

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3282
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05th August, 2022

SERVICEMEN IN ARMED FORCES FROM ANDHRA PRADESH

3282. SHRI RAM MOHAN NAIDU KINJARAPU:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of servicemen employed in the armed forces from Andhra Pradesh along with the candidates recruited from Andhra Pradesh since 2000, year-wise and district-wise including Srikakulam;
- (b) the total number of applications to join the armed forces received from Andhra Pradesh along with the recruitment rallies held in Andhra Pradesh since 2014, year-wise and district-wise including Srikakulam;
- (c) the total number of servicemen belonging to Andhra Pradesh who are martyred since 1990, particularly from Srikakulam district; and
- (d) the total number of ex-servicemen from Srikakulam district along with the number of ex-servicemen employed in the private sector?

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MINISTER OF STATE
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

(SHRI AJAY BHATT)

- (a): The total number of servicemen (JCOs/OR & equivalent) employed in the three Armed Forces since 2000 from Andhra Pradesh are as per annexure.
- (b): There was restriction on recruitment rallies in 2020 and 2021 due to COVID-19. The details till 2019-20 are given as under:-

Indian Army: The details of attendance of applicants to join the Indian Army received from Andhra Pradesh are as under:-

Years	Rally Attendance
2014-15	93205
2015-16	72413
2016-17	55944
2017-18	66841
2018-19	56263
2019-20	60235

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The details of recruitment rallies conducted in Andhra Pradesh since 2014 are as under:-

Years	Recruitment Rallies	Venue
2014-15	04	Kurnool, Guntur, Vizag, Srikakulam
2015-16	02	Tirupati, Vizag
2016-17	02	Guntur, Kakinada
2017-18	02	Cuddapah, Vizianagaram
2018-19	02	Kurnool, Kakinada
2019-20	02	Ongole, Srikakulam

Indian Air Force: Till 2017, Scheduled Test was conducted offline by the Indian Air Force for which candidates used to apply offline. Online examination started in the IAF from the year 2018. The State-wise data of number of candidates registered from the year from 2014-2017 is not maintained by the IAF. However, the registration data in respect of the candidates from Andhra Pradesh from 2018 to 2019 is as under:-

Years	Registration Data
2018	15967
2019	18032

Three recruitment rallies were also conducted by the IAF during 2014-2017 in addition to Scheduled Tests, with a view to cover low represented, low response, remote areas to maintain demographic balance in the IAF, the details of which are as under:

Year	Place	No. of candidates appeared	No. of candidates enrolled
2014	Kurnool	7313	240
2016	Kadapa	5962	109
2017	Vijayawada	7752	77

Indian Navy: The State-wise data of number of candidates registered from the year 2014 to 2016 is not maintained by the Indian Navy. However, the number of applications received from Andhra Pradesh to join the Indian Navy as Sailor since 2017 is as under:

Years	No. of Applications
2017	41824
2018	47560
2019	68790

The Indian Navy has since discontinued conduct of mass recruitment drives (rallies) and has fully migrated to online application-based recruitment examinations. No recruitment rallies are therefore being organized in any State/district of the country including Andhra Pradesh.

(c): As per the record maintained by the National War Memorials since 1947, the total number of Army personnel belonging to Andhra Pradesh martyred is 318. This data is based on the addresses of NoKs residing in the State of Andhra Pradesh.

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The number of IAF personnel who have died/Killed/ Killed in Air Crash during service since 1st January, 1990 from Andhra Pradesh are 40.

A total of 06 naval personnel belonging to Andhra Pradesh have been declared as 'Battle Casualty' since 1990.

(d): The total number of Ex-servicemen as on 30th June, 2022 from Srikakulam district, Andhra Pradesh is 6641. The data of Ex-servicemen employed in the private sector is not available with the Government.

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA
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REGARDING 'SERVICEMEN IN ARMED FORCES FROM ANDHRA PRADESH'.**

**JCOs/OR & EQUIVALENT EMPLOYED IN ARMED FORCES FROM
ANDHRA PRADESH SINCE 2000**

Years	No of candidates recruited
2000	3978
2001	7081
2002	7784
2003	6288
2004	4590
2005	2246
2006	1924
2007	2166
2008	2390
2009	4233
2010	4983
2011	3477
2012	4233
2013	2466
2014*	2561
2015	2826
2016	1792
2017	1827
2018	1743
2019	2812

* Telangana formed
