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Emergency Power of Chairman and Board of Governors of KVS

2880. SHRI RAJU PARMAR: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Chairman of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan and its Board of Governors have been empowered by the Board to take instant decisions about KVS matters in emergent conditions and to get them *ex-post-facto* ratified in the next meetings; and

(b) if so, the details of emergent conditions when the present Chairman used this power, till date, along with justification in each case?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) Besides exercising specific delegated powers, the Chairman, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has been authorised to exercise any other power of the Board of Governors in emergent cases for the smooth running of the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan.

(b) Present Chairman has exercised this power in instances such as implementation of pay scales as recommended by 5th Pay Commission, revival of special dispensation in KVS, grant of three tier pay scales to Yoga Teachers, revision of Allotment of Residences Rules, constitution of executive committees at Vidyalaya level and these decisions have been ratified by the Board of Governors.

Directive for Quota of MPs for Enrolling Students in Kendriya Vidyalayas

† 2881. PROF. RAM GOPAL YADAV: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have made a provision of enrolment of two

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