

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS
DEPARTMENT OF POSTS**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 704
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22ND JULY, 2022**

VACANCIES OF GRAMIN DAK SEVAK

704. SHRI A. A. RAHIM:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) how many vacancies of Gramin Dak Sevak are there at present;
- (b) how many vacancies of Gramin Dak Sevak have been filled annually in the last five years; and
- (c) whether there has been any creation of new posts of Gramin Dak Sevak, if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS
(SHRI DEVUSINH CHAUHAN)**

- (a) There are 78,798 vacancies of Gramin Dak Sevaks at present.
- (b) The number of vacancies of Gramin Dak Sevaks filled annually in the last five years are as under:

Year	Number of vacancies filled up
2017	2316
2018	8424
2019	12997
2020	22254
2021	19133

- (c) Yes Sir. 5006 new posts of Gramin Dak Sevak have been created since January 2021. The details of posts created is furnished in the Annexure.

ANNEXURE

Annexure referred to in reply to Part (c) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 704 for 22.07.2022 regarding Vacancies of Gramin Dak Sevak.

SI No	Name of Postal Circles	Number of posts created		Total
		2021	2022*	
1	Andhra Pradesh	28	00	28
2	Bihar	32	328	360
3	Chhattisgarh	294	490	784
4	Jharkhand	26	358	384
5	Madhya Pradesh	00	1022	1022
6	Maharashtra	356	560	916
7	Odisha	544	00	544
8	Telangana	520	00	520
9	Uttar Pradesh	00	448	448
Total		1800	3206	5006

* Till 30.06.2022
