

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6523
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VACANT POSTS OF HEADS OF ORGANISATIONS
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the posts of Head of various organisations such as All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO), Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT), Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangthan, etc. are lying vacant due to which the work of these organisations is being affected adversely;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons for these posts lying vacant for a long time;
- (c) whether any proactive steps have been taken by the Government for selection of suitable candidates in their place;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the present status of selection of each of the above posts, organisation-wise?

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) & (b): At present, the posts of Chairman, All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), Director General, Defence Research and Development Organization (DRDO), Chairman, Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) and Director, National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) are vacant with effect from the dates shown against each:

Name of Post	Date of vacancy
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Chairman, AICTE	05.01.2015
DG, DRDO	01.02.2015
Chairman, CBSE	28.11.2014
Director, NCERT	21.10.2014

(c) to (e): Necessary steps have been initiated for expeditious selection of regular incumbents to these posts inter alia including advertisement inviting applications, constitution of Search-cum-Selection Committee, etc. as per the post-specific extant procedure. Order for appointment of Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangthan has already been issued on 29.04.2015.