

F.No. A-50020/16/2014-Ad.VII
Ministry of Home Affairs
Government of India

North Block, New Delhi
Dated the 30th June, 2014

To,


Shri R.K. Jain,
1512-B, Bhishma Pitamah Marg,
Wazir Nagar,
New Delhi-110003.

Subject:- Information sought under the Right to Information Act, 2005.

Please refer to your application dated 11.04.2014 under the RTI Act, 2005, received by me on 26.05.2014, wherein you have sought information about the action taken by this Ministry on proactive disclosure of information as per guideline issued by DoP&T vide its O.M. No.1/6/2011-IR dated 15.04.2013 and 10.12.2013. The point-wise reply of the information sought is as under:-

Information sought	Reply
A	No such file is maintained in the sections that come under the control of undersigned concerning with proactive disclosure under Section 4 of the RTI Act, 2005. However, the information relating to Bharat Ratna Awards, Padma Awards and Jeevan Raksha Padak Series of Awards is already available in the website of this Ministry and the same is updated from time to time. All the Acts, Rules regulating the use of the Indian National Flag, State Emblem of India and National Anthem are also available in the website of this Ministry.
B & C	However, a visit to the website would prove that we have started uploading of replies and applications filed under the RTI Act, 2005 in the website of this Ministry. A copy of the Note sheet of the file where the present RTI application has been dealt is enclosed.

2. The Appellate Authority in this regard is Shri Satpal Chouhan, Joint Secretary (Admn.), Ministry of Home Affairs, North Block, New Delhi.


(Srinivas Pradhan)
Deputy Secretary(A&CPIO)
Tele:23094790

Ministry of Home Affairs
Ad.VII Section

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Subject: Information sought by Shri R.K. Jain under the RTI Act, 2005.

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PUC is an OM dated 21st May, 2014 received from Ad-II Section, MHA requesting to furnish the requisite information in respect of following Points:-

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Point	Question	Reply
(A)	<p>The proactive disclosure of information by Ministry of Home Affairs on its website is neither complete nor upto date as per the requirement of the Section 4 of RTI Act, 2005 read with guidelines issue under DoPT O.M. No.1/6/2011-IR, dated 15.04.2013 and 10.12.2013. Even the Hindi version is not operational and most of the menus & submenus/hyperlinks are without any data though displayed on the home page. The Ministry of Home Affairs is liable for penal action in this regard as per Section 18 of the RTI Act read with Delhi High Court decision in the case of DDA v. CIC. You are advised to comply with the provisions of section 4 within a week failing which the Applicant shall file a complaint under section 18 of the RTI against the concerned officials of Ministry of Home Affairs. In this respect, please also provide the following information:-</p> <p>(i) Please provide the file Numbers in which the proactive disclosure by Ministry of Home Affairs under Section 4 of the RTI Act is dealt with. Please provide the number of Note sheets and number of correspondence pages contained in each file. Please provide certified copies of the Note sheets of the said file from 01.01.2013 till the date of providing the information.</p> <p>(ii) Please provide the name of the officers with designations who are responsible for making voluntary disclosure under section of the RTI Act from 01.01.2009 till the date of providing the information and also provide the details of actions taken against them for violation of provisions of section 4 of the RTI Act.</p>	<p>No such file is maintained in the sections that come under the control of undersigned concerning with proactive disclosure under Section 4 of the RTI Act, 2005. However, the information relating to Bharat Ratna Awards, Padma Awards and Jeevan Raksha Padak Series of Awards is already available in the website of this Ministry and the same is updated from time to time. All the Acts, Rules regulating the use of the Indian National Flag, State Emblem of India and National Anthem are also available in the website of this Ministry.</p>

(B)	Please provide list of files from which the information as sought above is provided by you.	However, a visit to the website would prove that we have started uploading of replies and applications filed under the RTI Act, 2005 in the website of this Ministry. A copy of the Note sheet of the file where the present RTI application has been dealt is enclosed.
(C)	Please provide copies of all note sheets and correspondence pages of the RTI file in which this application has been dealt with, till the date of providing the information. In case of correspondence emanating from me, only copy of first page of each document may be provided.	

2. This information is sought by Shri R.K. Jain under the Right to information Act, 2005.

3. We had requested all the Sections (Ad.V, Public & Vigilance Section), under the Administrative control of Director (A&V)/CPIO to furnish the requisite information if any, for onward transmission to the applicant. All the Sections have furnished the above mentioned information. If approved, we may send the same to the applicant, as per DFA.

