# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA <br> MINISTRY OF DEFENCE <br> DEFENCE RESEARCH \& DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATION <br> LOK SABHA <br> UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 379 <br> TO BE ANSWERED ON THE $3{ }^{\text {RD }}$ FEBRUARY, 2017 

## VACANT POSTS OF SCIENTISTS IN DRDO

379. DR. RAMESH POKHRIYAL "NISHANK":

Will the Minister of DEFENCE रक्षा मंत्री
be pleased to state:
(a) the number of posts of scientists lying vacant in Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) at present;
(b) whether the DRDO is coordinating with other educational institutes, universities research agencies in the country and abroad for filling up the said vacant posts; and
(c) if so, the details thereof and the other steps taken by the Government to fill up the said posts?

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MINISTER OF STATE
(DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE)
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
रक्षा राज्य मंत्री
(डा. सुभाष भामरे)
(a) There is no vacancy of scientists in DRDO as on date. However, DRDO regularly recruits scientists for the posts which fall vacant due to superannuation/voluntary retirement.
(b) \& (c): Yes, Madam. Regular recruitments through Advertisements, Campus Recruitments from Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs), Indian Institute of Sciences (IISc) \& National Institutes of Technology (NITs); and Lateral Entry, etc. are carried out as per the requirements to fill the existing vacancies.

