

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT**

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1556  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.07.2019**

**VACANT POSTS**

**†1556. SHRI DEEPAK BAIJ:  
SHRIMATI DARSHANA VIKRAM JARDOSH:**

**Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Ministry gives any directions to fill up the vacant posts by the concerned departments due to the delay in filling up the posts across the country;**
- (b) the steps taken by the Ministry to provide employment to the unemployed and to prevent unemployment in the country;**
- (c) whether there is delay in filling up a huge number of vacant posts for a long time and there is delay in declaring the result of selected candidates in the country;**
- (d) the details of action taken by the Government to increase employment opportunities in the last three years; and**
- (e) the details of Government jobs/ posts which are lying vacant as on date, State-wise along with the action which has been taken to fill up these vacant positions and if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)**

**(a): The Ministry of Labour & Employment has not issued any such directions. However, filling up of the vacancies is the priority item for the Government.**

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**(b): Employment Generation coupled with improving employability of the youth is the priority concern of the Government. Government has taken various steps for generating employment in the country like encouraging private sector of economy, fast tracking various projects involving substantial investment and increasing public expenditure on schemes like Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP), Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGA), Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY) scheme and Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana-National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM).**

**Pradhan Mantri Rojgar Protsahan Yojana (PMRPY) was launched by the Ministry of Labour and Employment for incentivising employers for promoting employment generation. Under this schemes, Government is paying entire employer's contribution (12% or as admissible) towards EPF and EPS for all eligible new employees for all sectors for 3 years, under which 1.18 crore beneficiary took advantage till March, 2019.**

**Government has implemented the National Career Service having a portal ([www.ncs.gov.in](http://www.ncs.gov.in)) for online registration and posting of jobs for job-seekers and providing other employment related services.**

**(c): Vacancies are reported regularly to recruiting agencies like SSC/UPSC. There has been delay in some cases in filling up of vacancies mainly due to litigation.**

**(d): As detailed in reply to part (b) above, Government has taken various steps for generating employment in the country.**

**(e): Details of vacancies in different Ministries/Department, as per the data of Department of Expenditure, as on 01.03.2018, is at Annexure. The filling up of vacant posts is a continuous process depending on the vacancies arising across Ministries/Departments during the year and action calendar of the recruiting agencies. Filling up the vacant posts of States/UTs is the responsibility of the respective States/UTs.**

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## Annexure

Annexure referred to in Reply to part (e) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.1556 for reply on 01.07.2019, regarding 'Vacant Posts'.

S.No.	Ministry/Department	GROUP - WISE AND STATUS (G/NG) WISE ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CENTRAL GOVERNMENT CIVILIAN REGULAR EMPLOYEES AS ON 1.3.2018									
		Number of Sanctioned Posts					Number in Position				
		A(G) (3)	B(G) (4)	B(NG) (5)	C(NG) (6)	Total (7)	A(G) (8)	B(G) (9)	B(NG) (10)	C(NG) (11)	Total (12)
1	Agricultural Research & Education	17	8	10	14	49	16	7	6	7	36
2	Agriculture and Cooperation	636	533	599	4172	5940	421	354	395	2769	3939
3	Animal Husbandry and Dairying	319	165	183	3194	3861	189	84	100	2024	2397
4	Atomic Energy	11825	742	9730	14523	36820	11145	579	8626	10289	30639
5	AYUSH	77	29	50	66	222	61	10	39	41	151
6	Bio-Technology	72	40	49	86	247	53	23	40	56	172
7	Cabinet Secretariat	65	51	100	143	359	60	45	83	112	300
8	Chemicals, Petrochemicals & Pharmaceuticals	70	45	65	209	389	60	39	62	165	326
9	Civil Aviation	808	85	559	947	2399	470	50	174	540	1234
10	Coal	56	49	95	224	424	40	27	86	132	285
11	Commerce	645	856	970	4200	6671	532	705	800	3462	5499
12	Consumer Affairs	218	142	285	579	1224	170	110	158	364	802
13	Corporate Affairs	455	175	709	1202	2541	297	114	424	462	1297
14	Culture	206	269	259	7128	7862	211	231	260	6973	7675
15	Defence (Civilian)	17405	38807	46132	483132	585476	17160	30576	28839	321847	398422
16	Development of NE Region	68	56	50	174	348	58	37	37	105	237
17	Drinking Water & Sanitation	40	28	49	22	139	30	11	42	13	96
18	Earth Sciences	458	267	3840	2791	7356	250	83	2436	1504	4273
19	Economic Affairs	376	183	238	665	1462	283	145	201	484	1113
20	Environment & Forests	940	443	1038	2690	5111	732	233	544	1422	2931
21	Expenditure	149	229	253	392	1023	111	166	190	178	645
22	External Affairs	2241	970	2425	2572	8208	2071	879	1774	2288	7012
23	Fertilizers	43	17	97	130	287	35	14	79	71	199
24	Financial Services	299	51	495	855	1700	242	36	307	576	1161
25	Food & Public Distribution	231	84	303	510	1128	182	69	228	341	820

