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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2130
(TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.08.2023)

VACANT HIGHER LEVEL POSTS RESERVED FOR SC/ST/OBC

†2130. SHRI MALOOK NAGAR:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of vacancies lying vacant at higher level posts reserved for SC, ST and Other Backward Classes in all the Union Government departments, department/group-wise along with the reasons therefor;
(b) the details of the steps taken by the Union Government to fill the above vacancies; and
(c) the details of the steps taken by the Union Government to fill the posts lying vacant in the Central Secretariat Service?

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 (c): Occurrence and filling of vacancies is a continuous process. Instructions have been issued to all Ministries/Departments of the Central Government to constitute an In-House Committee for identification of backlog reserved vacancies, to study the root cause of such vacancies, to initiate measures to remove the factors causing such vacancies and fill them up through Special Recruitment Drives. Instructions have also been issued to the Ministries/Departments of the Central Government to designate an officer of the rank of Deputy Secretary and above, as Liaison Officer, to ensure due compliance of the orders and instructions pertaining to reservation and to set up a Special Reservation Cell under the direct control of Liaison Officer to assist her/him in discharge of duties. Implementation of these instructions by Ministries/Departments is followed up from time to time and handholding workshops are also organized regularly.

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