

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

LOK SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1316
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.02.2020**

KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA IN CHHATTISGARH

†1316. SHRI CHUNNI LAL SAHU:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to open Kendriya Vidyalayas in various States/UTs of the country;
- (b) if so, the number of Kendriya Vidyalayas opened in various States/UTs of the country during the last three years and the current year;
- (c) whether any proposal has been received from Chhattisgarh State Government regarding opening of Kendriya Vidyalaya in Bendranawagarh under Devbhog block;
- (d) if so, the details of action taken/proposed to be taken in this regard; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

- (a) 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".
- (b) During last three years i.e. 2016-17, 2017- 2018, 2018-19 and current year 104 Kendriya Vidyalayas have been opened in the country.
- (c) Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has informed that no proposal has been received from the State Government of Chhattisgarh for opening of a new KV at Bendranawagarh under Devbhog block.
- (d) & (e) Do not arise.
