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Title: Need to fill up backlog vacancies of other Backward Classes (OBC) in various Ministries.

SHRI TEJ PRATAP SINGH YADAV (MAINPURI): Even after 24 years of introduction of reservation for Other Backward Classes (OBCs) in Central Government Services, their representation is still mere 17 percent which is quite less compared to 27 percent reservation for them.

Large number of vacancies are advertised but could not be filled up for several years. Thus candidates of OBCs are deprived of opportunities for employment.

The Government has been conducting special recruitment drives from time to time for filling up backlog vacancies reserved for OBCs. But even after several such drives, Government has not been able to fill up all backlog vacancies.

Most of the Ministries have failed to submit annual progress reports regarding implementation of reservation for OBCs.

I request personal intervention of Hon'ble Prime Minister to ensure filling up of all backlog vacancies of OBCs within a time-frame.