

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

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2618**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 17<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2017  
**NATIONAL CADET CORPS**

2618. SHRI J.C. DIVAKAR REDDY:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE please be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has taken any decision to allow Muslim students in National Cadet Corps (NCC) to sport beard on the lines of exemption given to the Sikh community; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

**A N S W E R**

MINISTER OF STATE  
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

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(DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE)

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- (a) **No, Madam.**
- (b) **Does not arise in view of (a) above.**

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