

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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RECRUITMENT IN CAPF
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether camps are organised for recruitment of people belonging to the backward and tribal regions in the Central Reserve Police Force, Border Security Force, Central Industrial Security Force and other Central Armed Police Forces (CAPF) and if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government is considering to grant or has fixed regional quota in these forces in a certain ratio and if so, the details thereof along with the status of filling up of such quota, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government proposes to launch special campaign in the country particularly in rural and backward tribal regions of Maharashtra for recruitment in CAPF; and

(d) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI KIREN RIJU)

(a) To fill the posts in Central Armed Police Forces (CAPFs) & Assam Rifles (AR), either a combined/centralized recruitment is conducted through Union Public Service Commission and Staff Selection Commission (SSC) or a recruitment board is constituted by MHA or the same is conducted individually by the respective Force. In all cases, open advertisement is issued and applications are sought from the candidates. The eligible and qualified candidates are called for appearing in different stages of the examinations like Physical Efficiency Test (PET), Physical Standard Test (PST), written & Medical examination etc. However, if substantial number of vacancies of Constable (GD) in a particular area/district/State remain unfilled after the regular recruitment process by SSC in a year, the same are filled by conducting Special Recruitment Rallies (SRR) by MHA through CAPFs.

(b) to (d): As per the quota approved by the Cabinet, the vacancies in the rank of Ct/GD are distributed among the States/Union Territories and also among the Border Districts and militancy affected areas as follows:-

1. 60% of vacancies are allotted amongst States/UTs on the basis of population ratio.
2. 20% of vacancies in the Border Guarding Forces (BGFs) (BSF, ITBP, SSB & Assam Rifles) are allotted to border districts, which fall within the responsibility of the Force.
3. 20% of vacancies in BGFs are allotted to areas affected by militancy i.e. J & K, North Eastern States and naxal affected areas. The districts/areas affected by militancy are notified by the Government from time to time.
4. In Forces, other than BGFs, 40% vacancies are allotted to militancy affected areas i.e. J&K, North Eastern States and naxal affected areas. The district/areas affected by militancy are notified by the Government from time to time.

Recruitment is a continuous process. The vacancies left unfilled in normal recruitment process are carried forward to the future recruitment. 62,390 vacancies of Constable (GD) in the ongoing CAPF(CT/GD) Examination, 2015 have already been notified by SSC on 24.01.2015. The vacancies have been distributed among the States/districts as per the above formula. Accordingly, 3542 vacancies are earmarked for candidates for the State of Maharashtra. There are centres for PST/PET and written examination in each State for this examination. In the State of Maharashtra, there are 09 centres for PST & PET and 07 for written examination for this examination.