

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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VACANT POSTS IN NATIONAL MUSEUM LIBRARY
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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a number of posts are lying vacant in the subordinate offices of National Museum, National Archives and National Library under the Ministry;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government has taken/ propose to take any steps to fill up the said posts;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the time by which such vacant posts are likely to be filled up; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF CULTURE (SMT. CHANDRESH KUMARI KATOCH)

(a) &(b) The details of posts lying vacant in National Museum, National Archives of India and National Library under the Ministry of Culture are given at Annexure. Reasons for vacancies in these organizations are given below:

- (i) Recruitment Rules for the various posts are under finalization.
- (ii) Officials in the feeder grade have not completed the minimum required service for promotion.
- (iii) Non-receipt of nominations from Union Public Service Commission and Staff Selection Commission.

(c)(d)& (e) Action has already been taken to fill up the vacancies in various posts as per laid down procedure, which is a continuous process.

The following steps have been taken to fill up the vacant posts.

- (i) Vacancies in various posts including the post of Director General, National Museum have been advertised in Employment News and leading National dailies.
- (ii) Recruitment Rules of various posts are being finalized in consultation with Union Public Service Commission and Department of Personnel and Training.
- (iii) Details of vacancies have been intimated to Union Public Service Commission and Staff Selection Commission to nominate suitable candidates against the vacant posts.