Setting up of Kendriya Vidyalayas in Tamil Nadu

3959. SHRI B. S. GNANADESIKAN: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has any proposal to set up Kendriya Vidyalayas in Tamil Nadu;
 - (b) if so, the number of schools proposed by Government in Tamil Nadu;
- (c) whether Government will also come forward to establish Kendriya Vidyalayas in all district headquarters;
 - (d) if so, the details thereof; and
 - (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a) to (e) Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) are opened primarily to cater to the educational needs of the wards of transferable Central Government Employees including Defence personnel on receipt of the viable proposals from various Ministries of Government of India and State Governments/Union Territories thereby committing the availability of requisite resources for setting up a new KV, availability of adequate funds and sanction of competent authority and not State-wise/district-wise. 07 proposals for opening of new KVs in the State of Tamil Nadu have been received out of which one at Golden Rock, Southern Railway, Tiruchirapally is found to be feasible.

Uniform education policy

3960. SHRI BHARATSINH PRABHATSINH PARMAR: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the action taken by the Ministry in coordination with State Governments to introduce uniform education syllabus throughout the country as it can strengthen our national unity and avoid syllabus controversy;
- (b) whether Government has constituted any high power committee in this regard;
 - (c) if so, the current status in this regard;
 - (d) by when Government would implement the single education policy; and