

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS  
(DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL & TRAINING)

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4378  
(TO BE ANSWERED ON 30.03.2022)

VACANCIES IN CENTRAL GOVERNMENT

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Will the **PRIME MINISTER** be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of vacancies in Central Government as on 1st March, 2022, Ministry/Department-wise;
- (b) the details of vacancies in Central Government as on 1st March, 2022 in Group A, B, C and D; and
- (c) the details of vacancies as on 1st March, 2022 in Central Government in various categories like SC, ST, OBC and General, category-wise and Ministry/ department-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): The Ministry /Department-wise and Group-wise estimated number of Central Government Civilian regular employees as on 01.03.2020 is at **Annexure-I**.

(c): Government monitors the progress in respect of filling up of backlog reserved vacancies for Scheduled Castes (SCs), Scheduled Tribes (STs) and Other Backward Classes (OBCs) with ten Ministries /Departments, having more than 90% of the employees of Central Government. Ministry /Department-wise and category-wise (i.e. SCs, STs and OBCs) details of backlog reserved vacancies, as on 01.01.2021, are at **Annexure-II**.

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## GROUP-WISE AND STATUS-WISE (G/NG) ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CENTRAL GOVERNMENT CIVILIAN REGULAR EMPLOYEES AS ON 01.03.2020

| S.No | Ministry/Department                            | Number of Sanctioned Posts |       |       |        |        | Number in Position |       |       |        |        |
|------|--|----------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------|
|      |  | A(G)                       | B(G)  | B(NG) | C(NG)  | Total  | A(G)               | B(G)  | B(NG) | C(NG)  | Total  |
| (1)  | (2)  | (3)                        | (4)   | (5)   | (6)    | (7)    | (8)                | (9)   | (10)  | (11)   | (12)   |
| 1    | Agricultural Research and Education            | 19                         | 11    | 10    | 14     | 54     | 16                 | 5     | 5     | 6      | 32     |
| 2    | Agriculture , Cooperation and Farmers Welfare  | 620                        | 519   | 583   | 4069   | 5791   | 394                | 332   | 370   | 2523   | 3619   |
| 3    | Animal Husbandry and Diaring & Fisheries       | 305                        | 120   | 100   | 2930   | 3455   | 196                | 73    | 66    | 1775   | 2110   |
| 4    | Atomic Energy                                  | 11874                      | 573   | 9523  | 16110  | 38080  | 11932              | 592   | 8725  | 11515  | 32764  |
| 5    | AYUSH  | 69                         | 27    | 49    | 39     | 184    | 67                 | 15    | 38    | 40     | 160    |
| 6    | Bio-Technology                                 | 95                         | 46    | 42    | 72     | 255    | 75                 | 25    | 24    | 47     | 171    |
| 7    | Cabinet Secretariat                            | 76                         | 56    | 81    | 129    | 342    | 70                 | 57    | 63    | 105    | 295    |
| 8    | Chemicals and Petrochemicals & Pharmaceuticals | 88                         | 6     | 99    | 127    | 320    | 99                 | 9     | 87    | 118    | 313    |
| 9    | Civil Aviation                                 | 797                        | 73    | 361   | 875    | 2106   | 503                | 51    | 211   | 489    | 1254   |
| 10   | Coal   | 69                         | 57    | 99    | 209    | 434    | 52                 | 35    | 79    | 119    | 285    |
| 11   | Commerce                                       | 821                        | 867   | 1119  | 2552   | 5359   | 492                | 439   | 840   | 1435   | 3206   |
| 12   | Consumer Affairs                               | 206                        | 185   | 284   | 618    | 1293   | 165                | 128   | 171   | 314    | 778    |
| 13   | Corporate Affairs                              | 733                        | 0     | 885   | 976    | 2594   | 598                | 0     | 506   | 414    | 1518   |
| 14   | Culture  | 466                        | 230   | 1437  | 8161   | 10294  | 260                | 127   | 866   | 5468   | 6721   |
| 15   | Defence (Civil)                                | 18107                      | 24283 | 95067 | 495682 | 633139 | 14627              | 20647 | 59874 | 290489 | 385637 |
| 16   | Development of NE Region                       | 66                         | 46    | 83    | 141    | 336    | 50                 | 32    | 46    | 97     | 225    |
| 17   | Drinking Water and Sanitation                  | 55                         | 32    | 43    | 28     | 158    | 42                 | 18    | 32    | 15     | 107    |
| 18   | Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities       | 38                         | 32    | 56    | 17     | 143    | 30                 | 13    | 39    | 9      | 91     |
| 19   | Earth Sciences                                 | 766                        | 1654  | 2247  | 2841   | 7508   | 312                | 1084  | 1918  | 1335   | 4649   |
| 20   | Economic Affairs                               | 335                        | 142   | 207   | 719    | 1403   | 277                | 130   | 192   | 441    | 1040   |
| 21   | Environment , Forests and Climate Change       | 714                        | 192   | 1272  | 2691   | 4869   | 545                | 85    | 642   | 1350   | 2622   |
| 22   | Expenditure                                    | 289                        | 530   | 250   | 528    | 1597   | 189                | 452   | 173   | 258    | 1072   |
| 23   | External Affairs                               | 2311                       | 2314  | 2737  | 3673   | 11035  | 2117               | 1646  | 2153  | 2915   | 8831   |
| 24   | Fertilizers                                    | 27                         | 62    | 11    | 149    | 249    | 26                 | 57    | 9     | 134    | 226    |
| 25   | Financial Services                             | 289                        | 139   | 401   | 784    | 1613   | 220                | 99    | 291   | 658    | 1268   |
| 26   | Food and Public Distribution                   | 158                        | 108   | 257   | 504    | 1027   | 118                | 98    | 223   | 318    | 757    |