Shankar
30-06-2014

US (Vigilance)

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DS(A)/CPIO

NSCA(V)/Vigilance

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Government of India/भारत सरकार
Ministry of Home Affairs/गृह मंत्रालय

North Block, New Delhi
Dated 11 May, 2014.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Information sought under the Right to Information Act, 2005.

Please refer to your application dated 11/4/2014 under the RTI Act, 2005 (received in this Ministry on 17.4.2014) wherein you have sought information about the action taken by this Ministry on proactive disclosure of information as per guidelines issued by DOPT O.M. No.1/6/2011-IR dated 15.4.2013 and 10.12.2013. The point wise reply of the information sought is as under:

Information sought	Reply
(A)	The matter has been informed to Director(OL) and US(Coord.II) to rectify the Hindi website. Copy of O.M. of even No. dated 09.05.2014 is enclosed.
(A) (i) & (ii)	The guidelines issued by DOPT was circulated among the CPIOs of this Ministry vide this Section's O.M. A-43020/38/2012-RTI(Part) dated 20 th February, 2014 for taking suo motu disclosure under Section 4 of RTI Act,2005 and to ensure compliance based on these guidelines. Copies of the relevant noting and the O.M. dated 20.2.2014 are enclosed herewith for information. As per letter dated 20.2.2014 "all the CPIOs are required to undertake suo motu disclosure under Section 4 of the RTI Act, 2005 and to ensure compliance based on these guidelines." Further, instructions have been issued by RTI Cell vide O.M.No.43020/16/2014/RTI dated 06/05/2014 to all CPIOs to follow DoPT guidelines dated 15/4/2014(Copy enclosed). Name of CPIOs are available in MHA website www.mha.nic.in .
(B) & (C)	Your present application is also being forwarded to all CPIOs of this Ministry with the request to provide the action taken by them on proactive disclosure of information as per DOPT guidelines to you directly.

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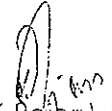
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The Appellate Authority in this regard is Shri Satpal Chaudhary, Joint Secretary(Admn.), MHA, North Block, New Delhi.

Encl: As Above

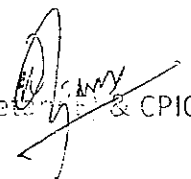

(V.K. Rajan)

Dy. Secretary (E. & CPIO)

To
Shri R.K.Jain,
1512-B, Bhishma Pitamah Marg,
Wazir Nagar,
New Delhi-110003.

Copy to:

1. All CPIOs in the Ministry of Home Affairs(P).(As per list attached). They are requested to provide information in respect of "C" of the RTI application dated 11.04.2014 to the applicant directly.
2. SO(IT Cell) for uploading of RTI application, appeal and reply under the concerned Appellate Authority with search facility based on key words in the MHA website under the heading RTI Act- Information under 4(1)(b) of the Act.


Dy. Secretary (E. & CPIO)

Application under Section 6 of the Right to Information Act, 2005

Ref. No. :RTI/P-402/8056/14

Dated : 11-4-2014

To

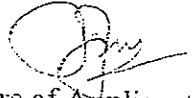
Central Public Information Officer
Ministry of Home Affairs
Govt. of India
North Block
New Delhi - 110001

1.	Name of the Applicant	R.K. Jain
2.	Address	1512-B, Bhishm Pitamah Marg Wazir Nagar New Delhi-110003
	(b) Phone Nos.	09810077977, 011-24651101, 011-24690707
	(c) Fax No.	011-24635243
3.	Whether a Citizen of India	Yes
4.	Particulars of Information	
	Details of information required	(A) The proactive disclosure of information by Ministry of Home Affairs on its website is neither complete nor upto date as per the requirement of the Section 4 of the RTI Act, 2005 read with guidelines issue under DoPT O.M. No. 1/6/2011-IR, dated 15-04-2013 and 10-12-2013. Even the Hindi version is not operational and most of the menus & submenus/hyperlinks are without any data though displayed on the home page. The Ministry of Home Affairs is liable for penal action in this regard as per Section 18 of the RTI Act read with Delhi High Court decision in the case of DDA v. CIC. You are advised to comply with the provisions of section 4 within a week failing which the Applicant shall file a complaint under section 18 of the RTI against the concerned officials of Ministry of Home Affairs. In this respect, please also provide the following information : - (i) Please provide the file Numbers in which the proactive disclosure by Ministry of Home Affairs under Section 4 of the RTI Act is dealt with. Please provide the number of Notesheets and number of correspondence pages contained in each file. Please provide certified copies of the Notesheets of the said file form 01-01-2013 till the date of providing the information.

