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No. 24/230/2014-Public  
Government of India / Bharat Sarkar  
Ministry of Home Affairs / GrihMantralaya  
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North Block, New Delhi.  
Dated 30-7-2014

ORDER

Subject: First appeal under Right to Information Act, 2005.

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Whereas Shri P. C. Srivastava had sent an application dated 01.04.2014, received on 20.05.2014 seeking information under Right to Information Act, 2005.

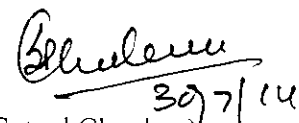
2. Whereas the CPIO had sent a point wise reply vide letter number 24/230/2014-Public dated 11.06.2014.

3. Whereas Shri Srivastava has sent an appeal dated 21.06.2014, (received on 24.06.2014) stating that the information provided by the CPIO is vague and incorrect and also the copy of the achievements of Shri Pravin H. Parekh was not enclosed.

4. The appeal was examined and it is found that the reply provided by the CPIO is correct. However a copy of the achievements of Shri Pravin H. Parekh is enclosed herewith.

5. The Appeal is disposed of accordingly. The appeal is being disposed of after 30 days due to exigency of work but within 45 days in accordance with section 19(6) of the Right to Information Act, 2005.

Encl: A copy of citation of Shri Pravin H. Parekh.



(Satpal Chouhan)

Joint Secretary (Admn.)  
& Appellate Authority  
Tel. No.: 2309 3178

Shri P. C. Srivastava,  
A-3/3, Vasant Vihar,  
New Delhi-110057.

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SO (IT) alongwith copy of appeal for uploading on the website of this Ministry.

**P. C. Srivastava**

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BEFORE SHRI SATPAL CHOUHAN, JOINT SECRETARY (ADMIN.),  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS, NORTH BLOCK, NEW DELHI

**FIRST APPEAL No. Of 2014**

HUMBLE APPEAL ON BEHALF OF APPELLANT UNDER  
SECTION 19(1) OF THE RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT,  
2005 AND RULES THEREOF

AND

In the matter of:

P. C. Srivastava,  
S/o Late Laljee Srivastava,  
R/o A3/3, Vasant Vihar,  
New Delhi- 110057

.....APPELLANT

VERSUS

Shyamala Mohan,  
Director & CPIO,  
Ministry of Home Affairs,  
North Block, New Delhi

.....RESPONDENT

Most Respectfully Showeth:

1. This appeal is preferred against the communication sent to appellant by the respondent vide letter No. 24/230/2014-Public, dated 11.6.2014 by which he given vague reply which amounts to denial of providing information sought under Section 7 of RTI Act.

2. That the appellant sought 5 information from the office of then Home Minister, GOI relating to Padma Shree Award conferred to one Mr. Praveen H. Parekh, Sr. Advocate. **Copy Annexed**

3. That as per the information of the appellant on the basis of manipulation the name of Mr. Praveen H. Parekh, Sr. Advocate was included in last hour because of his closeness with Her Excellency Mrs. Pratibha Patil, the said Padma Shree Award is conferred to him by misusing the process of law.

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4. That no necessary report was obtained regarding his antecedent from the agencies of GOI.
5. That the appellant is aggrieved by ~~the~~ <sup>& dissatisfied</sup> with the communication sent to appellant by the respondent vide letter No. 24/230/2014-Public, dated 11.6.2014 which is purported to be decision under RTI, the said communication itself reflects the vagueness and incorrectness of the reply. **Copy Annexed**
6. That in response no.1 it was incumbent upon the respondent to mention the name of specific agency and date and letter number of its report, so that it may be ascertained that the said agency is duly notified under Section 24 of the RTI Act.
7. That in response no.4 it is mentioned that "Copy of the achievements of Shri Pravin H. Parekh is enclosed" it is submitted that with the letter No. 24/230/2014-Public, dated 11.6.2014 no copy of achievements is provided to this appellant, this conduct of the respondent proves that he concealed the relevant information and denied the information sought by the appellant under collusion and connivance with Mr. Parekh, who illegally obtained the Padma Shree Award.
8. This appeal is within time and having substance and fit to be allowed in the facts and circumstances referred to above.

