

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1880**  
**ANSWERED ON 04.08.2023**

**PRIVATE INVESTMENT WITHIN RAILWAY SECTOR**

**1880 SHRI DEREK O' BRIEN:**

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the share of private investment within all sections across operations and technical teams in the Railway sector;
- (b) the share of private staff recruited within all section across operations and technical teams in the Railway sector between 2018-2023; and
- (c) detailed salary and tenure of employment of private staffs recruited within all sections across operations and technical teams in the railway sector between 2018-2023?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND  
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) to (c): Apart from Ministry of Railways (MoR), Rail sector comprises of several Government and Private enterprises, companies/vendors/ suppliers/contractors who undertake procurement, construction and maintenance of various goods and services related to Railways. No data of such organizations/enterprises is maintained by MoR as to their private investments, recruitment of private staff, their terms & conditions of employment.

Indian Railways (IR) has not transferred any of its core activities including operation to private enterprise.

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