		<p>(ii) Please provide the name of the officers with designations who are responsible for making voluntary disclosure under section 4 of the RTI Act from 01-01-2009 till the date of providing the information and also provide the details of actions taken against them for violation of provisions of section 4 of the RTI Act.</p> <p>(B) Please provide list of files from which the information as sought above is provided by you</p> <p>(C) Please provide copies of all note sheets and correspondence pages of the RTI file in which this application has been dealt with, till the date of providing the information. In case of correspondence emanating from me, only copy of first page of each document may be provided.</p> <p>Note:-Please provide pointwise information/ response for each of above points.</p>
5.	I state that the information sought is covered under RTI Act and does not fall within the exemptions contained in sections 8 or 9 or any other provisions of the Right to Information Act, 2005 and to the best of my knowledge it pertains to your office. Information is being sought in larger public interest.	
6.	A Postal Order No. 21F 990030 for Rs. 10 towards payment of fee is enclosed herewith.	

Place : New Delhi
Encl. : as above

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Signature of Applicant
Telephone No. : 9810077977
011-24651101, 24690707
Fax No. 011-24635243

North Block, New Delhi
Dated the 4th June, 2014

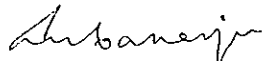
OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Information sought by Shri R.K. Jain under Right to Information Act, 2005

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The undersigned is directed to refer to Ad.VII Section's OM No. A-50020/16/2014-Ad.VII dated 27th May, 2014 on the subject mentioned above and to state that no such record as described under Section 4(b) para (i) to (xvii) of RTI Act is held by this Section.

2. Hence the requisite information regarding file numbers in which the proactive disclosure by Ministry of Home Affairs is dealt with may be treated as NIL in respect of Ad.V Section.


(A.K. Banerjee)
Section Officer(Ad.V)

✓ Ad.VII Section
Ministry of Home Affairs,
North Block,
New Delhi

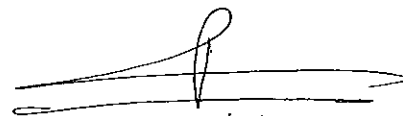
North Block, New Delhi
Dated the 13th June, 2014

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Information sought by Shri R.K. Jain under RTI Act, 2005.

This is with reference to the Ad-VII Section's O.M. No. A-50020/16/2014-Ad-VII dated 27.05.2014 on the subject noted above. It is informed that the Public Section of this Ministry mainly deals with the subjects namely Bharat Ratna Awards, Padma Awards, Ashoka Chakra Series of Gallantry Awards for Civilians, Jeevan Raksha Padak Series of Awards, Indian National Flag, National Anthem and State Emblem of India.

2. No such file is maintained in Public Section of this Ministry concerning with proactive disclosure under Section 4 of the RTI Act, 2005. However, the information relating to the Bharat Ratna Awards, Padma Awards and Jeevan Raksha Padak Series of Awards is already available on this Ministry's website and the same is updated from time to time. All the Acts and Rules regulating the use of the Indian National Flag, State Emblem of India and National Anthem are also available on this Ministry's website.



13/6/2014
(Pandey Pradeep Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Tel. No. 2309 2421

To,
Ad-VII Section,
Ministry of Home Affairs,
North Block,
New Delhi.

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No. A-50020/16/2014-Ad.VII
Government of India
Ministry of Home Affairs
Ad.VII Section

New Delhi,
Dated the 27th May, 2014

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Information sought by Shri R.K. Jain under the Right to Information Act, 2005.

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith a copy of Ad.II Section's Letter No. A-42012/09/2014-Ad.II dated 21st May, 2014 (along with enclosure) on the above cited subject and to request to furnish the requisite information **to Ad.VII Section latest by 30th May, 2014 positively.** So that a suitable reply could be sent to the applicant.


Encl.: As above.



(Shibatosh Banerji)
Under Secretary (Vig.)

To

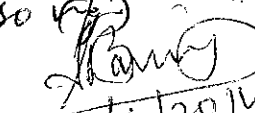
1. Under Secretary(Ad.V)- in respect of Ad.V & Vigilance Sections.
2. Under Secretary(Public) - in respect of Public Section.


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S. O. (Vigilance)

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in reply.

MHA Vig. Cell
'NI' information in respect of Vig Cell, MHA; however, in future all the reply to the RTI application will be marked to IT Cell for uploading the same.

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