

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY**

LOK SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3589
TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.7.2019**

KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA IN ODISHA

3589. SHRI MAHESH SAHOO:

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

- (a) whether the Government is planning to open Kendriya Vidyalayas at Talcher in Odisha; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI RAMESH POKHRIYAL 'NISHANK')**

(a) & (b): Opening of Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) is a continuous process. Proposals for opening of new KVs are considered only if sponsored by Ministries or Departments of the Government of India / State Governments / Union Territories Administrations thereby committing resources for setting up a new KV as well as the availability of necessary sanction of the Government. The proposals received from various sponsoring authorities for opening of new KVs also have to compete among other proposals under the "Challenge Method".

Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has informed that the proposal for opening of a new KV at Talcher, District Angul, Odisha was received from the Principal Secretary to the Government of Odisha in July, 2018 and the discrepancies noticed during the scrutiny were communicated to the State/District Administration in November, 2018. The proposal can be processed further only after removal of the discrepancies by the sponsoring authorities.
