

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

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CHANGES IN EXAMINATION FOR CIVIL SERVICES
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is planning to introduce changes in the main examination for entry into Civil Services conducted by the Union Public Service Commission in accordance with suggestions of the second administrative reforms commission; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which it is likely to implement the same?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions and Minister of State in the Prime Minister's Office.
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(a)&(d): There is no proposal to introduce changes in the Main Examination of the Civil Services Examination, at present. However, Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) has appointed a committee of Experts, headed by Prof. Arun S.Nigavekar, Ex. Chairman, UGC, to review the existing structure of Civil Services (Main) Examination and suggest necessary changes.