

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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**RAJYA SABHA
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Navodaya Vidyalayas in Hyderabad

2892 Shri Anil Kumar Yadav Mandadi:

Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

- a) whether Government has received any proposal from the State Government of Telangana to setup Navodaya Vidyalayas in Hyderabad;
- b) if so, the details thereof;
- c) whether Government has taken any step to set up Navodaya Vidyalayas in Hyderabad pursuant to the request received from the State Government?;
- d) if so, the details thereof; and
- e) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)**

(a) to (e): Opening of new Navodaya Vidyalayas (NVs) is a continuous process. Opening of new NV depends on the willingness of the concerned State Government/UT administration to make available requisite suitable land, free of cost, for construction of the permanent building and making available required temporary building, free of rent, to run the Vidyalaya till the permanent building is constructed. Sanction and opening of new NVs depend on approval by the competent authority.

The Navodaya Vidyalaya Scheme envisages opening of one NV in each rural district of the country to provide good quality modern education including a strong component of culture, inculcation of values, awareness of the environment, adventure activities and physical education to the talented children predominantly from the rural areas without regard to their family's socio-economic condition. There is no provision for NVs in districts with 100% urban population. As per the census 2011, the Hyderabad district of Telangana is having 100% urban population.