|    |   |       |       |       |         |         |       |       |       |         |         |
|----|---|-------|-------|-------|---------|---------|-------|-------|-------|---------|---------|
| 27 | Food Processing Industries                | 57    | 59    | 7     | 58      | 181     | 55    | 27    | 5     | 34      | 121     |
| 28 | Health and Family Welfare                 | 2545  | 710   | 1117  | 18638   | 23010   | 2311  | 646   | 1015  | 16935   | 20907   |
| 29 | Health Research                           | 5     | 1     | 2     | 34      | 42      | 3     | 1     | 1     | 20      | 25      |
| 30 | Heavy Industry                            | 57    | 40    | 47    | 103     | 247     | 42    | 23    | 37    | 64      | 166     |
| 31 | Higher Education                          | 205   | 218   | 359   | 373     | 1155    | 171   | 132   | 301   | 240     | 844     |
| 32 | Home Affairs                              | 22634 | 4529  | 54501 | 1002766 | 1084430 | 18744 | 5143  | 42332 | 889369  | 955588  |
| 33 | Indian Audit and Accounts Department      | 6508  | 12724 | 0     | 48290   | 67522   | 5906  | 10838 | 0     | 27541   | 44285   |
| 34 | Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade  | 1101  | 217   | 383   | 869     | 2570    | 934   | 94    | 179   | 457     | 1664    |
| 35 | Information and Broadcasting              | 467   | 524   | 718   | 3626    | 5335    | 323   | 320   | 546   | 2190    | 3379    |
| 36 | Electronics and Information Technology    | 4147  | 171   | 379   | 1852    | 6549    | 3554  | 111   | 307   | 1141    | 5113    |
| 37 | Investment and Public Asset Management    | 34    | 16    | 21    | 15      | 86      | 30    | 9     | 16    | 13      | 68      |
| 38 | Labour and Employment                     | 1196  | 407   | 537   | 4571    | 6711    | 749   | 263   | 476   | 2580    | 4068    |
| 39 | Land Resources                            | 37    | 0     | 57    | 34      | 128     | 32    | 0     | 24    | 24      | 80      |
| 40 | Law and Justice                           | 608   | 353   | 469   | 1273    | 2703    | 437   | 302   | 290   | 942     | 1971    |
| 41 | Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises       | 71    | 98    | 40    | 243     | 452     | 69    | 96    | 38    | 240     | 443     |
| 42 | Mines                                     | 4396  | 1428  | 3187  | 5008    | 14019   | 2785  | 855   | 1378  | 2076    | 7094    |
| 43 | Minority Affairs                          | 76    | 66    | 54    | 71      | 267     | 62    | 37    | 29    | 49      | 177     |
| 44 | New and Renewable Energy                  | 142   | 47    | 50    | 91      | 330     | 77    | 21    | 42    | 73      | 213     |
| 45 | Panchayati Raj                            | 38    | 23    | 24    | 42      | 127     | 29    | 7     | 20    | 18      | 74      |
| 46 | Parliamentary Affairs                     | 23    | 22    | 45    | 60      | 150     | 20    | 13    | 30    | 54      | 117     |
| 47 | Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions | 1102  | 1190  | 2607  | 6225    | 11124   | 804   | 874   | 1810  | 5261    | 8749    |
| 48 | Petroleum and Natural Gas                 | 70    | 63    | 73    | 126     | 332     | 59    | 49    | 53    | 61      | 222     |
| 49 | Niti Aayog                                | 216   | 336   | 59    | 128     | 739     | 133   | 180   | 43    | 141     | 497     |
| 50 | Posts                                     | 850   | 450   | 10299 | 255892  | 267491  | 671   | 404   | 9343  | 167023  | 177441  |
| 51 | Power                                     | 620   | 194   | 196   | 429     | 1439    | 368   | 128   | 60    | 222     | 778     |
| 52 | President's Secretariat                   | 43    | 44    | 75    | 218     | 380     | 34    | 39    | 59    | 157     | 289     |
| 53 | Prime Minister's Office                   | 62    | 65    | 118   | 201     | 446     | 73    | 63    | 114   | 79      | 329     |
| 54 | Public Enterprises                        | 30    | 11    | 14    | 52      | 107     | 25    | 9     | 6     | 32      | 72      |
| 55 | Railways                                  | 13662 | 5318  | 620   | 1488094 | 1507694 | 12593 | 4520  | 0     | 1253286 | 1270399 |

