## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5343 ANSWERED ON:28.04.2010 VACANCIES IN CIVIL SERVICES Patel Shri Bal Kumar

## Will the Minister of PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to increase the number of vacancies in Civil Services for the coming years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the number of vacancies to be filled through the UPSC in Civil Services, especially in IPS and IAS posts;
- (c) whether the Government has considered the one man Commission headed by retired IPS officer Kamal Kumar's recommendations for a hike in IPS post due to the internal security requirement;
- (d) if so, the details of the recommendations in this regard; and
- (e) the time by which the Government is likely to consider the recommendations?

## Answer

Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Science and Technology; Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Earth Sciences; Minister of State in the Prime Minister's Office; Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs (SHRI PRITHVIRAJ CHAVAN)

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. The details of number of vacancies to be filled up in Civil Services Examination (CSE), 2009 and CSE, 2010 in respect of IAS and IPS are as under:-

CSE Year IAS IPS
2009 131 130
2010 150 150

(c) to (e): Ministry of Home Affairs had engaged the services of Shri Kamal Kumar, IPS (Retired) for making a realistic assessment of shortage of IPS officers in State Cadres in view of growing needs of internal security. It was recommended by him that for determining the Cadre Strength a realistic scientific approach be followed by revisiting the guidelines for Cadre review. Accordingly guidelines have been revised and circulated to the States for needful. The revised guidelines are as under:-

# While reviewing the cadre, the posts which are in existence in ex-cadre having long term requirement will be encadred;

# New posts, which do not exist as ex-cadre will be included in cadre if their requirement is functionally justified and they are needed for a long period;

# In determining the strength of a cadre of IPS, special problems of State like border security, coastal security, mega city policing, LWE/insurgency/Terrorism, organized/high-tech crime, ec. will be duly considered;

# The proposed cadre structure as far as possible should be in the ratio of 2:7.5: 20.5:20:50 for the post of DG, ADG, IG, DIG and SP respectively.

# The posts which already exist in the cadre but have been kept vacant or in abeyance, as they are not required, will be considered for de-cadrement;

#The increase in cadre of a State should be such that it would be reasonably practicable to fill the existing/additional vacancies within a period of 3 to 5 years.