

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
OCEAN DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:522  
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POST OF OBCs/SCs/STs  
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**Will the Minister of OCEAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) the total number of employees in the Grades A, B, C and D in all the Departments and Undertakings of the Ministry;
- (b) the number of employees belonging to Other Backward Classes (OBC), Scheduled Tribes (ST) and Scheduled Castes (SC) out of total number of employees separately; and
- (c) the grade-wise details of employees belonging to Other Backward Classes (OBC), Scheduled Tribes (ST) and Scheduled Castes (SC) ?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT, MINISTER OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT ( DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI )

(a) The total number of officers/employees in Group A, B, C and D working in the Department of Ocean Development and its attached offices is 158. There is no Public Sector Undertaking (PSU) under the administrative control of this Department.

(b) & (c) The number of officers/employees belonging to Other Backward Classes (OBC), Scheduled Tribes (ST) and Scheduled Castes (SC) out of total number of employees in Group A, B, C and D in the Department of Ocean Development and their group wise details are as follows:

Group	Total Number	OBC	ST	SC	General
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Group A	34	-	01	04	29
Group B	38	02	05	06	25
Group C	54	03	03	13	35
Group D	32	05	01	15	11

Grand Total	158	10	10	38	100
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Reservation is not applicable for scientific and technical posts above the lowest rung of Group A. Reservation scheme is not applicable to posts filled by Deputation/Absorption or from under Flexible Complementing Scheme (FCS) which is not post based. There is no reservation for OBCs in promotion.