

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 186
ANSWERED ON 24.07.2024

Exams conducted by NTA

186. SHRI A. A. RAHIM:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of exams conducted by NTA during the last five years; and
- (b) the details of agencies contracted by NTA which have been blacklisted in the past?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR)**

- (a) The detail of exams conducted by NTA during the last five years is enclosed as **Annexure**.
- (b) As informed by the NTA, work is awarded to different agencies in accordance with the terms and conditions as specified in the Work Order/Agreement/Tender Document. Blacklisted firms are not eligible to apply in NTA.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO PART (A) OF THE REPLY OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 186 ANSWERED ON 24.07.2024 ASKED BY SHRI A. A. RAHIM, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING "EXAMS CONDUCTED BY NTA"

The details of various exams conducted by NTA since December 2019 are as under:

Year	Mode of Examinations	No. of Examinations	No. of Registered/ Scheduled Candidates
2019	CBT	22	53,52,852
	Pen & Paper	1	15,29,246
	Total	23	68,82,098
2020	CBT	23	42,44,102
	IBT	9	25,973
	Pen & Paper	3	16,09,863
	Total	35	58,79,938
2021	CBT	33	52,06,556
	CBT + Hybrid + Pen & Paper	1	15,416
	IBT	7	3,18,914
	Pen & Paper	3	17,71,503
	RP-OBT	1	16,021
	Total	45	73,28,410
2022	CBT	33	75,49,697
	CBT + Hybrid + Pen & Paper	2	1,32,836
	IBT	6	2,43,363
	Pen & Paper	3	31,47,410
	Total	44	1,10,73,306
2023	CBT	57	96,69,432
	Pen & Paper	6	36,73,820
	English Shorthand Test + Typing	3	8,289
	Total	66	1,33,51,541
2024	CBT	12	33,40,785
	CBT + Hybrid + Pen & Paper	4	14,70,086
	English Shorthand Test	2	3,779
	Interview + Pen & Paper (Descriptive) + Typing Test	7	23,007
	Pen & Paper	3	37,21,438
	RP-OBT	1	18,910
	Total	29	85,78,005
GRAND TOTAL		242	5,30,93,298