

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:553
ANSWERED ON:21.11.2001
REPRESENTATION OF SC/ST
M. JAGANNATH

Will the Minister of SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the representation of SCs and STs in Class I (Group A) Services stood only at 13.59% (SCs-10.38% & STs-3.21%) and in Class II (Group B) Services only at 14.41% (SCs-11.73% & STs-2.68%) as against 22.5% quota prescribed for them (15% for SCs and 7.5% in respect of STs) as on 1.1.1998 under Central Government;

(b) if so, indicate total number of posts` in (i) Class I (Group A) Category and (I) Class II (Group B) Category and equivalents thereof under the Ministry of Small Scale Industries; and

(c) the persons belonging to (i) General, (ii) SC, (iii) ST and (iv) OBC categories working against them including their respective percentage to such posts as ascertained in view of instructions as contained under para 5 of DOPT OM No. 36012/2/96-Estt. (Res.) dated 2nd July 1997 ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING, DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND PENSIONERS OF THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN DEPARTMENTS OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND SPACE (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE)

a): The representation of SCs/STs as on 1.1.98 under Central government in Group `A` services was 14.24% (SCs-10.8% and STs-3.44%) and in Group `B` services it was 15.37% (SCs-12.35% and STs-3.02%)

b) & c): The total no. of posts in Group A and Group B, filled and the persons belonging to SC, ST, OBC and General categories working against them in this Ministry are at Annexure.