GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1006 ANSWERED ON:30.07.2010 RESERVATION POLICY IN BANKS Mandal Shri Mangani Lal

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the stipulated reservation for Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes (SCs/STs) and Other Backward Classes (OBCs) in every category has not been filled in the Scheduled Commercial Banks;
- (b) if so; the details thereof as of now and reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the backlog of reserved posts in all categories is lying pending due to improper implementation and non-compliance of the reservation policy in such banks;
- (d) if so, the details thereof as of now and reasons therefor; and
- (e) the remedial measures taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

- (a)&(b): The stipulated reservations for Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes have been filled up in every category of posts in the Scheduled Commercial Banks except small number of backlog vacancies as given in the Annexure.
- (c)&(d): Banks have informed that they are ensuring proper implementation and compliance of the reservation policy of the Government of India and the backlog reserved posts is due to non-availability of eligible candidates.
- (e): The Government has issued directions to the Banks to launch Special Recruitment Drive to fill up the backlog reserved vacancies for SC/ST/OBCs vide No. 21/2/2010-SCT(B), dated 20th April, 2010. As per Government guidelines from time to time, special recruitment drive to fill up the backlog of reserved vacancies of SCs/STs and OBCs has been made by the Banks.