

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

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 431
(TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.07.2024)

NATIONAL RECRUITMENT AGENCY

431 SHRI MOHAMMED NADIMUL HAQUE:

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

- (a) the details of funds allocated and utilized by the National Recruitment Agency (NRA) since 2020, year-wise;
- (b) whether NRA has conducted any recruitment tests since its inception, if so, the details thereof;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) the State-wise details of regional offices set up by NRA; and
- (e) the number of meetings held by NRA's governing body since its inception?

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): Details of funds allocated to NRA from 2021-22 to 2023-24 (Rs. Crores)

Year	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Allocation	129.61	0.1	10.10
Release	58.32	00	00
Expenditure	13.80	12.27	12.68

(b) & (c): NRA is conducting a detailed study of the prevalent recruitment systems in Central and State Governments and the procedure followed by various Public Examination Authorities (PEAs) for conduct of examination and also examining the issues which are likely to arise in the new examination system and address them ab initio so as to conduct a free and fair examination. NRA is also in the process of developing protocols and policy frameworks to address various issues associated with conduct of new examination system as well as evolving effective means for ensuring compliance of Normative Standards and Guidelines by all concerned.

(d): NRA functions from its Headquarter at New Delhi.

(e): 4 Governing Body meetings have been held since inception of NRA.
