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Sub:

Draft material reply to Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question Diary No. S1416

for 27.07.2015 regarding "Vacancy of Pro-Vice-Chancellors".

Dear Sir,

Please refer to your letter dated 21.07.2015 on the subject cited above.

As desired, the draft material reply to the aforesaid Rajya Sabha Question is enclosed herewith for further action at your end.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

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Material for reply to Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question Diary No. S1416 for 27.07.2015 regarding "Vacancy of Pro-Vice-Chancellors".

- Q. (a) Whether it is a fact that the posts of Pro-Vice-Chancellors are lying vacant in 25 percent Central Universities across the country.
- Reply: It is for UGC to respond. However, as far as the Jawaharlal Nehru University is concerned, it is to mention that the post of Pro-Vice-Chancellor has been named as 'Rector' in terms of the Statutes of the University since inception and at present no post of Pro-Vice-Chancellor (Rector) is lying vacant in the University.
- Q. (b) If so, the details thereof and since when these posts are lying vacant.
- Reply: At present in the University, Professor Sudha Pai is holding the post of Rector-I and Professor Prasenjit Sen as Rector-II
- Q. (C) The steps taken by University to fill-up the vacant posts of Pro-Vice-Chancellor and permanent teaching faculties?
- Reply: The steps taken by University to fill up the vacant posts of permanent teaching faculties:-

In addition to issuance of regular advertisement, the University has been sending the faculty advertisements to various Universities/Institutes in India for wider information as well as uploading the same on the JNU website and on UGC/MHRD portal. University has also decided to issue Rolling Advertisement to enable the prospective candidates apply throughout the year against recurring vacancies.

At present the University is holding around 8-10 Selection Committees for filling up the vacant faculty positions every month which will add to the existing strength of filled positions.

The entire process/cycle of recruitment is very methodical and every step has to be completed/fulfilled before moving into the next step. Hence, it also becomes sometimes time consuming.