## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION AND LITERACY

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1293 TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.12.2015

## Kendriya Vidyalayas in Uttar Pradesh

1293. SHRI RAJESH KUMAR DIWAKER, SHRI BHANU PRATAP SINGH VERMA, SHRI BHAIRON PRASAD MISHRA

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes a roadmap for improving the performance and educational standards of Government schools in Uttar Pradesh and rest of the country within a time-frame and if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (b) whether the Government has any plan to open new Kendriya Vidyalayas in various areas of Uttar Pradesh like Hathras, Jalaun and Banda and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which the said proposals are likely to be implemented?

## MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

- The improvement of performance and educational standards of Government schools is a continuous process undertaken both at the level of Central as well as State Governments/UT administrations. In this regard, the Ministry of Human Resource Development is implementing the centrally sponsored schemes of Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) and Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) for improving the performance and educational standards of government schools in all States and UTs including Uttar Pradesh. The overall goals of SSA include universal access and retention at the elementary level bridging of gender and social category gaps in education and enhancement of learning levels of children. The objective of RMSA is to enhance access and to improve quality of education at secondary stage by making all secondary schools conform to prescribed norms through provision of enabling infrastructure, availability and training of teachers, school leadership programme, ICT interventions etc.
- (b) & (c) Opening of Kendriya Vidyalaya(KV) depends on the feasibility of proposals received from the sponsoring agencies and is subject to availability of resources and sanction of competent authority. One Kendriya Vidyalaya is already functioning in Hathras. There is no proposal at present to open new KVS in Jalaun and Banda.