GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2177

TO BE ANSWERED ON 10th DECEMBER, 2021

FILLING UP OF VACANT POSTS

2177. SHRI UPENDRA SINGH RAWAT:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Ministry has issued any directions to the concerned departments to fill up the vacant posts across the country, State/UT-wise including Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the number of posts which are lying vacant as on date, State/UTwise including Uttar Pradesh and Delhi;
- (c) whether there has been delay in filling up vacant posts for a long time and also there is delay in declaring the result of selected candidates;
- (d) if so, the remedial measures taken by the Government to fill up the said vacancies; and
- (e) the steps taken by the Ministry to increase employment opportunities during the last three years?

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(SHRI AJAY BHATT)

- (a) State/UT-wise vacancy position in not maintained in Ministry of Defence (MoD). Vacant posts of the Ministry and its concerned departments are filled up as per the prescribed procedure. Directions are issued from time to time based on policy guidelines formulated by MoD and DoP&T.
- (b) Not applicable in view of (a) above
- (c) Yes, Sir. To prepare a roadmap for adjustment of Group 'C' Defence civilian employees rendered surplus consequent to implementation of recommendations of Committee of Experts (CoE), MoD had constituted a Committee in January, 2018. As per the recommendations of the said Committee, all recruitment activities were held in abeyance.

- (d) A total of 10916 fresh Non Availability Certificates (NACs) have been issued as on 07.12.2021 to various line Directorates to initiate recruitment of civilians in Indian Army. Further, MoD has approved 2804 NACs to fill up civilian posts in IAF in August, 2020 which were earlier held up as per the above-mentioned Committee recommendations.
- (e) Vacancies are duly notified and selection process carried out. Vacancies are advertised in Employment News and a number of steps have been taken for publicity and advertisement of the employment opportunities in the Armed Forces through digital / print / social media.
