

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ENTERPRISES**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 502
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 19th December, 2017**

Vacant Posts of Directors in PSUs

502. SHRI HARINARAYAN RAJBHAR:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether more than one hundred posts of independent directors in the Public Sector Undertakings are lying vacant at present and these have not been filled up for very long time;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, PSU-wise and the date since when these posts have been lying vacant;
- (c) whether such vacancies are affecting the functioning of these PSUs;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the measures being taken by the Government to fill up these vacant posts?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
(SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)**

(a) and (b) : As per available information, there are 275 positions of non-official (Independent) Directors which are presently vacant on the Boards of various scheduled Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs). The CPSE-wise list of vacant positions of non-official Directors is annexed. The appointment of non-official Directors on the Boards of CPSEs is a continuous process as the non-official Directors are appointed on the Boards of CPSEs for a tenure of three years.

(c) and (d) : Besides non-official Directors, the Board of Directors of CPSEs comprises of functional and government nominee Directors. Day-to-day management of CPSEs is undertaken by full-time functional Directors of CPSEs.

(e) : The proposals for appointment of non-official Directors on the Boards of CPSEs are initiated by the concerned administrative Ministries. The concerned administrative Ministries are requested from time-to-time to furnish proposals for filling up vacant positions of non-official Directors on the Boards of CPSEs under their respective administrative jurisdiction.

**Annex referred to in reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 502 for answer on
19.12.2017 regarding Vacant Posts of Directors in PSUs**

**List of CPSEs having vacant posts of non-official Directors on their Board
(as per available information)**

S. No.	Name of CPSE	Number of vacant posts of non-official Directors
1	Air India Limited	3
2	Airports Authority of India Limited	2
3	Andrew Yule & Company Limited	3
4	Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India	3
5	Balmer Lawrie & Company Limited	5
6	BEML Limited	5
7	Bengal Chemicals & Pharmaceuticals Limited	1
8	Bharat Coking Coal Limited	1
9	Bharat Electronics Limited	2
10	Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited	2
11	Bharat Petro Resources Limited	2
12	Bharat Pumps & Compressors Limited	2
13	Bharat Wagon & Engineering Company Limited	1
14	BHEL Electrical Machines Limited	2
15	Bisra Stone Lime Company Limited	4
16	Brahmaputra Crackers & Polymer Limited	1
17	Brahmaputra Valley Fertilizer Corporation Limited	2
18	Braithwaite & Company Limited	1
19	Bridge & Roof Company(India) Limited	2
20	Broadcast Engineering Consultants India Limited	2
21	Burn Standard Company Limited	2
22	Cement Corporation of India Limited	1
23	Central Coalfields Limited	3
24	Central Cottage Industries Corporation of India Limited	2
25	Central Electronics Limited	2
26	Central Mine Planning & Design Institute Limited	3
27	Central Railside Warehousing Company Limited	3
28	Central Warehousing Corporation	3
29	Certification Engineers International Limited	2
30	Chennai Petroleum Corporation Limited	5
31	Container Corporation of India Limited	2
32	Dedicated Fright Corridor Corp. of India Limited	2
33	Dredging Corporation of India Limited	3
34	Eastern Coalfields Limited	4
35	EdCIL (India) Limited	2
36	Electronics Corporation of India Limited	4
37	Engineering Projects (India) Limited	1
38	Ferro Scrap Nigam Limited	1
39	Fertilizers & Chemicals Travancore Limited	1
40	Food Corporation of India	3

41	GAIL (India) Limited	1
42	Garden Reach Shipbuilders & Engineers Limited	3
43	Goa Shipyard Limited	2
44	Hindustan Aeronautics Limited	2
45	Hindustan Antibiotics Limited	1
46	Hindustan Copper Limited	3
47	Hindustan Fluorocarbons Limited	3
48	Hindustan Newsprint Limited	3
49	Hindustan Organic Chemicals Limited	3
50	Hindustan Paper Corporation Limited	3
51	Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited	1
52	Hindustan Photo Films Manufacturing Company Limited	1
53	Hindustan Prefab Limited	1
54	Hindustan Salts Limited	1
55	Hindustan Shipyard Limited	2
56	HLL Lifecare Limited	2
57	HMT (International) Limited	3
58	HMT Limited	4
59	HMT Machine Tools Limited	1
60	Hotel Corporation of India Limited	2
61	HSCC (India) Limited	3
62	India Tourism Development Corporation Limited	3
63	India Trade Promotion Organisation	2
64	Indian Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Limited	1
65	Indian Medicines & Pharmaceutical Corporation Limited	3
66	Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corp. Limited	1
67	Indian Railway Finance Corporation Limited	2
68	Indian Rare Earths Limited	3
69	Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency Limited	3
70	IRCON International Limited	1
71	ITI Limited	5
72	Jute Corporation of India Limited	2
73	Kamrajar Port Limited	2
74	Karnataka Antibiotics & Pharmaceuticals Limited	2
75	KIOCL Limited	4
76	Konkan Railway Corporation Limited	3
77	Mahanadi Coalfields Limited	1
78	Mangalore Ref. & Petrochemicals Limited	1
79	Manganese Ore (India) Limited	3
80	Mazagon Dock Limited	1
81	MECON Limited	2
82	Mineral Exploration Corporation Limited	1
83	MMTC Limited	3
84	MSTC Limited	3
85	Mumbai Railway Vikas Corporation Limited	1
86	Nagaland Pulp & Paper Company Limited	2
87	National Fertilizers Limited	2

88	National Film Development Corporation Limited	2
89	National Handicapped Finance & Development Corporation	1
90	National Handloom Development Corporation Limited	1
91	National Jute Manufactures Corporation Limited	1
92	National Minorities Development & Finance Corporation	2
93	National Projects Construction Corporation Limited	1
94	National Research Development Corporation	1
95	National Safai Karamcharis Finance & Development Corporation	1
96	National Scheduled Castes Finance & Development Corporation	2
97	National Scheduled Tribes Finance and Development Corporation	3
98	National Seeds Corporation	1
99	National Textile Corporation Limited	1
100	NEPA Limited	2
101	Neyveli Lignite Corporation Limited	3
102	North Eastern Electric Power Corporation Limited	1
103	Northern Coalfields Limited	2
104	NTPC Limited	1
105	Numaligarh Refinery Limited	2
106	Oil India Limited	3
107	ONGC Videsh Limited	1
108	Orissa Drugs & Chemicals Limited	2
109	Orissa Minerals Development Company Limited	4
110	PEC Limited	2
111	Pawan Hans Helicopters Limited	1
112	Power Finance Corporation Limited	3
113	Power Grid Corporation of India Limited	3
114	Power System Operation Corporation Limited	2
115	Projects & Development India Limited	1
116	Rail Vikas Nigam Limited	3
117	Railtel Corporation of India Limited	2
118	Rajasthan Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Limited	2
119	Rajasthan Electronics and Instruments Limited	2
120	Rashtriya Chemicals and Fertilizers Limited	2
121	Richardson & Cruddas(1972) Limited	1
122	RITES Limited	2
123	Scooters India Limited	3
124	Shipping Corporation of India Limited	2
125	SJVN Limited	3
126	South Eastern Coalfields Limited	1
127	Steel Authority of India Limited	1
128	Telecommunications Consultants (India) Limited	2
129	WAPCOS Limited	1
130	Western Coalfields Limited	1
	TOTAL	275