

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2151
ANSWERED ON:27.03.2012
SHORTAGE OF TEACHERS IN SCHOOLS
Bali Ram Dr.

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is an acute shortage of teachers in the schools under Municipal Corporation of Delhi, New Delhi Municipal Council and Delhi Administration;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to fill up the vacant posts so far; and
- (d) the time by which all the vacant posts are likely to be filled up?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) & (b): Municipal Corporation of Delhi has informed that there are 21780 sanctioned posts of Primary School Teachers, against which 16449 Teachers are working on regular basis and 3879 Teachers are working on contract basis. New Delhi Municipal council has informed that against sanctioned strength of 873 Teachers of various categories, 712 Teachers are working on regular basis, 21 Teachers are working on re-employment basis and 74 Teachers are working on contract basis. Directorate of Education, Government of National Capital Territory has informed that as against the total sanctioned posts of 43327 of Teachers of various categories, 36184 posts are filled up and 7143 posts are vacant.

(c) & (d): Filling up of vacant post is a continuous process. However, the concerned authorities have taken steps to fill up the vacant posts of Teachers, which include taking up the matter with the Delhi Subordinate Services Selection Board (DSSSB) for filling up the vacant posts under direct recruitment quota; convening Departmental Promotion Committee to fill up the vacant posts meant for Departmental candidates; and engaging Teachers on contract basis temporarily; and engaging Guest Teachers.