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CO-1 Director (General) MHA
D.O. No: 2456
Date: 18/10/2013

Sh V K Rajan,
Deputy Secretary (Establishment) & CPIO
Room No.17, Ministry of Home Affairs,
North Block, New Delhi-110001

Sub: Application seeking information under RTI Act, 2005 -

Sir,

It is understood that the information relating following issues already exists, and I am seeking factual information about the issues that directly impact me therefore, the same is requested to be provided under the provisions of RTI Act, 2005.

Admin. Div.

- 1) Copy of the Orders of posting of Sh D R S Chowdhary IAS (MP:1977), (recently retired as Secretary, Ministry of Steel, GoI) as Additional Secretary in the Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) be provided.
- 2) Copy of the Orders issued by MHA in respect of Sh D R S Chowdhary assigning the charge of:
 - a. Naxal Management; and
 - b. Union Territories Division

together with relevant extracts of file noting bearing the approval of Competent Authority in respect of the abovesaid Orders

Admin. Div.

- 3) Copy of the Orders issued by MHA divesting So D R S Chowdhary of the Union Territories Division along with file noting bearing the approval of Competent Authority with regard to the same.

- 4) Copy of the "Transfer Policy", if any, for transferring the All India Service officers especially IAS officers borne on UT Cadre may please be provided.

- 5) Copy of the Orders by Competent Authority in MHA prescribing "mandatory period of posting" for any posts manned by IAS officers in the Union Territories? If so, documentary evidence, if any, may please be provided.

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- 6) Copy of the Orders issued by MHA giving fixed tenures to posts held by IAS officers in the Union Territories may please be provided.

- 7) Copy of the Orders, if any issued by the Competent Authority in MHA delegating the powers to Sh D R S Chowdhary, the then Additional Secretary in charge of UT Division for transferring IAS officers borne on UT cadre may please be provided.

- 8) Copy of any File Noting made by Sh D R S Chowdhary, either suo motu or at the behest of any VIP reference, or any specific input given by him while "processing" the files relating to transfer of any IAS Officer during his tenure as Additional Secretary of UT Division.

- 9) Copy of the Orders issued by the Competent Authority delegating the powers of transfers of All India Services Officers to the Joint Secretary in charge of UT Division.

- 10) The level at which the decision is taken for transfer of an Administrator of an Union Territory and the process involved in the same, may please be provided.

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11) Copy of the Orders issued by MHA for posting Sh Satya Gopal, IAS, as Administrator of Daman, Diu and Nagar Haveli, be provided together with relevant File Noting bearing the approval of the Competent Authority, including the decision granting him mandatory period/fixed tenure in the aforesaid assignment.

12) Copy of the Orders issued by MHA transferring Sh Satya Gopal, IAS, together with relevant File Noting bearing the approval of the Competent Authority, from the post of Administrator of Daman, Diu and Nagar Haveli may please be provided.

13) Copies of the written complaints/representations given by Sh Natubhai, Member of Parliament, Silvassa, to the then Home Minister, the then Home Secretary and Sh D R S Chowdhary, the then Additional Secretary, against Sh Satya Gopal, IAS, during his tenure as Administrator of Daman, Diu and Nagar Haveli, together with the File Noting and action taken in respect of the complaints may please be provided.

14) Copy of the extracts of the relevant file noting bearing the proposal to initiate transfer of Sh Satya Gopal, IAS, the then Administrator by Sh D R S Chowdhary, the then Additional Secretary, MHA may please be provided.

Police Div. { 15) Copy of the listing of all "Official Dinners" held at BSF Mess, Hazrat Nizamuddin on the occasion of retirement of officials of Home Ministry during the period from March 2009 to May 2010.

Ad. Div. { 16) Copy of the Orders issued by MHA delegating the powers to Additional Secretaries to write the Annual Confidential Report (ACR) of Joint Secretaries working under them as well as delegating powers of imposing any penalty, including "reprimand" on the Joint Secretaries working under the Additional Secretary under the provisions of AIS (Conduct) Rules, 1968, by MHA.

