

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS  
DEPARTMENT OF POSTS**

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1935  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 8<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2024**

**POSTS UNDER THE MINISTRY**

**1935 SHRI A. A. RAHIM:**

Will the Minister of Communications be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of permanent posts and temporary posts under the Ministry, including Institutions, Agencies, and Autonomous Bodies in 2014;
- (b) the number of permanent posts and temporary posts under the Ministry, including Institutions, Agencies, and Autonomous Bodies in 2024;
- (c) the number of officials who have been re-employed after retirement from service in the last five years; and
- (d) the number of posts which are lying vacant under the Ministry, including Institutions, Agencies, and Autonomous Bodies?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
(DR. PEMMASANI CHANDRA SEKHAR)**

- (a) There were 6,93,330 permanent and 2,271 temporary posts in 2014 under the Ministry.
- (b) There are 3,32,735 permanent and 846 temporary posts in 2024 under the Ministry.
- (c) No official has been re-employed after retirement from service in the last five years in the Ministry.
- (d) At present, around 77,253 posts are vacant under the Ministry.

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