

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3325
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.08.2023**

NON-TECHNICAL CATEGORY EXAMINATION

**† 3325. SHRIMATI BHAVANA PUNDALIKRAO GAWALI:
SHRI KRUPAL BALAJI TUMANE:**

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Railway Recruitment Boards (RRBs) functioning in the country and the number of vacancies in Railways at present, zone-wise;**
- (b) the number of examinations conducted by RRBs during each of the last five years and the number of candidates selected and recruited therein;**
- (c) whether the RRB has recently conducted non-technical category examination;**
- (d) if so, whether the result of the examination has been declared;**
- (e) if so, whether the candidates who appeared in the examination have expressed any concern after the declaration of the result;**
- (f) if so, whether the Government has appointed any committee to resolve the issues raised by the candidates;**
- (g) if so, the details thereof and if not, whether the Government has resolved the issue of the candidates; and**
- (h) if not, the time by which the issues raised by the candidates are likely to be resolved and appointments are likely to be made in a time bound manner?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) to (h): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (h) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3325 BY SHRIMATI BHAVANA PUNDALIKRAO GAWALI & SHRI KRUPAL BALAJI TUMANE TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 09.08.2023 REGARDING NON- TECHNICAL CATEGORY EXAMINATION

(a): At present there are 21 Railway Recruitment Boards (RRBs) located all over the country. The zone-wise details of number of Non-gazetted Group 'C' (including Level- 1) vacancies as on 01.07.2023 is as under:

Name of Zonal Railway	Vacancy*
Central	25281
East Central	12812
East Coast	8114
Eastern	29869
Metro	993
North Central	15962
North Eastern	12830
Northeast Frontier	12365
Northern	32468
North Western	9813
South Central	10338
South East Central	7796
South Eastern	13432
Southern	15240
South Western	4843
West Central	11142
Western	25597
Production Units & other units	12338
TOTAL	261233

***Provisional.**

(b) to (h): The details of the Seven Centralized Employment Notifications (CENs) released by Railway Recruitment Boards (RRBs) during last five years are as follows:

Year	CEN & Name of Post	Date of Notification	Number of Vacancy	Present status of recruitment
2017-2018	01/2018 Assistant Loco Pilot (ALP) & Technicians	03.02.2018	64371	Recruitment Process completed.
	02/2018 Level-1 (erstwhile Group 'D')	10.02.2018	63202	Recruitment Process completed.
2018-2019	03/2018 Junior Engineer (JE)/ Depot Material Superintendent (DMS)/ Chemical & Metallurgical Assistant (CMA)	29.12.2018	13538	Recruitment Process completed.
	02/2019 Para-medical categories	23.02.2019	1923	Recruitment Process completed.
	03/2019 Isolated & Ministerial categories	23.02.2019	1663	Recruitment Process completed.
	01/2019 Non Technical Popular Categories (NTPC)- Graduate & Under Graduate level	28.02.2019	35281	Recruitment Process completed.
	RRC-01/2019 Level-1 (erstwhile Group 'D')	23.02.2019	103769	Recruitment Process completed.

During last five years and current year (i.e. 2023-2024 upto 30.06.2023), 2,80,395 (Provisional) candidates have been empanelled against various Group 'C' posts (including Level 1).

The final result of Non Technical Popular Categories (NTPC)- Graduate & Under Graduate level has been declared without any major concern. Process of empanelment has also been completed by Railway Recruitment Boards.