N M Div { 17) Copy of the File Noting recorded by Sh D R S Chowdhary, the then Additional Secretary seeking a report from the Intelligence Bureau (IB) and a copy of the IB Report obtained by Sh D R S Chowdhary, the then Additional Secretary regarding the arrest and release of Sh Sacchinand Sinha, a naxalite, allegedly at the behest of Sh Satya Gopal, the then Administrator of Daman, Diu and Nagar Haveli.

Protocol Sec. MHA (Adm. Div) { 18) Copy of the Tour Programme of the then Home Minister, circulated to Additional Secretary/Joint Secretary in UT Division or any Additional Secretary/Joint Secretary within the MHA may please be provided. And also a copy of any Tour Programme circulated to Joint Secretary (UT) by present Home Minister may please be provided.

I have enclosed herewith an IPO bearing no: 13F 787079 dated 15-10-2013 towards the applicable fee and further undertake to pay any additional amount, if any, towards the administrative charges for providing the above sought information/record. It is requested to provide the above information/record under the provisions of RTI Act, 2005 within the prescribed time frame.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

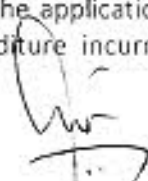
Sd/-

(O.RAVI)

Dated: 15-10-2013

O Ravi, IAS (G): 1983)
D-1/158, Satya Marg,
Chanakyapuri,
New Delhi 110 021

NB: Since most of the information sought falls within the domain of Union Territories Division, MHA, a copy of this application is also forwarded to Sh. Anuj Sharma, Director , UT (Services) and CPIO for providing the information to the undersigned either directly or through, Deputy Secretary (Establishment) & CPIO. I also enclose an IPO bearing No. 13F 787474 towards the application fee and further undertake to pay additional amount, if any, towards the expenditure incurred in furnishing the above sought information.


(O. Ravi)

Dt: 17-10-2013

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F. No. 14039/78/2013-UTS.I
Government of India
Ministry of Home Affairs

North Block, New Delhi-110001
Dated the 14th November, 2013

To
O Ravi, IAS,(GJ: 1983)
D-I/158, Satya Marg, Chanakyapuri,
New Delhi-110 021

Sub: Application under RTI Act, 2005-Regarding

Sir,

With reference to your application dated 17.10.2013, the reply of points pertaining to UTS-I section MHA (i.e. 4 to 14) are as under:

- Point No 4, 5 & 6:- Criteria/guidelines for transfer/posting of IAS/IPS of Joint AGMU cadre is available on the website of MHA (www.mah.nic.in) which can be directly accessed by following the link http://mha1.nic.in/AGMU_CivilList/UT-T-Guid-061113.pdf
- Point No 7 & 9: No such information is available with UTS.I section. However, the application is transferred to CPIO, Administration Division, MHA.
- Point No 10: The applicant may refer to Para 9(i) of the Guidelines for Transfer/Posting of IAS/IPS which may be directly accessed by following the link http://mha1.nic.in/AGMU_CivilList/UT-T-Guid-061113.pdf.
- Point no 8, 11, 12,13 & 14: The copies of the relevant Information sought can be provided after receiving a payment of Rs 56.00 (28 pages @ Rs 2/page) only, in favour of Pay & Accounts officer, MHA.

2. For providing relevant information on other points i.e. point no 1, 2, 3,15,16,17 & 18, the RTI application is being transferred to concerned CPIO/section

3. The name & designation of 1st Appellate Authority is as follows:-

Shri Iqbal Sing Chahal
Joint Secretary (UT)
Ministry of Home Affairs
North Block, New Delhi-110001

Yours faithfully,

(Anuj Sharma)
Director (S) and CPIO
Tel: 2309 -2438

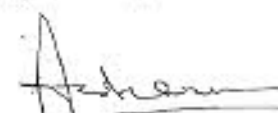
Copy of RTI application is transferred under 6(3) of the RTI Act 2005 to:

1. CPIO/Director Administration, MHA for providing reply on points (1 to 3),7,9 & 16),
2. CPIO/Director Police, MHA for providing reply on point 15
3. CPIO/Director(NM),MHA for providing reply on point 17
4. CPIO/Protocol Section ,MHA for providing reply on point 18

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(Anuj Sharma)
Director (S) and CPIO

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