GOVERNMENT OF INDIA PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2607
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FILLING OF VACANT POSTS IN CIC
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Central Information Commission has not filled several vacancies;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the sanctioned and actual strength in CIC during the last three years and the current year, year-wise and category-wise;
- (c) whether on account of shortage of adequate employees and increasing number of RTI applications, the performance of CIC is being adversely affected;
- (d) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (e) whether the Government is of the view that the increasing number of RTI applications is practically becoming a problem for various departments; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof and the measures taken to resolve the issue?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions and Minister of State in the Prime Minister's Office. (SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY)

(a): Yes, Madam.

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(b):
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Actual no. of persons in place
Year Sanctioned strength
2010 116
            Regular & co-terminus - 54
       Outsourced/Contract - 99
       Total - 153
2011 Regular posts - 144 Regular & co-terminus - 41
 Multi Tasking Staff - 16 Outsourced/Contract - 88
  (on outsource basis)
 Total
       - 160 Total
                      - 129
2012 Regular posts - 144 Regular & co-terminus - 33
 Multi Tasking Staff - 16 Outsourced/Contract - 114
 (on outsource basis)
 Total - 160 Total
                       - 147
                   - 144 Regular & co-terminus - 31
2013 Regular posts
 Multi Tasking Staff - 16 Outsourced/Contract - 105
  (on outsource basis)
                       - 136
 Total
         - 160 Total
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- (c): No, Madam.
- (d): Does not arise.
- (e): No, Madam.
- (f): Does not arise.