

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1907
TO BE ANSWERED ON 30.07.2018**

Vacancies under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan

†1907. SHRI SANJAY HARIBHAU JADHAV:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the present number of vacant posts of teachers under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) in the country, particularly in Maharashtra;
- (b) the steps taken/being taken to fill them up in a time bound manner;
- (c) whether there is any scheme to initiate a special recruitment drive to fill up the said posts;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)**

(a) to (e): A total number of 417057 out of 1933398 teachers posts sanctioned under the erstwhile Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) are vacant in the country as reported by all States and Union Territories. The State of Maharashtra has reported no vacant post out of 15387 sanctioned teacher posts under SSA in their Annual Work Plan & Budget(AWP&B) 2017-18.

The recruitment, service conditions and deployment of teachers come under the purview of the State/ Union Territory (UT) Government. Ministry of Human Resource Development has been requesting all the State/UT Governments including Government of Maharashtra for filling-up the vacant posts of teachers and their rational deployment, for which the Ministry has issued advisories to all States and UTs.
