

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

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3971**  
(TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.04.2023)

**JOBS PROVIDED BY THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT**

**3971 # SHRI SANDEEP KUMAR PATHAK:**

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

- (a) the number of jobs provided by the Central Government during the last five years, year-wise;
- (b) the number of applications received against these job opportunities during the last five years along with the amount of fee collected by Government, year-wise;
- (c) whether it is a fact that approximately 9.8 lakh posts are lying vacant at present in various departments of the Central Government, if so, whether Government has set any time limit to fill them; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof, and if not, the reasons 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): Vacancies are notified and applications are received based on the requirements given by the user Ministries/ Departments. Filling up of vacancies in Central Government is a continuous process. All Ministries/ Departments of the Central Government have been asked to take action in a mission mode for filling up of vacant posts in a time bound manner. Fee is charged by concerned recruiting agency from the candidates, as per its policy and credited to the Consolidated Fund of India for which audit is done by Comptroller and Auditor General (C&AG).

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