

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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VACANT POSTS OF TEACHERS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to make strict norms to fill up the vacant post of teachers/ lecturers and to provide quality education at the middle and higher level in the near future;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by when it is likely to be achieved?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a) to (c): Most schools come under the purview of State Governments. As regards these schools, it is for the respective State Governments to take a decision. So far as the schools under the control of Central Government are concerned, recruitment of teachers is made as per the laid down rules and procedures.

University Grants Commission (UGC) has prescribed norms regulating appointment of lecturers for quality education. They have also constituted a Committee namely `Mungekar Committee` to look into these aspects.