

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

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 288
(TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.02.2022)

NUMBER OF UNFILLED POSTS

288 DR. V. SIVADASAN:

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

- (a) the current number of unfilled Group A, C and D posts under Government of India; and
- (b) the measures taken by Government to expedite the recruitment process so that all the vacancies could be filled in time?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES
AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE
(DR. JITENDRA SINGH)**

(a): As per the Department of Expenditure, following are the number of unfilled Group A and Group C posts under Government of India as on 01.03.2020:

Posts	Unfilled
Group A	21,255
Group C	7,56,146
Group D	In pursuance of the recommendations of the 6 th Central Pay Commission, all Group 'D' posts in the Central Government have been upgraded to Group 'C' posts. Therefore, as on date, there is no Group 'D' post in the Central Government.

(b): Filling up of vacancies is a continuous process. Government issues instructions to all the Ministries /Departments from time to time for timely and advance action to fill up the unfilled posts. Latest such instructions have been issued vide Department of Personnel and Training OM No. 43014/03/2019-Estt. (B) dated 21.01.2020 and 03.06.2021.