**PRAYER**

It is therefore prayed that your honour may graciously be pleased to admit this appeal, call for the relevant records and after hearing the parties allow the same in the ends of justice.

The appellant is duty bound for your act of kindness.

Dated: 21.6.2014  
New Delhi

  
(P. C. Srivastava)

21-06-2014

No. 24 230 2014-Public  
Government of India/ Bharat Sarkar  
Ministry of Home Affairs/ Grih Mantralaya

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North Block, New Delhi,  
Dated the 11/05/2014

To,


Shri P. C. Srivastava,  
A-3/3, Vasant Vihar,  
New Delhi-110057.

Subject: Information under Right to Information Act, 2005.

Please refer to your application dated 1.4.2014, received by the undersigned on 20.05.2014 under the Right to Information Act, 2005. The information sought by you is as under:

SI No.	Response
1.	Reports of character and antecedents of the persons on whom Padma Awards is to be conferred are obtained from the premier investigating agencies of the country. The same process was also done in case of Shri Pravin H. Parekh. Copy of the said reports are Secret by Nature. Hence it cannot be provided under Section 24(1) of the RTI Act, 2005.
2.	In view of point 1 above, does not arise.
3.	No.
4.	Copy of the achievements of Shri Pravin H. Parekh is enclosed herewith.
5.	No.

2. Appeal if any, may be made under Section 19(1) of the RTI Act to Shri Satpal Chouhan, Joint Secretary (Admn.), Room no. 194, Ministry of Home Affairs, North Block, New Delhi-110001, the Appellate Authority, within 30 days.

  
(Shyamala Mohan)  
Director & CPIO

**P.C. Srivastava**

Advocate  
Supreme Court of India  
To

Mr. Sushil Kumar Shinde,  
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1-4-2014

Subject: Information sought under R.T.I. Act, 2005

Ref: Padam Shree Award conferred to Pravin H. Parekh, Sr. Advocate,  
New Delhi in the year 2012-13.

Sir,

Undersigned is seeking information as per the provision of R.T.I. Act,  
2005 which are as follows:

1. Whether for conferring the Padam Shree Award to Pravin H. Parekh, Sr. Advocate, New Delhi, the Home Ministry, Govt. of India had sought report from the Intelligence Bureau, C.B.I., Income Tax and Department of Enforcement, if yes then the copies of said reports may be furnished to me.
2. If not why the Ministry of Home Affairs conferred the National Award i.e. Padam Shree to Pravin H. Parekh, Sr. Advocate, New Delhi.
3. Whether the reports was sought from Hon'ble Chief Justice of India, Supreme Court Bar Association and Bar Council regarding his character, conduct and his activities.



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4. If above noted reports were not sought then basis/grounds and grounds for conferring Padam Shree Award to Pravin H. Parekh, Sr. Advocate, New Delhi may be provided to me.

5. Is it correct that the Former President Hon'ble Mrs. Pratibha Patil had included the name of Pravin H. Parekh on eleventh hour in the list of Padma Awardees.

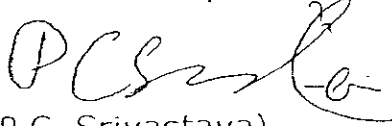
The purpose to seek this information to expose the persons/lawyers who charging exorbitant fees in the name of Padma Awardee.

I wish to expose such persons/lawyers who are influencing the Judicial System of this Country, when I hold public demonstration and gherao of Hon'ble Supreme Court shortly to expose large scale corruption in the Indian judicial system.

A postal order valued Rs.10/, number 13F 860005 is enclosed herewith.

Thanking you,

Yours Sincerely

  
(P.C. Srivastava)

