## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:61 ANSWERED ON:22.11.2012 VACANCIES UNDER RESERVED CATEGORIES Karunakaran Shri P.

## Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of total vacancies under SC/ST/OBC categories in the Railways as on date, Group-wise and category-wise;
- (b) the steps taken/being by the Railways to fill up these vacancies;
- (c) the total number of vacancies under the said categories filled up during the last three years and the current year; and
- (d) the details of recruitment made for Group-D posts or in lieu thereof in the Railways during the last three years and the current year?

## **Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI ADHIR RANJAN CHOWDHURY)

(a) to (d) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (d) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.61 BY SHRI P. KARUNAKARAN TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 22.11.2012 REGARDING VACANCIES UNDER RESERVED CATEGORIES.

(a). The details of total vacancies under Scheduled Castes (SCs), Scheduled Tribes (STs) and Other Backward Classes (OBCs) categories in the Railways in Group 'C' and 'D' posts as on date is as under:-

GROUP SC ST OBC

'C' 527 1158 287

'D' 321 1278 235

There is no backlog vacancy in Group A and B.

- (b). A Special Recruitment Drive has been launched for clearing the backlog of reserved vacancies of SCs/STs/OBCs existing as on 01.11.2008.
- (c). The details of number of vacancies filled up through recruitment and promotion during the last three years and the current year are as under:-

YEAR SC ST OBC

2009 617 537 853

2010 1603 1211 2543

2011 2346 1822 3859

2012 3231 4479 2644

(d). The details of recruitment including diverted posts of promotion category in Group 'C' (erstwhile Group 'D') filled up through recruitment during the last three years and the current year are as under:-
YEAR SC ST OBC
2009 300 215 370
2010 301 254 1003
2011 448 274 554
2012 1274 1643 1881