

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.642  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.12.2015**

**SCAM IN SUPPLY OF PACKAGED DRINKING WATER**

**642. SHRI GAURAV GOGOI:  
SHRI P.R. SUNDARAM:  
SHRI DALPAT SINGH PARASTE:  
SHRI SULTAN AHMED:  
SHRI BHARAT SINGH:  
SHRI R. DHRUVA NARAYANA:  
SHRI VIJAY KUMAR HANSDAK:**

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

- (a) whether the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) has busted a scam on Rail Neer worth crores of rupees and if so, the details thereof;**
- (b) number of firms booked and officials of Railways identified for involvement in the scam;**
- (c) the action taken or being taken against those firms and officials;**
- (d) whether Railways is considering to review all its outsourced services/catering contracts in view of rampant corruption therein; and**
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken or being taken by Railways to arrest such scams in future?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
( SHRI MANOJ SINHA )**

**(a) to (e): Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) has registered a case against two railway officials and eight private caterers under the**

**Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 regarding the supply of packaged drinking water other than the prescribed 'Rail Neer' in Rajdhani/Shatabdi trains in Northern Railway. The identified officers have been placed under suspension.**

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