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

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1404
(ANSWERED ON 30.07.2026)

CANDIDATES APPEARING IN HINDI/REGIONAL LANGUAGES IN CSE

1404. SHRI SANJAY YADAV:

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

- (a) the year-wise number of candidates who appeared in and qualified the Civil Services Examination writing the Main Examination in Hindi and other languages listed in the Eighth Schedule, since 2021;
- (b) the year-wise number of candidates who wrote the Main Examination in Hindi and Maithili and were finally recommended for IAS, IPS and since then;
- (c) the number of candidates from Bihar recommended in CSE since then; and
- (d) the year-wise number and percentage of candidates who cleared the Preliminary Examination writing in Hindi and in other regional languages, since then?

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): A statement indicating the year-wise number of candidates who appeared in and qualified in the Civil Services Examination writing the Main Examination in Hindi and other languages listed in the Eighth Schedule since 2021 is attached as Annexure-I.
- (b): A year-wise list of candidates who wrote the Main Examination in Hindi and Maithili and were finally recommended for IAS and IPS since 2021 is attached as Annexure-II.
- (c): The number of candidates from Bihar recommended in CSE since 2021 is attached as Annexure-III.
- (d): The Test Booklet/Question Paper in respect of CSE-Preliminary examination is provided in bilingual (English & Hindi) medium only and the candidates are required to give their responses by darkening the relevant circles on their OMR Sheet in the Preliminary examination. Hence, the CSE-Preliminary examination is a medium neutral exam.

ANNEXURE-I

Details of candidates who appeared in and qualified in the CSE writing the Main Examination in Hindi and other languages listed in the Eighth Schedule, from 2021 to 2024.								
	2021		2022		2023		2024	
	Written Appeared	Recommended	Written Appeared	Recommended	Written Appeared	Recommended	Written Appeared	Recommended
TOTAL No.	538	26	587	71	599	57	1133	50

ANNEXURE-II

CSE Year	No. of candidates who wrote the Main examination in Hindi and Maithili and were finally recommended for IAS and IPS.
2021	10
2022	27
2023	14
2024	05

ANNEXURE-III

CSE Year	No. of Candidates recommended from Bihar
2021	54
2022	63
2023	82
2024	72
