

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
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RECRUITMENT IN RRBS . ADV. A. SAMPATH  
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**Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Regional Rural Banks (RRBs) have recruited employees and staff during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to give any sort of relaxations to the departmental candidates in recruitment and promotions in the said banks;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the rate of attrition in each such RRBs alongwith the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance (Shri Namo Narain Meena)

(a)and(b): As per information furnished by National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development(NABARD), in respect of 49 RRBs the details of staff recruited during 2008-09, 2009-10 and 2010-11 and 2011-12 are as under:-

Year	Total No. of staff recruited by RRBs
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2008-09	1123
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2009-10	1755
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2010-11	3074
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2011-12	4436
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The information in respect of remaining 33 RRBs is being collected.

(c)and(d): The criteria for appointment and promotions of each category of Officers and Employees including relaxation in eligibility is as per Regional Rural Banks (Appointment and Promotion of Officers and Employees) Rules, 2010.

(e) The rate of attrition varies from RRBtoRRB depending inter-alia on the age profile of existing employees.