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No. DII/551/1/2015-Mr. Sundar Km

Dated 14.1.2016

Shri Sundar Kumar RLN
Sukalyanam, 70/44 Burkit Road,
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Subject: Information sought by Shri Sundar Kumar RLN under Right to information Act 2005

Sir,

Reference your Application No. MOEAF/R/2016/00020/1 dated 6/1/2016, received on 13/1/2016, seeking information under Right to Information Act 2005.

2. The applicant has sought the information regarding the list of gifts given by PMO.

3. The information sought by the applicant is related to the gifts given by Prime Minister Office. In this connection, this is to state that the Prime Minister of India presents gifts, as per the laid down norms, to various foreign dignitaries. It is true that the procurement of gifts is being met from budgetary grants but the revelation of the information sought would have unintended effects on the foreign relations and that any critical analysis/scrutiny and comparison between quantum and value of the gifts would be totally undesirable and would defeat the very purpose of generating goodwill between the nations. However, disclosure of this information may prejudicially affect India's relations with the concerned foreign State. Exemption is therefore, sought under section 8(1) (a) of the RTI act 2005, wherein no such information as may prejudicially affect India's relations with a foreign State need be disclosed.

4. In case the applicant is not satisfied with the response given by the undersigned, the applicant may file an appeal within 30 days of the receipt of this communication to Shri Sanjay Verma, Chief of Protocol and First Appellate Authority, Room No. 2001, Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan, Ministry of External Affairs, 23D, Janpath, New Delhi-110011.

Yours sincerely,

(Madan Singh Bhandari)

Dy Chief of Protocol (Privileges)/ CPIO
Room No. 1062, Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan
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1. Chief of Protocol, MEA (jscop@mea.gov.in) for kind information
2. US (RTI), MEA, Room No. 2019, 'A' Wing Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan 23 D, Janpath, New Delhi -110011 (usrti@mea.gov.in)
3. PO (XMM), MEA, New Delhi-110011 (poxmm@meaindia.in)

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(From : Ministry of External Affairs)**Date of Receipt :** 06/01/2016**Language of Request :** English**Name :** Sundar Kumar R L N**Gender :** Male**Address :** Sukalayam, 70/44 Burkit Road, T. Nagar, Chennai, Pin:600017**Phone No. :** Details not provided**Mobile No. :** Details not provided**Email :** Details not provided**Country :** Details not provided**State :** Details not provided**Status :** Details not provided**Educational Status :** Details not provided**Requester's Letter No :** Details not provided**Requester's Letter Date :** 28/12/2015**Citizenship Status :** Indian**Is Requester Below Poverty Line ? :** No**Amount Paid (₹) :** 0**Does it concern the life or Liberty of a Person ? :** No(Normal)**Request Pertains to :** DCP (Privilege)**Text of RTI Application :**

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