

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

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BACK LOG OF VACANCIES
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of physically challenged persons employed under various Union Government insitutions/offices;
- (b) whether the Government has identified the backlog of vacancies reserved for the physically challenged people;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to filled up the backlog vacancies?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE (Independent Charge) IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE and TECHNOLOGY; MINISTER OF THE STATE (Independent Charge) IN THE MINISTRY OF EARTH SCIENCE; MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE PRIME'S MINISTER OFFICE; MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS; AND MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI PRITHVIRAJ CHAVAN)

(a): As per information received from 68 Ministries/Departments etc., there were 11,040 physically challenged persons in the services of the Central Government as on 01.01.2008.

(b) to (d): A Special Recruitment Drive has been launched w.e.f. November, 2009 to fill up the backlog reserved vacancies of physically challenged persons. As per information received from various Ministries/Departments/Organization upto 13.08.2010, there were 6074 backlog reserved vacancies for persons with disabilities as on 15.11.2009, of which 796 have been filled up.