

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1615
TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.03.2022**

Vacant teaching posts in IITs and IIMs

1615. SHRI SANJAY RAUT:

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

- a) whether it is a fact that over 40 per cent of teaching posts in all 23 Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) are vacant;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and Government's response thereto;
- (c) whether it is also a fact that the quality of education is deteriorating in these institutions due to lack of professors;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the details of steps taken or proposed to be taken by Government to fill the vacant posts with qualified/best faculty in IITs and IIMs?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

(DR. SUBHAS SARKAR)

(a) & (b): The details of faculty in position and vacant faculty posts in IITs are at **Annexure.**

(c) to (e): IITs are autonomous institutes governed by the Institutes of Technology Act, 1961 and the Statutes framed there under from time to time. Filling up of vacancies is a continuous process and IITs issue rolling Advertisements, which are open throughout the year for all candidates, who fulfill the required qualifications and experience for faculty positions in IITs. Further, Government has implemented 10% reservation for admission of students under EWS category without any reduction in the number of seats available to GEN/ SC/ST/OBC categories by increasing the student strength by 25%. Accordingly, requirement of faculty has increased in IITs. The faculty recruitment takes time since it involves a number of stages in the process. Ministry of Education has requested all IITs to fill up the vacancies in faculty cadre through Special Recruitment Drive in Mission Mode. Further, IIMs also follow rolling advertisement system for applications for the faculty positions and have also been asked to fill vacancies in a Mission Mode.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN PART (A) AND (B) OF THE REPLY TO THE RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1615 TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.03.2022 ASKED BY SHRI SANJAY RAUT, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, REGARDING 'VACANT TEACHING POSTS IN IITs AND IIMs.

Sl. No.	Name of IIT	Total Faculty in position*	Total Vacant Faculty post
1	IIT Bombay	693	532
2	IIT Delhi	703	73
3	IIT Guwahati	433	296
4	IIT Kanpur	484	351
5	IIT Kharagpur	711	815
6	IIT Madras	604	396
7	IIT Roorkee	504	296
8	IIT(BHU) Varanasi	319	289
9	IIT Bhubaneswar	125	115
10	IIT Gandhinagar	115	45
11	IIT Hyderabad	258	132
12	IIT Indore	169	81
13	IIT Jodhpur	191	65
14	IIT Mandi	128	73
15	IIT Patna	122	100
16	IIT Ropar	161	69
17	IIT Tirupati	102	18
18	IIT Palakkad	96	24
19	IIT Jammu	89	31
20	IIT Bhilai	63	43
21	IIT Goa	53	40
22	IIT Dharwad	54	39
23	IIT(ISM) Dhanbad	334	447

*excluding adjunct and visiting faculty