

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
(DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL & TRAINING)

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5469
(TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.04.2023)

CONTRACT LABOUR IN GOVERNMENT MINISTRIES/ DEPARTMENTS

5469. SHRI DHARMENDRA KASHYAP:

Will the **PRIME MINISTER** be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of contract labour employed by various Ministries and Departments under the Government;
- (b) the strength of contractual labour force during the last five years, year-wise;
- (c) whether any private companies are supplying contract labourers to Government sector;
- (d) if so, the details of the companies and the strength of contractual labour force provided by each of them; and
- (e) whether the Government is planning to provide ten lakh appointments in public sector, if so, the details thereof along with the number of permanent and contractual appointments?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES
AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE
(DR. JITENDRA SINGH)**

(a) to (d): The Government offices in order to deal with the administrative exigency of work, efficiency and economy of operations and unavoidable circumstances sometimes resort to outsourcing of services through contract.

Ministry of Labour & Employment maintains the consolidated records/data of contractual labourers/workers/employees, based on the licences and registration certificate issued under the Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition), Act, 1970 in the central sphere.

(e): Yes, Recruitment against vacant posts is a continuous process. Vacancies in various Central Government Ministries/ Departments and their Attached and Subordinate offices are caused due to retirement, resignation, death, promotion etc. of the employee. Rozgar Mela events are being held across the country and the new appointees are inducted into various Central Ministries/ Departments/ Central Public Sector Undertakings (CPSUs)/ Autonomous Bodies/ Public Sector Banks etc. The details of number of jobs provided are maintained by the respective Ministries/Departments/ Organisations.
