## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE LOK SABHA

## **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4842**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 16<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2016

## RECRUITMENT FOR CIVILIAN POSTS IN GRRC

4842. SHRI MANSHANKAR NINAMA: SHRI BHARAT SINGH:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE j{kk ea=h

be pleased to refer to reply given to Unstarred Question No. 4537 dated 12 August, 2016 regarding Recruitment of Civilian Posts in GRRC and state:

- (a) whether cases of corruption and arrests of officers and officials serving in Garhwal Rifles Regimental Centre (GRRC), Lansdowne have come to the notice of the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the GRRC has conducted a skill test in shorthand as mandated under the Recruitment Rules, which was not held in March, 2016; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the result of the same?

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MINISTER OF STATE

(DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE)

IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

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- (a) & (b): Yes, Madam. An official of Garhwal Rifles Regimental Centre (GRRC) was arrested by CBI officials on the charge of demanding and accepting a bribe from another official of GRRC for adjusting some amount against his Sixth Pay Commission arrears. The individual was immediately put under suspension and is still under CBI custody.
- (c) & (d): The shorthand test was conducted as per the existing Recruitment Rules on 7<sup>th</sup> October, 2016. Fresh Call letters were sent to all the 17 candidates who had initially appeared in the written test. A total of 12 candidates appeared and none of them qualified in the skill test. Accordingly, the vacancies of Steno, Grade-II at the GRRC could not be filled.

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