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|----|--|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 56 | Revenue                                      | 12126 | 32212 | 33303 | 100791 | 178432 | 8153 | 26680 | 17138 | 50134 | 102105 |
| 57 | Road Transport and Highways                  | 377   | 77    | 188   | 334    | 976    | 299  | 61    | 149   | 217   | 726    |
| 58 | Rural Development                            | 126   | 108   | 128   | 187    | 549    | 108  | 53    | 89    | 130   | 380    |
| 59 | School Education and Literacy                | 54    | 47    | 81    | 94     | 276    | 41   | 52    | 50    | 59    | 202    |
| 60 | Science and Technology                       | 643   | 818   | 3037  | 7946   | 12444  | 300  | 580   | 1620  | 1717  | 4217   |
| 61 | Scientific and Industrial Research           | 49    | 13    | 19    | 35     | 116    | 44   | 12    | 8     | 13    | 77     |
| 62 | Ports, Shipping and Waterways                | 287   | 243   | 610   | 1502   | 2642   | 209  | 159   | 345   | 859   | 1572   |
| 63 | Skill Development and Entrepreneurship       | 367   | 124   | 811   | 685    | 1987   | 258  | 65    | 481   | 419   | 1223   |
| 64 | Social Justice and Empowerment               | 133   | 103   | 170   | 260    | 666    | 76   | 58    | 118   | 199   | 451    |
| 65 | Space  | 9704  | 161   | 4032  | 4805   | 18702  | 9438 | 133   | 3782  | 2661  | 16014  |
| 66 | Statistics and Programme Implementation      | 547   | 1823  | 2646  | 1136   | 6152   | 368  | 1567  | 1512  | 772   | 4219   |
| 67 | Steel  | 59    | 42    | 87    | 114    | 302    | 71   | 34    | 69    | 101   | 275    |
| 68 | Telecommunications                           | 987   | 235   | 1328  | 996    | 3546   | 1140 | 192   | 1082  | 935   | 3349   |
| 69 | Textiles                                     | 319   | 206   | 725   | 3489   | 4739   | 288  | 198   | 730   | 3437  | 4653   |
| 70 | Tourism                                      | 75    | 102   | 134   | 268    | 579    | 60   | 95    | 115   | 192   | 462    |
| 71 | Tribal Affairs                               | 75    | 48    | 47    | 143    | 313    | 52   | 30    | 26    | 64    | 172    |
| 72 | Union Public Service Commission              | 220   | 277   | 498   | 833    | 1828   | 175  | 187   | 322   | 480   | 1164   |
| 73 | Housing and Urban Affairs                    | 3420  | 3038  | 526   | 12523  | 19507  | 3406 | 3038  | 526   | 12523 | 19493  |
| 74 | Vice President's Secretariat                 | 6     | 5     | 8     | 43     | 62     | 5    | 5     | 5     | 36    | 51     |
| 75 | Water Resources, River Development and Ganga | 1209  | 787   | 1449  | 7194   | 10639  | 895  | 691   | 807   | 3689  | 6082   |
| 76 | Women and Child Development                  | 113   | 97    | 136   | 352    | 698    | 102  | 63    | 130   | 301   | 596    |
| 77 | Youth Affairs and Sports                     | 59    | 70    | 85    | 168    | 382    | 42   | 61    | 63    | 125   | 291    |

ANNEXURE-II

## DATA ON BACKLOG RESERVED VACANCIES AS ON 31.12.2020 (01.01.2021)

Category-wise details of backlog vacancies, vacancies filled up and unfilled vacancies (as provided by the Ministries/Departments)

| S. No | Ministry/ Department    | SC        |           |          | ST        |           |          | OBC       |           |          |
|-------|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|
|       |                         | Vacancies | Filled up | unfilled | Vacancies | Filled up | unfilled | Vacancies | Filled up | unfilled |
| 1     | Defence Production      | 8847      | 6976      | 1871     | 7574      | 5880      | 1694     | 4684      | 4156      | 528      |
| 2     | Railways                | 6940      | 3582      | 4445     | 6055      | 2288      | 4405     | 9135      | 5640      | 5403     |
| 3     | Financial Services      | 968       | 294       | 674      | 1166      | 486       | 677      | 1445      | 225       | 1145     |
| 4     | Posts                   | 1452      | 408       | 1044     | 864       | 197       | 667      | 819       | 240       | 579      |
| 5     | Defence                 | 1848      | 45        | 1803     | 1189      | 22        | 1167     | 3986      | 98        | 3888     |
| 6     | Housing & Urban Affairs | 147       | 81        | 66       | 94        | 51        | 43       | 302       | 121       | 181      |
| 7     | Home Affairs            | 6393      | 1108      | 4450     | 3524      | 466       | 2821     | 6610      | 717       | 5479     |
| 8     | Atomic Energy           | 137       | 21        | 116      | 149       | 16        | 133      | 571       | 31        | 540      |
| 9     | Revenue                 | 3239      | 477       | 2762     | 2142      | 142       | 2000     | 1742      | 277       | 1465     |
| 10    | Education               | 1111      | 210       | 901      | 923       | 71        | 852      | 1721      | 227       | 1494     |

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