

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

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2354**  
ANSWERED ON 18.12.2023

**Opening of New CBSE Regional Offices in Foreign Countries**

2354. DR. M.P. ABDUSSAMAD SAMADANI:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has addressed the long standing demand for overseas CBSE schools and the opening of new CBSE Regional Offices in foreign countries, including GCC countries, for the education needs of the Indian expatriate community;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Indian Embassies and Consulates have any plan to formulate educational projects to start new institutions to meet the school education requirements of the expatriates; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) to (d): Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) has decided to open a regional office in Dubai. A committee has been appointed by the Board to work out the modalities for setting up of an offshore regional office aimed at strengthening services provided to the schools in overseas countries, specially GCC countries.

Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS) is running three (3) schools one each in Moscow, Terhan and Kathmandu. CBSE has affiliated two hundred fifty six (256) schools in twenty five (25) different countries including above three Kendriya Vidyalayas.

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