#### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING)

# **RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3144** (TO BE ANSWERED ON 22.03.2018)

# SCAM IN CGL EXAMINATION OF SSC

# 3144. SHRI NEERAJ SHEKHAR: SHRI RAVI PRAKASH VERMA: SHRI DILIP KUMAR TIRKEY:

Will the **PRIME MINISTER** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the scam in Staff Selection Commission (SSC) Combined Graduate Level (CGL) examination has been reported;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Government has inquired into the alleged paper leak and has fixed responsibility in this regard;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons for protecting the corrupts and playing with the future of youths?

#### ANSWER

### MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH)

(a) to (e) : There was no scam or leakage of question papers in the Combined Graduate Level (CGL) Examination, 2017. In view of some sporadic incidents of alleged cheating by some candidates at a few venues and subsequent agitation by a section of the candidates, the Commission in order to reiterate and reaffirm the faith of the candidates in the examination process recommended for an impartial enquiry by CBI. Accepting the recommendation of the Commission, Government has referred the matter to CBI for a free and fair enquiry. CBI has registered a Preliminary Enquiry on 8/3/2018.

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