

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 371**  
**ANSWERED ON- 22/07/2026**

**Staff hiring in NCMEI**

**371. Smt. Rajathi :**

Will the Minister of *Education* be pleased to state:

- (a) the reported vacancies, sanctioned positions and the actual staff strength of the National Commission for Minority Educational Institutions (NCMEI);
- (b) details of the recent recruitment initiatives taken by the Commission to address the shortfall in human resources; and
- (c) the timeline fixed by the Commission and the Department to fill these vacancies?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
(DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR)

(a) As per the Recruitment Rules, 2016 of the National Commission for Minority Educational Institutions (NCMEI), the Commission has a sanctioned strength of 32 posts. Of these, 21 posts are currently filled by officials/staff.

(b & c) The Ministry has requested the Department of Personnel and Training, on 11.04.2025, to fill the post of Secretary, NCMEI. Further, on 19.05.2026, the Ministry invited applications for the posts of Deputy Secretary and Under Secretary on a deputation basis and the last date for receipt of applications is 05.08.2026.

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