

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4578  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 30.03.2022**

**CBT FOR GRADUATES/NON-GRADUATES**

**4578. SHRI N. REDDEPPA:**

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether there is a common Computer Based Test (CBT) for both graduates and 10+2 candidates for Railway recruitment Board (RRB) exams;**
- (b) if so, whether this constitutes an unfair advantage to 10+2 students;**
- (c) if so, the facts thereof;**
- (d) whether there has been an increase in the number of students appearing for the second stage of the examination in proportion to the total vacancies and if so, the details thereof;**
- (e) the time when this change has been introduced along with the reasons thereof;**
- (f) whether the second stage of the CBT is likely to be conducted only after the high powered committee makes a decision; and**
- (g) if so, the details thereof including the estimated timeline for the same and if not, the reasons therefor?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)**

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

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (g) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4578 BY SHRI N. REDDEPPA TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 30.03.2022 REGARDING CBT FOR GRADUATES/NON-GRADUATES**

**(a): 1<sup>st</sup> Stage Computer Based Test (CBT) has been made common for Graduates and 10+2 pass vacancies for Centralized Employment Notification (CEN) No. 01/2019.**

**(b): No, Sir.**

**(c): Does not arise.**

**(d) to (g): A Committee has been constituted to redress the concerns raised by candidates. The Committee has given its report which has been accepted. A notice containing decisions taken by the Committee and schedule for declaring revised result for all Pay Levels & of 2<sup>nd</sup> Stage CBT has been uploaded on official websites of Railway Recruitment Boards (RRBs) on 10.03.2022.**

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