

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2980  
ANSWERED ON:13.08.2003  
RESERVATION GUIDELINES IN NIF  
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**Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the National Innovation Foundation is following the reservation guidelines for SC/ST/OBC as provided in the Constitution;
- (b) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) the number of persons working in National Innovation Foundation, designation-wise;
- (d) the number out of them working as permanent staff and contractual staff alongwith the details of their allowances and perquisites;
- (e) whether the contractual staff are entitled to sick leave, earned leave and casual leave; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (SHRI BACHI SINGH RAWAT)

- (a) Yes, Sir.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) & (d) A statement is attached.
- (e) & (f) The staff of N.I.F. is entitled for casual and earned leaves.

STATEMENT AS REFERRED IN REPLY TO PARTS (c) & (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2980  
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**DESIGNATION-WISE DETAILS OF NIF STAFF**

S.No.	Name of post	No. of post	Type of Appointment	Position	Monthly compensation	Tenure
1.	Chief Innovation Officer	1	Contractual Filled		Rs. 36000/- plus rent up to Rs. 6000/-	2 years
2.	National Coordinators	4	Contractual Filled		Rs. 25000/- to Rs. 26000/- plus rent upto Rs. 4000	2 years
3.	Academic Fellows	5	Term based Filled		Rs. 15,000 to Rs. 35,000/-	2 years
4.	Researchers	3	Contractual Filled		Rs. 8,000/-to Rs. 13,000/-	Six months
5.	Technical Translator	1	Contractual Filled		Rs. 8500/-	Six months

6. Accounts 1 Contractual Filled Rs. 6500/- Six months  
Assistant

7. Administrative 1 Contractual Filled Rs. 5300/- Six months  
Assistant

8. DTP Operator 1 Contractual Filled Rs. 5300/- Six months

9. Software 1 Contractual Filled Rs. 4750/- Six months  
Assistant