

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6715  
ANSWERED ON:08.05.2003  
RESERVATION IN JOBS FOR OBC  
P.D. ELANGO VAN

**Will the Minister of NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government is strictly following the reservation policy in providing jobs for the persons belonging to Other Backward Classes in the Government Departments and Autonomous Institutions as well as Attached offices, Research and Development Institutes and other PSU's coming under his Ministry in so far as the Gazetted jobs or Class I and II employments are concerned;

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

(c) the number of posts not filled so far and the reason for not filling up of some reserved posts (Class I and II in both Government Sector and Public Sector) designated for the persons belonging to Other Backward Classes; and

(d) the steps taken by the Government to fill up such vacant posts immediately?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI M. KANNAPPAN)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b),(c) & (d): There are vacant posts reserved for OBCs only in the Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency Limited, (IREDA), a Public Sector Undertaking (PSU) under the administrative control of this Ministry, the details of which are given in Annexure-I. Immediate steps for filling up these vacant posts are being taken by IREDA in accordance with the rules of the PSU.

Annexure-I.

Annexure-I referred to in reply to parts (b), (c) and (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.6715 for 8.5.2003 regarding Reservation in Jobs for OBC.

Vacant post reserved for Other Backward Classes category in IREDA

Sl.No.	Group	No.of Posts
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1	A	03
2	B	02

The posts could not be filled up as no suitable candidate was found meeting the prescribed eligibility criteria. The process to fill up the vacant post is being repeated.