



Government of India
Ministry of External Affairs
New Delhi

No. C/551/06/2016-JP

28 November, 2016

**Shri Sujeev Nair
House No. 109, Sector-8
R. K. Puram, New Delhi-110012**

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

Sir,

Please refer to your RTI application electronically transferred from other public authority which MEA vide registration No. is MOEAF/R/2016/51346/3, received in this division on 27 October, 2016 seeking information under RTI Act, 2005.

2. The information on the relevant part of the above query, as under the custody of the undersigned CPIO is as follows:

i. The query relating to serial no. 5 is given below:

Sl No.	Division	No of requests for political clearance received	No of political clearance granted	List of cases where political clearance were denied
1.	East Asia a) Japan b) Mongolia	Japan-175 Mongolia-7	Japan-143 Mongolia-6	Japan-32 Mongolia-1

iii. The query relating to serial no. 6 - the status of the political clearance is ascertained by the concern applicant through the MEA e-political clearance portal.

3. The query relating to serial no. 1, 2, 3 and 4 (for countries other than Japan, Mongolia) - the application has been transfer to RTI cell for taking it up with relevant divisions in MEA.

4. If you are not satisfied with this reply, you may file an appeal to Shri Sujit Ghosh, Director (EA), and Appellate Authority, Room no. 183-B, South Block, Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi within 30 days from date of receipt of this letter.

Yours faithfully,


(Rajesh N. Naik)

Under Secretary (JM)/ CPIO

Copy to:

**Shri Mukesh Kumar Ambasta, US (RTI), RTI cell, MEA, R. No. 2019, JNB,
New Delhi - 110011**

RTI REQUEST DETAILS (आरटीआई अनुरोध विवरण)

Registration Number (पंजीकरण संख्या) :	MOEAF/R/2016/51346/3	Date of Receipt (प्राप्ति की तारीख) :	27/10/2016
Type of Receipt (रसीद का प्रकार) :	Online Receipt	Language of Request (अनुरोध की भाषा) :	English
Name (नाम) :	Sujeev Nair	Gender (लिंग) :	Male
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Status (स्थिति)(Rural/Urban) :	Urban	Education Status :	
Is Requester Below Poverty Line ? (क्या आवेदक गरीबी रेखा से नीचे का है?) :	No	Citizenship Status (नागरिकता) :	Indian
Amount Paid (राशि का भुगतान) :	0 (Received by Ministry of External Affairs) (original recipient)	Mode of Payment (भुगतान का प्रकार) :	Payment Gateway
Does it concern the life or Liberty of a Person? (क्या यह किसी व्यक्ति के जीवन अथवा स्वतंत्रता से संबंधित है?) :	No(Normal)	Request Pertains to (अनुरोध निम्नलिखित संबंधित है) :	US(JM)
Information Sought (जानकारी मांगी):	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ 1. What is the objective of political clearance for government servant visiting foreign country. ✓ 2. As per citizen charter what is the maximum time limit for issuance of political clearance from date of receipt of application. ✓ 3. On which grounds ground political clearance of a government servant visiting foreign country is denied. ✓ 4. No of request received from government servant for political clearance has been received by East Asia Division of MEA during 2016 and no of request cleared/rejected. 5. No of request received for visiting Japan from government servant for political clearance has been received by East Asia Division of MEA during 2016 and no of request cleared/rejected. 6. Status of following political clearances- <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i) Political clearance applied vide Central Electricity Authority, Ministry of Power, GoI letter no 10/1/2016-HRD/34 dated 20.01.16 for visit to Japan ii) Online application for political clearance ref no EPC160301718JP dated 01.03.2016. ii) Online application for political clearance ref no EPC2609168315JP dated 26.09.2016 		