26	Food Processing Industries	57	34	35	65	191	50	21	20	50	141
27	Health & Family Welfare	2357	658	1035	17264	21314	2357	658	1035	17264	21314
28	Heavy Industry	50	40	51	120	261	43	24	38	75	180
29	Higher Education	274	222	240	528	1264	184	108	229	406	927
30	Home Affairs	24780	17005	34600	944246	1020631	20540	13041	27766	886919	948266
31	Indian Audit & Accounts	723	18642	24063	20930	64358	570	14594	16680	12873	44717
32	Industrial Policy & Promotion	313	184	272	1998	2767	239	140	209	1533	2121
33	Information and Broadcasting	473	592	719	3959	5743	318	378	578	2408	3682
34	Information Technology	3831	602	508	1590	6531	3629	536	434	892	5491
35	Investment & Public Asset Management	26	13	21	13	73	24	6	14	12	56
36	Labour & Employment	1170	412	1378	3808	6768	604	252	1040	2606	4502
37	Land Resources	36	33	22	31	122	30	11	12	24	77
38	Law and Justice	533	297	486	1254	2570	372	218	386	1002	1978
39	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises	411	526	395	1638	2970	193	419	206	1002	1820
40	Mines	4354	1000	3074	5627	14055	2796	619	1406	2753	7574
41	Minority Affairs	64	31	62	88	245	42	19	46	73	180
42	New & Renewable Energy	124	54	33	85	296	77	21	37	77	212
43	Panchayati Raj	32	23	30	39	124	20	15	19	13	67
44	Parliamentary Affairs	24	21	45	59	149	22	12	35	50	119
45	Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions	1514	606	2538	6186	10844	1133	426	1774	5150	8483
46	Petroleum and Natural Gas	57	64	72	104	297	45	50	64	55	214
47	Planning Commission	245	135	132	192	704	186	104	108	180	578
48	Posts	621	354	8222	175221	184418	619	354	8222	175221	184416
49	Power	532	96	628	600	1856	478	69	343	371	1261
50	President's Secretariat	37	41	68	200	346	26	39	63	143	271
51	Prime Minister's Office	63	60	115	273	511	59	57	117	164	397
52	Public Enterprises	33	13	22	51	119	26	9	11	23	69

53	Railways	13662	5318	620	1488094	1507694	11928	4032	565	1231800	1248325
54	Revenue	12456	32395	34590	99492	178933	7848	25239	18022	49171	100280
55	Road Transport & Highways	303	62	180	198	743	286	50	154	150	640
56	Rural Development	102	95	127	191	515	82	70	98	135	385
57	School Education and Literacy	86	72	122	166	446	72	45	105	110	332
58	Science & Technology	592	789	291	10505	12177	264	569	1647	2704	5184
59	Shipping	371	156	620	1739	2886	203	154	427	1055	1839
60	Social Justice & Empowerment	142	103	227	234	706	108	75	170	207	560
61	Space	7264	497	2703	4945	15409	7047	400	2380	2542	12369
62	Statistics & Programme Implementation	1530	1841	2658	1262	7291	723	1599	1596	1165	5083
63	Steel	89	30	49	92	260	65	27	39	70	201
64	Telecommunication	1056	1104	314	2154	4628	899	588	130	1106	2723
65	Textiles	260	201	853	3591	4905	172	149	467	1718	2506
66	Tourism	74	102	134	267	577	68	101	118	200	487
67	Tribal Affairs	76	42	47	145	310	60	31	41	109	241
68	Union Public Service Commission	206	259	520	843	1828	161	129	433	555	1278
69	Urban Development	3323	831	5694	10407	20255	3101	992	4978	9044	18115
70	Vice President's Secretariat	6	5	8	41	60	5	4	5	37	51
71	Water Resources	1742	1163	2678	5808	11391	1266	771	1426	3363	6826
72	Women & Child Development	94	80	131	372	677	77	42	98	240	457
73	Youth Affairs and Sports	45	42	65	163	315	40	42	54	164	300
<b>Total</b>		<b>123932</b>	<b>131269</b>	<b>200080</b>	<b>3347498</b>	<b>3802779</b>	<b>104036</b>	<b>101936</b>	<b>139775</b>	<b>2773209</b>	<b>3118956</b>