**

846 SHRI NARAYANA KORAGAPPA:

Will the Minister of Defence be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Sainik Schools Society entered into agreement with two schools in Belagavi and Mysuru for converting them into Sainik Schools in Karnataka;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether above schools have totally converted into Sainik Schools; and
- (d) if not, by when the process would be completed and become fully Sainik Schools?

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MINISTER OF STATE  
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

(SHRI AJAY BHATT)

(a) to (d): Yes, Sir. Under the initiative of setting up of 100 new Sainik Schools in partnership mode, Sainik Schools Society has signed Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) with one school each in Belagavi and Mysuru districts of Karnataka, namely, Kranthi Veera Sangolli Rayanna Sainik School, Belagavi and Viveka School of Excellence, Mysuru. Academic Session under the Sainik School vertical has already commenced in both of these schools with effect from 2022-23.

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