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किया है कि मध्य प्रदेश के निम्नलिखित जिलों में केन्द्रीय विद्यालय खोलने के प्रस्ताव प्राप्त हुये है:---

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केन्द्रीय विद्यालय खोलने का कार्य प्रकार के विद्यालय खोलने के लिय निर्धारित मानदंडों को पूरा करने ग्रौर मुलभूत सुविधाय्रों ग्रौर वित्तीय संसाधनो कों उपलब्धता पर निर्भर करता है।

Knowledge of Hindi for Getting Jobs IN KVS R : 7

1771. SHRI S. VIDUTHALAI RUMBI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is fact that knowledge of Hindi is a must to get a job in the Kendriya Vidyalayas;
- (b) if so, whether it is not against the solemn assurance given by Pandit Jawahar Lal Nehru to the non-Hindi speaking people; and
- (c) what action is being taken or proposed to be taken to rectify injustice done to the non-Hindi speaking people?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT, OF EDUCA-TION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE)

(KM. SELJA): (a) to (c) The Kendriya Vidyalaya Scheme has been established primarily to cater to the educational needs of school going children of transferable employees of the Govt, of India. The Sangathan has adopted both Hindi and English as mediums of instruction since its Vidyalayas are located in both Hindi and non-Hindi speaking areas. Besides, since the parents of the children as well as the teachers are liable to be transferred from one linguistic region to another, the Sangathan has prescribed competence to teach through both Hindi and English medium as essential desirable qualifications, besides the academies/professional qualifications relevant for the various teaching posts.

to Questions.

Expenditure on Education

1772. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOUR-CE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that investment in education is still below the norm of 6 percent as stated in the "National Policy on Education";
- (b) whether Government have decided to seek participation of the industry and individuals in the promotion of higher professional education; and
- (c) if so, what steps in this regard which have been taken so far by Government during 1995-96 and budgetary allocations new schemes envisaged?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT) OF EDUCA-TION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUM. SELJA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Government policy in regard to involvement of private sector is enunciated in the National Policy on Education, 1986 as updated in 1992. Inter alia, the Policy envisages that the nation as a whole will assume the responsibility of providing resource support for implement-