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

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1138 TO BE ANSWERED ON 26.07.2021

Pending Proposals for Setting Up Kendriya Vidyalayas

1138. SHRI M. BADRUDDIN AJMAL:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether various States including Assam sent requests for setting up Kendriya
 Vidyalayas (KV) in their respective States which are pending with this
 Government for several months;
- (b) if so, the name of all such States along with reason for not fulfilling or deferring the demands so far; and
- (c) the criteria laid down by the Government for setting of new KVs?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF EDUCATION (SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) & (b) Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has received 43 proposals for opening new Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) from various State Governments / UT Administrations / Central Government Departments which have been found fulfilling the mandatory requisites and have now to compete with such other feasible proposals under "Challenge Method". State/UT-wise list of 43 proposals is annexed.

(c) Opening of new KVs is a continuous process. KVs are opened primarily to cater to the educational needs of the wards of transferable Central Government Employees including Defence & Para-Military personnel, Central Autonomous Bodies, Central Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) and Central Institute of Higher Learning (IHL) by providing a common programme of education. Proposals for opening of new KVs are considered only if sponsored by Ministries or Departments of the Government of India / State Governments / Union Territories (UTs) Administrations and committing resources for setting up a new KV. The proposals received from various sponsoring authorities found fulfilling the mandatory prerequisite for opening of new KVs have to compete with other such proposals under the "Challenge Method" and subject to approval of the competent authority.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1138 FOR 26th JULY, 2021 RAISED BY SHRI M. BADRUDDIN AJMAL, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING PENDING PROPOSALS FOR SETTING UP KENDRIYA VIDYALAYAS

S. No.	STATE/UTs	Number of proposals received by KVS
1.	Andhra Pradesh	1
2.	Chhattisgarh	4
3.	Gujarat	1
4.	Himachal Pradesh	3
5.	Jammu & Kashmir	10
6.	Jharkhand	1
7.	Karnataka	1
8.	Kerala	1
9.	Madhya Pradesh	6
10.	Maharashtra	1
11.	Odisha	1
12.	Rajasthan	5
13.	Tamil Nadu	2
14.	Tripura	2
15.	Uttar Pradesh	1
16.	Uttrakhand	3
TOTAL		43

LIST OF 43 PROPOSALS RECEIVED BY KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA SANGATHAN
