

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2302
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.08.2022**

Mission Mode Recruitment in IITs

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Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has taken note of the reports that many reserved vacancies are left unfilled in Mission Mode Recruitments in Indian Institute of Technology (IITs) and reserved vacancies unfilled in IIT, Madras was 26 out of 49 and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government has constituted a monitoring mechanism to ensure fair recruitment in IITs with proper representation of Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and Other Backward Classes;
- (c) whether the Government has furnished the total vacancies notified, category/institute-wise in IITs and the number of vacancies filled up, category/institute-wise and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government has constituted a panel to enquire non-filling of reserved vacancies and non-implementation of The Central Educational Institutions (Reservation in Teachers' Cadre) Act, 2019 and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the action taken or proposed to be taken by the Government to consult Ministry of Social Justice and IITs concerned to check violations in this regard?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(DR. SUBHAS SARKAR)**

(a) to (e): The Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) are autonomous institutes governed by the Institutes of Technology Act, 1961 and the Statutes framed thereunder from time to time. Filling up of vacancies is a continuous process and IITs issue rolling advertisements, which are open throughout the year for all candidates, who fulfill the required qualifications and experience for faculty positions in IITs. The faculty recruitment takes time since it involves a number of stages in the process. Ministry of Education has requested all IITs to fill up the vacancies in faculty cadre through Special Recruitment Drive in Mission Mode. With regard to IIT Madras, 49 faculty posts were advertised under Mission mode recruitment drive, against which 29 offers were made. In order to ensure monitoring of the recruitments, a cell has been created in the Ministry. The IITs have also been requested to regularly update details of recruitment on an online portal created by All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) for monitoring of recruitment of faculties.
