

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS**

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 3688

TO BE ANSWERED ON TUESDAY, 22nd DECEMBER, 2015

Vacant Posts in Department of Pharmaceuticals

3688: SHRI BHAGWANTH KHUBA:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

- a) whether the Government is aware that various technical posts are lying vacant in the Department of Pharmaceuticals;
- b) whether the number of issues requiring technical expertise regarding pharmaceuticals have been shelved/delayed and if so, the details thereof; and
- c) whether the Government proposes to create more senior level technical posts in order to help the pharmaceutical industry to meet the emerging challenges and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

Minister of State in the Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers (Shri Hansraj Gangaram Ahir)

- a) Yes, Madam.
- b) Department of Pharmaceuticals is framing the Recruitment Rules to fill the vacant Technical posts. However, the Department of Pharmaceuticals has appointed retired Government personnel as Consultants to advise on the technical issues on pharmaceuticals.
- c) No such proposal is under consideration in the Department of Pharmaceuticals.
