

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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SHORTAGE OF LANGUAGE EXPERTS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the intelligence agencies including Intelligence Bureau is facing shortage of experts in foreign languages and Indian languages including local dialects;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to fill-up the said vacancies?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

(a) to (c): In Intelligence Bureau there are 09 vacancies in the category of Experts in foreign languages. Selection and filling up of the posts in Intelligence Bureau and other Intelligence Agencies is an on-going process.