

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LAW & JUSTICE  
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.†1564  
TO BE ANSWERED ON FRIDAY, THE 10<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2023**

**VACANT POSTS OF JUDGES IN DISTRICT COURTS IN UP**

**†1564. SHRI VIJAY KUMAR DUBEY:**

**Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of appointments made in the district courts in Uttar Pradesh (UP) during the last five years, district-wise;**
- (b) the details of posts of judges lying vacant in the said courts of UP at present, district-wise; and**
- (c) the time since when these posts are lying vacant?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF LAW AND JUSTICE**

**(SHRI KIREN RIJJU)**

**(a):** The information regarding details of appointments made in the District Courts of Uttar Pradesh of judicial officers, cadre-wise, in last five years, as provided by the High Court of Allahabad, is at *Annexure-I*.

**(b):** As per information provided by Allahabad High Court, the details of posts of judges lying vacant, district-wise, in the District Courts of Uttar Pradesh at present is at *Annexure-II*.

**(c):** As per information provided by Allahabad High Court, presently, there are 1124 Courts/Posts of Judicial Officers lying vacant in the District Courts of Uttar Pradesh. These Courts/Posts became vacant on different dates due to various reasons such as retirement, transfer, death etc. of the respective officer(s).

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**Annexure-I**

**Cadre-wise appointment made in the Uttar Pradesh Judicial Services in last five years.**

Appointments made in the year	Cadre				Total
	Higher Judicial Services		Civil Judge (Senior Division) (Promotion)	Civil Judge (Junior Division) (Direct Recruitment)	
	Direct Recruitment	Promotion			
2018	28	186	0	30	<b>244</b>
2019	70	289	175	580	<b>1114</b>
2020	45	67	37	47	<b>196</b>
2021	28	6	8	140	<b>182</b>
2022	0	1	4	0	<b>5</b>

**Annexure-II****District-wise detail consisting number of vacant Courts/Posts of Judicial Officers of Uttar Pradesh as on 06.02.2023**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of the District</b>	<b>No. of Vacant Courts/Posts</b>
1.	Agra	32
2.	Aligarh	17
3.	Allahabad	26
4.	Ambedkar Nagar	12
5.	Amethi	6
6.	Amroha	6
7.	Auraiya	8
8.	Azamgarh	26
9.	Baghpat	2
10.	Bahraich	18
11.	Ballia	17
12.	BalramPur	12
13.	Banda	12
14.	Barabanki	12
15.	Bareilly	18
16.	Basti	20
17.	Bhadohiat Gyanpur	13
18.	Bijnor	10
19.	Badaun	20
20.	Bulandshahr	18
21.	Chandouli	11
22.	Chitrakoot	8
23.	Deoria	20
24.	Etah	17
25.	Etawah	10
26.	Faizabad	17
27.	Farrukhabad	21
28.	Fatehpur	9
29.	Firozabad	11
30.	Gautam Buddha Nagar	53
31.	Ghaziabad	14
32.	Ghazipur	26
33.	Gonda	20
34.	Gorakhpur	19
35.	Hamirpur	14
36.	Hapur	8

37.	Hardoi	20
38.	Hathras	11
39.	Jalaun at orai	11
40.	Jaunpur	30
41.	Jhansi	12
42.	Kannauj	9
43.	Kanpur Nagar	18
44.	Kasganj	2
45.	Kaushambi	10
46.	Kushinagar at padrauna	20
47.	Lakhimpurkheri	17
48.	Lalitpur	7
49.	Lucknow	16
50.	Maharajganj	16
51.	Mahoba	5
52.	Mainpuri	13
53.	Mathura	13
54.	Mau	14
55.	Meerut	21
56.	Mirzapur	14
57.	Moradabad	12
58.	Muzaffarnagar	17
59.	Pilibhit	8
60.	Pratapgarh	17
61.	Raebareli	14
62.	Ramabai Nagar	18
63.	Rampur	12
64.	Saharanpur	14
65.	Sambhal	8
66.	Santkabir Nagar	9
67.	Shahjahanpur	13
68.	Shamli	7
69.	Shravasti at Bhinga	3
70.	Siddharthnagar	12
71.	Sitapur	21
72.	Sonbhadra	15
73.	Sultanpur	16
74.	Unnao	16
75.	Varanasi	30
76.	<b>Total</b>	<b>1124</b>