

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No.2254
ANSWERED ON 09.12.2024**

Officers/Officials appointed in Banaras Hindu University

† 2254. **Shri Daroga Prasad Saroj:**

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of persons appointed as Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, Chairman, BoG IIT, Rector, Registrar, Controller of Examinations, Dean of Students, Medical Superintendent, Chief Proctor, Chair Professor, Ambedkar Chair including the names of all Deans, Principals of Women's colleges and all other officers in Banaras Hindu University;
- (b) the details and the number of officials belonging to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Minority Class among them, category-wise;
- (c) the number of officers belonging to socially and economically backward classes; and
- (d) the number of other officials appointed on contract, outsource basis, advisor and consultant?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR)**

- (a) to (c) As per information provided by Banaras Hindu University (BHU), there are 173 Group A officers currently working in BHU on regular basis. Out of these, 27 belong to Schedule Castes, 4 belong to Scheduled Tribes, 28 belong to Other Backward Castes and 5 belong to Minorities. In addition, there are 16 Deans working in the University who are appointed from among the faculties on the basis of rotation according to their seniority under the provision of Statute 9(1) of the Banaras Hindu University Act 1915. There is no provision of reservation in the appointment of Deans. Further, the IIT (BHU) Varanasi is not part of BHU. It has been established by a separate Act, namely The Institutes of Technology (Amendment) Act 2012.
- (d) Total 56 officials are presently working on contract, outsource basis and advisor/consultant in BHU.
