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Q8(a)

**The decision to conduct Population Census-2027 has reopened the debate on consultation in India. Discuss its various aspects**

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2025 · PSIR GS 1 · 20 marks · Political Theory

Political Theory: meaning and approaches.

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**Census delay**

The 2021 **Census** was postponed; the Union later scheduled the next census exercise around 2026-27, popularly discussed as **Census 2027**.

**Delimitation freeze**

Territorial seats in the Lok Sabha were frozen with reference to the first census after 2026, which is why this census is constitutionally charged.

**106th Amendment**

Women's reservation in the Lok Sabha and state assemblies is to take effect after delimitation following a census, linking gender quotas to this count.

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