

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL): (a) Category-wise vacancies as on 01.04.2012 on the Zonal Railways is as under:—

Group 'C'	244098*
Erstwhile Group 'D'	7232*
	(*provisional)

(b) As per Government of India policy, 15%, 7½% and 27% posts are reserved for Schedule Caste (SC), Schedule Tribe (ST) and Other Backward Classes (OBC) respectively. The backlog vacancy of SC, ST and OBC, as on 01.04.2012 is as under:—

Category	
Group 'C'	3130
Erstwhile Group 'D'	5534

(c) Notifications for filling up of about 2 lakhs posts have already been issued, which includes vacancies reserved for SC, ST and OBC.

#### **Vacant posts of teachers**

\*38. SHRI D.P. TRIPATHI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there are a large number of vacant posts of teachers in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(c) the steps Government is taking to fill up these vacant posts?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M.M. PALLAM RAJU): (a) and (b) There is an estimated shortage of 7.34 lakh teachers under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) as on 30.09.2012. A State-wise Statement on the total number of teachers in SSA schools is given in Statement-I (*See below*).

The Centrally sponsored scheme Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA), *inter-alia* provides for appointment of additional teachers in existing Government secondary schools to improve the Pupil Teacher Ratio. Under RMSA, 40018 teachers

posts for existing secondary schools and 55974 teachers posts for new secondary schools have been sanctioned so far. The State-wise details are given in Statement-II (See below).

(c) The recruitment of teachers at elementary level is undertaken by the State Governments/UT Administrations. States/UTs have been advised to expedite the recruitment of teacher posts sanctioned under SSA, as well as teacher vacancies under the State sector. The issue has been discussed with the States in meetings with State Education Ministers, State Education Secretaries, State Project Directors and in the SSA Project Approval Board Meetings.

**Statement-I**

*The number of teachers in SSA schools*

Sl. No.	States/UTs	Teacher posts Sanctioned till 2012-13	Teacher Recruitment till 2012-13 (30.9.2012)	Vacancies under SSA (30.9.2012)	Vacancies reported under State Budget as on 31st March, 2012
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Andhra Pradesh	39189	38319	870	15379
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	7262	5226	2036	0
3.	Assam	48808	38364	10444	13757
4.	Bihar	403413	191983	211430	55464
5.	Chhattisgarh	67507	54985	12522	50766
6.	Goa	169	149	20	86
7.	Gujarat	58688	31336	27352	0
8.	Haryana	13435	6345	7090	13906
9.	Himachal Pradesh	5856	3553	2303	1009
10.	Jammu and Kashmir	43471	39739	3732	5438

1	2	3	4	5	6
11.	Jharkhand	120396	84672	35724	23656
12.	Karnataka	29055	24278	4777	15336
13.	Kerala	2925	0	2925	88
14.	Madhya Pradesh	173855	98287	75568	16244
15.	Maharashtra	42091	8522	33569	6729
16.	Manipur	2871	1544	1327	0
17.	Meghalaya	13262	14020	-758	0
18.	Mizoram	2485	1303	1182	0
19.	Nagaland	3147	590	2557	7
20.	Odisha	89901	88442	1459	23679
21.	Punjab	14090	7432	6658	19161
22.	Rajasthan	114132	94201	19931	32622
23.	Sikkim	724	223	501	0
24.	Tamil Nadu	33214	22497	10717	14495
25.	Tripura	6980	5694	1286	0
25.	Uttar Pradesh	423553	258924	164629	147593
27.	Uttarakhand	14316	5998	8318	7746
28.	West Bengal	198253	115797	82456	98473
29.	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	210	162	48	125
30.	Chandigarh	1390	785	605	109
31.	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	937	526	411	294
32.	Daman and Diu	119	95	24	145
33.	Delhi	7104	4342	2762	3006

1	2	3	4	5	6
34.	Lakshadweep	38	16	22	40
35.	Puducherry	48	36	12	552
TOTAL SSA:		1982894	1248385	734509	565905

**Statement-II**

*Progress on Teacher Recruitment in New Schools  
(2009-10, 2010-11 and 2011-12)*

Sl. No.	No of State	2009-10, 2010-11 and 2011-12 Cumulative Total of Teachers Posts Sanctioned in New Schools
1	2	3
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	209
2.	Andhra Pradesh	0
3.	Bihar	5579
4.	Chhattisgarh	9482
5.	Daman and Diu	12
6.	Gujarat	1968
7.	Haryana	348
8.	Himachal Pradesh	544
9.	Jammu and Kashmir	3682
10.	Jharkhand	1782
11.	Karnataka	2055
12.	Kerala	672
13.	Lakshadweep	31
14.	Madhya Pradesh	5664

1	2	3
15.	Meghalaya	175
16.	Manipur	830
17.	Mizoram	532
18.	Nagaland	1086
19.	Odisha	5654
20.	Puducherry	54
21.	Punjab	1192
22.	Tamil Nadu	7902
23.	Tripura	415
24.	Uttar Pradesh	4576
25.	Uttarakhand	1530
TOTAL:		55974

*Additional Teachers sanctioned since inception of the scheme*

Sl. No.	States	Total No. of Additional teachers posts sanctioned	Approval year
1.	Madhya Pradesh	9665	2011-12
2.	Maharashtra	949	-do-
3.	Rajasthan	8098	-do-
4.	Andhra Pradesh	9569	-do-
5.	Karnataka	1373	-do-
6.	Tamil Nadu	6752	-do-
7.	Haryana	3612	2012-13
TOTAL:		40018	

Originally it was 14602; Originally it was 19011.