

F.No. 14039/83/2014,UTS-I

Government of India
Ministry of Home Affairs

North Block, New Delhi-110001

Dated 14 August, 2014

To

Shri Anoop Baranwal, Ad.
B-34 Badri Awas, C Lines,
Teliarganj, Allahabad (U.P.)
211004.

Sub:- Application under RTI Act, 2005 – regarding

Sir,

Reference your RTI application dated 15.07.2014 received in UTS-I section on 11.08.2014.

2. Regarding Point No. 1 of your RTI application, it is stated that as per Article 239 of the Constitution, the President may appoint an Administrator for administration of a Union Territory. The Administrator so appointed is designated as Lt. Governor in case of Puducherry. There is no prescribed tenure for the Lt. Governor and he/she may be recalled any time by the President. There is no need to conduct a formal enquiry to disqualify the Lt. Governor from holding the office of Lt. Governor. Reply to Point Nos. 2 & 3, has been provided to the applicant by M&G section of MHA.

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

Shri I.S. Chahal,
Joint Secretary (UT),
Ministry of Home Affairs,
North Block, New Delhi-110001.

Shri Anoop Baranwal

निवासी लिपिक
Resident Clerk
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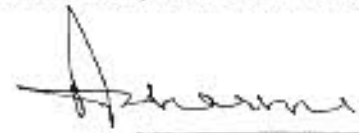
Yours faithfully,



(Anuj Sharma)
Director (S) and CPIO Ph. 23092436

Copy to Director & CPIO, M&G Section, MHA, North Block, New Delhi w.r.t. to your reply to the applicant dated 11.07.2014.

o/c



(Anuj Sharma)
Director (S) and CPIO

An Application u/s 6(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005

To,

The Central Public Information Officer
Ministry of Home Affairs
North Block, New Delhi-110001.

Respected Sir,

It is learnt that the Deputy Governor of Punduchery namely Shri Vinay Kataria has been removed from his office on 11/12 July, 2014. In this respect the applicant is seeking following information:

1. Is there any charges leveled and/or enquiry conducted against Shri Vinay Katariya, which make him unable or disqualified to hold the office of Governor resulting his removal on 11/12 July, 2014? If any charge or enquiry report, kindly provide the detail of the same.
2. Before making any recommendation to the President for exercising power under Article 156 (1) of the Constitution of India to remove any Governor of State, what procedure has been followed by the Ministry of Home Affairs?
3. Is there any law, which provides any procedure, required to be followed before making any recommendation to the President to remove any Governor of any State in India from his office? If any such law, kindly provide the detail of the same.

15.7.2014

With Thanks

Anoop Baranwal

(Anoop Baranwal, Ad.)

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1. I.P.O. of Rs. 10/- bearing Number 23F 642622.
1. The photocopy of the news item dated 12/07/2014