

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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VACANT POSTS IN AAI
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is no recruitment of technical staff in Airports Authority of India since 2007 and several posts are lying vacant which has caused increase of workload manifold with airports across the country;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps proposed by the Government to place adequate technical staff in airports?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

(a) & (b): No, Madam. Recruitment to various technical posts have taken place since 2007. Year-wise recruitments are as under:

2007 - 986,

2008 - 200,

2009 - 664.

(c): Recruitment is a continuous process and is undertaken depending upon the staff requirements for various departments including technical department.