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**Sub: Material for reply to Lok Sabha Provisional Admitted Question Diary No. 1599 for 26.11.2014 asked by S/Shri C.R. Chaudhary, Ravneet Singh and Arjun Charan Sethi regarding “Posts in UGC funded Colleges and Universities.”**

Sir,

Please refer to your Email dated 20.11.2014 on the subject cited above.

As desired, we forward herewith the draft material to the aforesaid Lok Sabha Provisional Admitted Question for further action at your end.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

**(Umakant Agarwal)**

Deputy Registrar (Academic)

Encl: **As above.**

CC:

* Shri V. Talreja, Section Officer, (CU), University Grants Commission--- with reference to the letter No. 26- 388/2014(CU) dated 18.11.2014.
* PS to Registrar --- For the kind information of the Registrar.

JAWAHARLAL NEHRU UNIVERSITY

NEW DELHI – 110 067

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**Q. (a) Whether the posts of teacher are vacant in the Central Universities;**

Ans. (a) Yes, the posts of teacher are vacant in Jawaharlal Nehru University.

**Q. (b) If so, the details thereof;**

Ans. (b) As far as Jawaharlal Nehru University is concerned, the present status of number vacant posts is given below:

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| **Sl. No.** | **Name of the Post** | **Vacant Posts** |
| 1. | Professor | 78 |
| 2. | Associate Professor | 114 |
| 3. | Assistant Professor | 75 |
| 4. | **Total** | **267** |

**Q. (c) Whether the educational qualification is coming in the way in filling the said vacant posts;**

Ans. (c) No, the educational qualifications are not the main reason for not filling up these vacancies. The reasons for not filling the faculty positions particularly at the level of Professor / Associate Professor i.e. in few cases they do not fulfill the teaching / research required for that particular post and in some cases they do not have the required API scores under Category–III i.e. “Research and Academic Contributions” under new UGC Regulations, 2010.

**Q. (d) If so, the details thereof; and**

Ans. (d) Not applicable.

**Q. (e) The action being taken by the Government and University Grants Commission for teaching the said issue?**

Ans. (e) **Action taken by the University for filling up the vacant posts:** The University had advertised around 370 faculty positions since November, 2011, including the recent advertisement i.e. Advt. No. RC/49/2014 (Last date for receipt of applications is 29th December, 2014). The University had selected around 157 candidates, as on date and had re-advertised around 125 faculty positions.

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