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

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 438 (TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.07.2024)

VACANT POSTS IN VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS AND MINISTRIES

438 SHRI MALLIKARJUN KHARGE:

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

- (a) the details of the total number of vacancies in the Central Government, department-wise;
- (b) the details of the total number of vacancies in the Central Government, category-wise, including SC, ST, OBC, and EWS; and
- (c) the details of the total number of vacancies in the Central Government, group-wise?

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 (c): In the matter of appointment, by direct recruitment to civil posts and civil services under the Central Government, on all India basis by open competition, reservation is provided to SCs, STs and OBCs @15%, 7.5% and 27% respectively. In the matter of promotions in the Central Government, reservation is provided up to the lowest rung of Group 'A' @ 15% and 7.5% to SCs and STs respectively. The persons belonging to EWSs who are not covered under the scheme of reservation for SCs, STs and OBCs are provided 10% reservation in direct recruitment in civil posts and services in the Government of India.

Occurrence and filling up of vacant posts, including reserved category vacancies, in various Ministries/Departments is a continuous process. The data regarding vacancies is maintained by respective Ministries/Departments. Ministries/ Departments of the Central Government have been directed, from time to time, to fill up vacant posts in a time bound manner.
