# RTI/551/1528/2014



#### विदेश मंत्रालय, नई दिल्ली MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS NEW DELHI

To,

Shri Pramod Thomas Senior reporter, The New Indian xpress, Express House Kaloor, Kochi-682017, Kerala.

Date: - 13/11/2014.

Sir,

Please refer to your RTI application dated 03/11/2014, received in this Ministry on 11/11/2014.

- 2. Kindly note that the information sought by you is in respect of Missions and Posts abroad which are separate Public Authorities. You are advised to file separate RTI applications with conferned Missions and Posts. As the required information would be available with them. Under Section 2(h) of the RTI Act, Indian Missions/Posts abroad are independent and distinct Public Authorities. (In terms of DoPT's O.M no. 10/02/2008-IR dated 24/09/2010), if a person makes an application for information which is scattered with more than one public authority, the applicant should be advised to file separate applications to the public authorities concerned.
- 3. You are therefore advised to approach the Missions/Posts directly to obtain the required information. The list of all Indian Missions/Posts abroad along with their contact details is available on the website of the Ministry (<a href="www.mea.gov.in">www.mea.gov.in</a>) at the following link-

### http://www.mea.gov.in/indian-missions-abroad.htm.

4. If you are aggrieved with this response, you may file an appeal with Shri B. Vanlalvawna, Director & Appellate authority, Room No. 4095, A-Wing, Jawaharlal Nehru Bhavan, 23-D, Janpath, New Delhi-110011. (Tel: 011-49015224, Fax: 011-49015225) within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

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## The Right to Information Act 2005 Application for obtaining information



From,
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To,

The Public Information Officer
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SUB: Information regarding - Indians who are jailed overseas.

Dear Public Information Officer:

Under the Right to Information Act 2005, Section 6, I need some information. The details of the information are as follows

#### 1. Details of the applicant

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2. Period to which the information relates: 1947 Till Date

#### 3. Details of Information

I kindly request following information:

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- 1) Please provide the total number of Indians who are jailed overseas with their details including the countries and number of people in each countries.
- 2) Please provide also the native states of these people in India. What are the steps taken by the government to release them?

#### 4. Application fee details

Encl. Application Fee of Rs 10/- by IPO No.11F-808957 PAY TO: Accounts Officer

#### 5. Below Items are for your kind information and consideration

- As per section 6(3) of the RTI Act 2005, In case, the requested information is held by another public authority, I request the PIO to transfer the application or part of it within FIVE days and immediately inform me about such transfer.
- As per section 7(3) of the RTI Act 2005, In case, there are further fee required to
  provide the requested information, I request the PIO to inform me of the additional
  fee amount along with the calculations made to arrive at the amount.
- As per section 7(8)(iii) and 7(3)(ii) of the RTI Act 2005, I request the PIO to inform me of the particulars of First Appellate Authority.

#### 6. Declaration

I declare that I am a citizen of India/PIO or OCI Card Holder. I assure you that I shall not allow/cause to use/pass/share/display/ or circulate the information received in any case and under any circumstances, with any person or in any manner which would be detrimental to the Unity and Sovereignty or against the Interest of India.

Thank you, Yours faithfully,

Pramod

Monday, November 3rd 2014