GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF EDUCATION DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION AND LITERACY

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1774

ANSWERED ON 11/12/2024

Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya

1774 # Shri Subhash Barala:

Will the Minister of *Education* be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas are being established by Government in every district of the States across the country including Haryana, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether Government propose to establish Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya in Fatehabad district of Haryana, if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether Government has to fulfill certain conditions for setting up a Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION (SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (c) The Navodaya Vidyalaya Scheme envisages opening of one Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya (JNV) in each district of the country. With sanctioning of 62 new JNVs in November 2016, all 638 districts (as on 31st May, 2014) of the States/UTs (including Haryana) which have accepted the scheme, other than 6 districts with 100% urban population, have been covered under this scheme. One JNV in Fatehabad district of Haryana is functioning since the year 2006-07 upto class XII.

Opening of new JNVs is a continuous process which depends on the willingness of the concerned State Government/UT administration to make available requisite suitable land, free of cost, for construction of the permanent building and making available required temporary building, free of rent, to run the Vidyalaya till the permanent building is constructed. Sanction and opening of new JNVs depend on approval by the competent authority as per extant procedures.
