

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

LOK SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1344
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.11.2019**

KHADI UNIFORM FOR KENDRIYA VIDYALAYAS

†1344. SHRI KHAGEN MURMU:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to introduce Khadi dress code for the students of all the Kendriya Vidyalayas of the country to promote Khadi and Village Industry;
- (b) if so, the quantum of beneficial impacts likely to have on Khadi and Village Industry and the impact likely to have on students' approach towards Khadi; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c) There is no proposal under consideration at present to introduce Khadi dress code for the students of all the Kendriya Vidyalayas of the country. The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) has recently issued a circular proposing that affiliated schools across the country may observe 'Khadi Wearing Day', on a voluntary basis, once in a week/fortnight/month.
