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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5576 (TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.04.2022)

VACANCIES ADVERTISED BY SSC AND UPSC

5576. DR. KALANIDHI VEERASWAMY:

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

- (a) the details of the number of vacancies advertised by the Staff Selection Commission (SSC) and Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) within the country during the last five years;
- (b) the details of the number of candidates recruited through these commissions within the country during the said period;
- (c) whether the vacancies advertised and candidates recruited by the SSC and UPSC are the lowest during this period and if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and
- (d) whether the Government is aware about the promise of ten million jobs and a roadmap to curb unemployment in the country, especially among the youth and if so, the manner by which the Government will fulfill this promise to the country?

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 as per the requirement of various Ministries /Departments /Organizations of Government. Government issues instructions to all Ministries /Departments from time to time for timely action to fill up the unfilled posts.

During the last five years, Staff Selection Commission (SSC) and Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) have advertised 1,85,734 and 27,764 posts and recruited 1,74,744 and 24,836 candidates respectively as per details in the **Annexure**, in keeping with the number of vacancies reported by various Ministries /Departments /Organizations for various years.

(d): Keeping in view the priority of the Government for employment generation along with improving employability, various schemes have been undertaken, which include Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP), Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS), Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), Garib Kalyan Rojgar Abhiyaan (GKRA), Aatmanirbhar Bharat Rojgar Yojana (ABRY), Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyay Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY) and Deen Dayal Antvoday Yojana-National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM) etc.

Annexure

The number of vacancies advertised during the last five years:

Year	SSC	UPSC	Total
2017-18	22086	5729	27815
2018-19	82905	5207	88112
2019-20	29596	5913	35509
2020-21	20980	4997	25977
2021-22	30167	5918	36085
Total	1,85,734	27,764	2,13,498

The number of candidates recommended for recruitment during the last five years:

Year	SSC	UPSC	Total
2017-18	45391	6294	51685
2018-19	16748	4399	21147
2019-20	14691	5230	19921
2020-21	68891	4214	73105
2021-22	29023	4699	33722
Total	1,74,744	24,836	1,99,580
