

proved by the Government during the past three years.

(c) Does not arise.

[English]

Kendriya Vidyalayas

6994. PROF. UMMAREDDY VENKATESWARLU: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have set up some Kendriya Vidyalayas abroad;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the teachers are being deputed from India to work in these Vidyalayas;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether some posts of teachers are lying vacant in these schools; and

(f) if so, the reasons therefor and the steps taken to fill up those vacancies ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA): (a) and (b). There are 3 Kendriya Vidyalayas set-up abroad; one each in Moscow, Kathmandu and Kabul. The Vidyalaya in Kabul is not functioning due to disturbed conditions prevailing there.

(c) and (d). Yes, Sir. Teachers are selected for these Vidyalayas from the volunteers among the serving teachers of the Sangathan.

(e) and (f). The posts of PGT(Eco.) and PGT(History) are vacant at Moscow. Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has already selected PGT(Eco.) and the posting orders have been issued. The interview for the post of PGT(History) was held on 2nd May, 1994 and a candidate selected. The post of PGT(History) is vacant as the candidate selected earlier did not join. The PGT(Eco.) is vacant due to repatriation of the incumbent.

[Translation]

Marketing Centres for Foodgrains

6995. PROF. PREM DHUMAL: Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state:

(a) the number of marketing centres proposed to be set up by the Food Corporation of India for procurement of wheat during 1994-95; and

(b) the names of the States where these centres are likely to be set up in the near future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD (SHRI KALP NATH RAI): (a) and (b). A statement showing number of purchase centres being operated by Food Corporation of India and State Procuring agencies for Procurement of wheat during the current Rabi Marketing season 1994-95 is attached