

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES  
DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2775**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.08.2015**

**Vacancy of 100 posts of Directors**

2775. SHRI D. RAJA:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that more than 100 posts of independent Directors in 32 Public Sector Companies remain vacant to be filled up for a long time;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, company-wise and date of vacancy;
- (c) whether the vacant positions of Directors has been affecting the functioning of these companies, if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the measures being taken to fill up these vacancies?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI G.M. SIDDESHWARA)**

(a) to (d): There are 38 posts of Independent Directors lying vacant in 31 Public Sector Companies under the control of Department of Heavy Industry (DHI). The details of vacancies, company-wise are annexed. The Companies are functioning with the existing set of functional, independent and Government Directors. The Department has forwarded proposals for filling up the vacant posts of Independent Directors to competent authorities as per procedure.

**Details of Independent Directors in Public Sector Companies under Department of Heavy Industry.**

Sl. No.	Name of CPSEs	Vacant	Date of Vacancy / Remarks
1-2	<b>Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd / BHEL-Electricals Machines Ltd (Subsidiary)</b>	6	21.06.2012 (2 posts), 11.11.2012, 29.05.2013, 11.11.2013, 09.03.2014
3-4	<b>Andrew Yule &amp; Company Ltd / Hooghly Printing Company Ltd (Subsidiary)</b>	6	20.07.2009, 29.06.2009, 27.07.2010, 05.11.2010, 16.01.2011, 31.03.2011
5	<b>Braitwaite Burn &amp; Jessop Construction Company Ltd</b>	1	Bharat BhariUdyog Nigam Ltd merged on 10.07.2015 with BBJ.
6	<b>Bridge &amp; Roof Company Ltd</b>	2	07.10.2013, 10.07.2014
7	<b>Heavy Engineering Corporation Ltd</b>	1	Newly created posts
8	<b>Hindustan Newsprint Ltd</b>	1	08.10.2013
9	<b>Hindustan Papers Company Ltd</b>	1	16.10.2011
10	<b>NEPA Ltd</b>	1	08.08.2014
11	<b>Bharat Pumps &amp; Compressors Company Ltd</b>	0	
12	<b>Cement Corporation of India Ltd</b>	2	09.09.2013 (2 posts)
13	<b>Engineering Projects (India) Ltd</b>	2	February 2010 & May 2010.
14	<b>Hindustan Salts Ltd</b>	1	Is being filled up for the first time.
15	<b>Sambar Salts Ltd</b>	1	
16	<b>HMT (International) Ltd</b>	0	
17	<b>HMT Ltd</b>	2	Since 2010
18	<b>HMT (Machine Tools) Ltd</b>	2	Since 2010
19	<b>Instrumentation Ltd</b>	2	01.09.2014 (2 posts)
20	<b>Rajasthan Electronics &amp; Instruments Ltd</b>	2	October 2008 (2 posts)
21	<b>Richardson &amp; Cruddas Ltd</b>	2	1 Resignation submitted but not accepted so far. Second one is newly created in pursuance of Companies Act, 2013.
22	<b>Scooters India Ltd</b>	3	23.04.2008, 08.01.2010, 8.02.2010
23	<b>Nagaland Pulp &amp; Paper Company Ltd</b>	0	
24	<b>Hindustan Cables Ltd</b>		
25	<b>Hindustan Photo Films Manufacturing Company Ltd</b>		
26	<b>HMT (Bearings) Ltd</b>		
27	<b>HMT (Chinar Watches) Ltd</b>		
28	<b>HMT (Watches) Ltd</b>		
29	<b>Tungabhadra Steel Products Ltd</b>		
30	<b>Tyre Corporation of India Ltd</b>		
31	<b>TriveniStructurals Ltd</b>		
	<b>Total</b>	<b>38</b>	