F. No. 1-9/2011 – EE 4
Government of India
Ministry of Human Resource Development
Department of School Education and Literacy

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
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Subject: Implementation of section 12(1)(c) of the Right of children to Free and Compulsory Education (RTE) Act, 2009 by schools under the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS)—reg.

The undersigned is directed to refer to communication vide F. No. 11011-01/2010-KVSHQ/RTE (Acad) dated 14.01.2011 and further letter dated 24.01.2011 of the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS) on the above subject and to state as under:

2. In accordance with the provisions contained in proviso to sub-rule (3) of Rule 11 of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Rules, 2010, notified by the Central Government on 8th April, 2010, read with sub-clause (i) of clause (a) of section 2 of the RTE Act, the Central Government hereby grants permission to the KVS to define ‘neighbourhood’ for implementing the provisions of clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 12 of the RTE Act as under:

(i) For Kendriya Vidyalaya schools in metropolitan towns and district headquarters: 5 km radius;
(ii) For all other Kendriya Vidyalaya schools: 8 km radius.

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