

Collection of Money for Computer Education in Kendrya Vidyalayas

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

(a) whether it is fact that money had been collected in some Kendriya Vidyalayas of Delhi from the students in the name of providing Computer Education ;

(b) if so, what are the details of the collection made Vidyalaya and session-wise ;

(c) whether proper accounting of collection and refunds had been arranged ; if so, the details thereof ;

(d) what are the reasons of not introducing the computer education for which the collections were made ; and

(e) the details of undisbursed money and the Authority/Officer at whose instance the said course was decided upon and the money was collected and refunded ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA) : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. According to information furnished by Kendriya Vidyalaya Sanghathan, some computer firms offered proposals for teaching computer education to those students who volunteer to pay some fees for the purpose, in the premises of the Vidyalayas after class hours. The amount was collected from students who volunteered, by the following schools in Delhi :

Name of K.V.	Amount collected
	Rs.
1. Shalimarbagh . . .	3,16,483.00
2. R.K. Puram, Sec. VIII . . .	2,25,148.00
3. R.K. Puram, Sec. II . . .	1,32,555.00
4. R.K. Puram, Sec. IV . . .	53,427.00
5. No. 2, Delhi Cantt. . .	1,00,713.00
6. Tagore Garden . . .	4,10,745.00
7. Janakpuri . . .	2,00,000.00
8. Andrewganj . . .	2,53,034.00
9. Gole Market . . .	1,50,000.00
10. INA Colony . . .	1,57,926.00

(c) to (e) Since such proposals by computer firms were not found feasible by the KVS, orders for refund, of the amounts collected, to the students have been issued in June, 1992. The Principals of the school concerned are responsible for the proper accounting arrangements of the refund. The CLASS (Computer Literacy Awareness Scheme for Schools) has already been introduced in over 300 Kendriya Vidyalayas so far.

Chargesheeting of Office-Bearers of JAC of KVS

3467. DR. NAUNIHAL SINGH : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that some office-bearers of Joint Action Committee of KVS Association of employees have recently been charge-sheeted by the Sangathan for criticism ;