

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 564**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 06TH FEBRUARY, 2018/ MEGHA 17, 1939 (SAKA)

VACANCIES IN NIDM

564. ADV. NARENDRA KESHAV SAWAIKAR:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a large number of vacancies are lying in the National Institute of Disaster Management (NIDM);

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to fill up the vacancies to ensure that the vacancies do not adversely impact the functioning of NDMA and NIDM?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)**

(a) to (c) Presently against 57 sanctioned posts in NIDM, 41 posts are already filled. Details of sanctioned strength and vacancy position is at Annexure-I. National Institute of Disaster Management (Recruitment and Other Conditions of Service) Rules, 2014 was notified on 21.08.2014. Thereafter, existing employees of NIDM were deemed to have been appointed under these Rules, on 04.09.2017 after approval of the competent authority. Reservation Roster of NIDM is under scrutiny of the Reservation Cell of MHA. On verification NIDM will take further action to fill the vacant posts through Promotion/Direct Recruitment as per notified Rules.

Both NDMA and NIDM are discharging their role as envisaged under the Disaster Management Act. Some of important achievements of NDMA and NIDM in recent years are:

- (i) For the first time, NDMA in 2016 released the National Disaster Management Plan of the country. This Plan was widely praised in the 5th Session of Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction held in Cancun, Mexico in May 2017, for being the first Disaster Management Plan in the World aligned with the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk reduction (SFDRR).**
- (ii) NDMA has also organized the Asian Ministerial Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction (AMCDRR) during November, 2016. The event was a huge success where more than 50 countries participated**
- (iii) NDMA for the first time prepared the disaster management Plan for Museums in India.**
- (iv) NIDM organized the 2nd meeting of National Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction held in May 2017, where more than 1000 domestic participants from Government, Civil Society, Academia, etc. deliberated on different aspects of disaster management and valuable decisions were taken.**
- (v) During the years 2015-16, 2016-17 and 2017-18 (till 31.12.2017) NIDM conducted total 133 training programmes in which 4050 participants attended.**

**POST WISE SANCTIONED STRENGTH AND VACANCY POSITION OF THE
NIDM, DELHI AS ON 31/01/2018**

S.No.	Name of the Post	Sanctioned Strength	Number of the post presently filled in	Remarks
1.	Executive Director	1	1*	*AS (DM) is holding the additional charge.
2.	Joint Director	1	1	
3.	Professor	3	2	Vacant post to be filled up through promotion
4.	Associate Professor	4	2	Vacant post to be filled up through promotion
5.	Consultant	2	-	
6.	Assistant Professor	8	3	4 Vacant post to be filled up through promotion
7.	Administrative Officer	1	1*	*To be filled up through promotion. Presently one official from NDRF has been engaged against this vacancy on additional charge basis.
8.	Accounts Officer	1	1*	*To be filled up through promotion. Presently one official from NDRF has been engaged against this vacancy on additional charge basis.
9.	Computer Programmer	1	1	
10.	Librarian	1	1	
11.	Research Associate	4	4	
12.	PS/Personal Assistant/Stenographers	7	3	One post is to be filled through promotion
13.	Administrative Asst/Jr. Assistant	2	2	
14.	Jr. Engineer	1	1	
15.	Data Entry Operator/Computer	8	8	
16.	Videographer-cum-Technical Assistant	1	-	
17.	Driver	1	-	To be filled through outsourced basis
18.	Machine Operator	1	1	
19.	Messenger	8	8	
20.	Library Attendant	1	1	
	Total	57	41	