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Vacant posts in NCERT

3241 **Shri Neeraj Shekhar:**

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

- (a) the details of sanctioned, in-position and vacant posts in NCERT as on date in Group A, B and C, group-wise;
- (b) whether there are around 66 per cent, 55 per cent and 94 per cent vacancies in Group A, B and C respectively in NCERT;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, group-wise; and
- (d) the reasons for the same?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(SMT.ANNPURNA DEVI)

(a) to (d): The details of sanctioned, in-position and vacant posts of Non-Academic and Academic staff in National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) including its constituent units, as on March 2023 are as follows:

Non-Academic

Group of Posts	Sanctioned	In Position	Vacant
Group A	114	45	69
Group B	434	206	228
Group C	1478	385	1093
Total	2026	636	1390

Academic

Group/Cadre	Sanctioned Strength	In-Position	Vacant
Academic/ Group-A	529	230	299
Teaching/ Group-A	08	05	03
Teaching/ Group-B	262	162	100
Total	799	397	402

Occurring of vacancies and filling up thereof is a continuous process. Vacancies over the years have arisen on account of superannuation/retirement /Voluntary Retirement Scheme (VRS)/resignations/migrations/deaths of incumbent staff etc. At present, recruitment for filling up these posts has been undertaken in a mission mode.
