

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
(DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL & TRAINING)

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1887
(TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.03.2023)

BACKLOG VACANCIES FOR OBCs

1887 DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS:

Will the **PRIME MINISTER** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has the details of total number and percentage of backlog vacancies belonging to OBCs that are yet to be appointed in all Central Government offices and PSUs;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether Government will take necessary steps to resolve the above issue; and
- (d) if so, the details of the steps taken therefor?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE
(DR. JITENDRA SINGH)**

(a) to (d): Filling of vacancies, including backlog reserved vacancies is a continuous process. Instructions have been issued to all Ministries/Departments of the Central Government to constitute an In-House Committee for identification of backlog reserved vacancies, to study the root cause of such vacancies, to initiate measures to remove the factors causing such vacancies and to fill them up through Special Recruitment Drives. Instructions have also been issued to the Ministries/Departments of the Central Government to designate an officer of the rank of Deputy Secretary and above, as Liaison Officer, to ensure due compliance of the orders and instructions pertaining to reservation and set up a Special Reservation Cell under the direct control of Liaison Officer to assist her/him in discharge of duties. Implementation of these instructions by Ministries/Departments is followed up from time to time and handholding workshops are also organized regularly.
