

No. V-17012/38/2014-PR
Government of India/Bharat Sarkar
Ministry of Home Affairs/Grih Mantralya
(CS Division)

5th floor, "B" Wing NDCC-II Bldg
Jai Singh Road, New Delhi-110001
20th August, 2014

To

Shri Gurnaib Singh Brar,
S/o Shri Jagroop Singh Brar,
House No. 1229, Sector 33-c,
Chandigarh

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

Sir,

I am to refer to your RTI application dated 12/6/2014 (received by answering CPIO on 11/7/2014 through RTI Cell, Ministry of Home Affairs, vide their letter No.A-43020/01/2014-RTI dated 5/7/2014).

2. Point wise reply of your application dated 12/6/2014 is furnished below.

- (i) No such treaty under the Repatriation of Prisoners Act 2003 has been signed by the Government of India with United States of America. However, India has acceded to the Inter-American convention on Serving Criminal Sentences Abroad of the Organisation of American States.
- (ii) There are total 22 countries with which such Treaty has been signed by the Government of India for the repatriation of prisoners from said countries to India and vice-versa, viz. United Kingdom, Mauritius, Bulgaria, France, Egypt, Sri Lanka, Cambodia, South Korea, Saudi Arabia, Iran, Bangladesh, Brazil, Israel, Bosnia & Herzegovina, UAE, Italy, Turkey, Maldives, Thailand, Russian Federation, Kuwait, Viet Nam.
- (iii) Total 44 prisoners have been repatriated to India from various countries after the passing of the 2003 Act and no prisoner has been repatriated from United States of America.

3. An appeal against this RTI application shall lie before Shri S. Suresh Kumar, Joint Secretary (CS), Ministry of Home Affairs, B Wing, 5th Floor, NDCC-II Building, Jai Singh Road, New Delhi.

Yours faithfully,

(K. Muralidharan)
Director & CPIO

(P.T.B)

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1. Shri S. Samanta, Under Secretary to the Government of India, RTI Cell, M/o Home Affairs, North Block, New Delhi w.r.to O.M No. A-43020/01/2014-RTI dated 5/7/2014.
2. ✓ SO (IT Cell), for uploading- w.r.to. order issued by RTI Cell dated 20/5/2014.