

File No. MoES/29/150/2016-RTI

Government of India

Ministry of Earth Sciences

Prithvi Bhawan, IMD Campus

Lodhi Road, New Delhi.

Dated - ~~09~~/05/2017

To,

Sh. Raja Acharya,
Flat No.K-7,Cluster-8,Sec.-3,
Purbachal, Salt Lake City, Colkata Pin-700097

Subject:- Information sought by Sh. Raja Acharya, Flat No.K-7,Cluster-8, Sec.-3, Purbachal, Salt Lake City, Colkata Pin-700097 under RTI Act. 2005.

Kindly refer to your RTI application dated 08/04/2017 (received on 10/04/2017) on the above mentioned subject.

2. The reply provided by the concerned officer vide No. MoES/29/30/2017-(Estt.) dated 09/05/2017 is enclosed herewith.

3. An appeal, if any against this reply may be made to the Appellate Authority of the Ministry at the following address within 30 days of the receipt of the letter.

Shri Vivek Misra, Director /FAA.
Ministry of Earth Sciences, Prithvi Bhawan,
IMD Campus, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003.

Encl. As above.

Yours faithfully,



(E. Haque)

Central Public Information Officer & Scientist 'C'

Tel. No. 24669521.

Copy for information to:-

1. Director, (ICC) & FAA, MoES, New Delhi.
2. Dr. N. Khare, Sct. 'F' & Transparency Officer, MoES, New Delhi.
3. US (Estt.) for information.
- ✓ 4. In Charge IT Section (Sh. Krishnan is requested to upload this reply on website www.moes.gov)

Ministry of Earth Sciences
(Establishment Section)

CPIO, MoES may please refer to their 13th April, 2017 forwarding an application dated 8th April, 2017 from Shri Raja Acharya, Flat No.K-7, Cluster-8, Sector-3, Purbachal, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700097 seeking information under RTI Act-2005.

2. The point - wise information sought by the applicant is as under:-

S.No.	Information sought	Answer
a.	Copy of the Govt. order and terms of reference vide which the above mentioned committee has been constituted.	The information relates to DoP&T (RR Division), a different Public Authority. In so far as MoES is concerned no material information exists. CPIO is requested to transfer the application to CPIO DoP&T for providing information the Applicant.
b.	Copy of the recommendation/report submitted by the aforesaid committee.	Ministry sought inputs from all Attached/Subordinate Offices and Autonomous Institutes under Ministry of Earth Sciences vide OM No.MoES/18/02/2016-Estt dated 05/04/2016 and did not issue any circular dated 29/07/2016 as mentioned in RTI application. A copy of said OM dated 05/04/2016 is enclosed.
c.	Copy of the Ministry of Earth Sciences circular No.MoES/18/12/2016-Estt dated 29.07.2016 vide which the MoES had sought inputs on the above issue from its attached/subordinate offices/autonomous bodies.	The copies of inputs provided by Ministry to DoP&T regarding inclusion of educational criteria etc. may form part of Committee of Secretaries Note (COS) which is under consideration with DoP&T. CoS Note being secrete in nature and no final decision has so far been taken by DoP&T, therefore, no material information exists at this stage for disclosure.
d.	Copy of inputs submitted by the MoES to the aforesaid committee vide ref(3) and copy of the MoES letter vide which the inputs were forwarded to the above committee.	
e.	Status of approval of the report submitted by the aforesaid committee constituted by the Govt.	
f.	Kindly inform the status of approval of financial and administrative powers of Earth Commission by Govt. Kindly provide a copy of proposal from MoEs to Govt. regarding grant of above powers to Earth Commission.	No material information exists as Government has not conferred any financial and administrative power to Earth Commission.

3. This issues with the approval of DS (Estt.)


9/5/17
(Kailash Chand)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

CPIO, MoES(Shri E Haque, Scientist 'C')

MoES ID Note No. MoES/29/30/2017-Estt. dated 9/05/2017.

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Dated. the 5th April, 2016

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Office Memorandum

Subject: Review of Modified Flexible Complementing Scheme (FCS) for Scientists-
regarding

The Flexible Complementing Scheme (FCS) was introduced in various Scientific Ministries/Departments wef 9.11.1998. The Scheme envisaged personnel management of scientists and technologists holding scientific and technical posts in Scientific Ministries/Departments and engaged in scientific activities and services. The Scheme was modified on the basis of the recommendations of the 6th CPC and the modified FCS was notified on 10th September, 2010.

2. In the recent past, certain issues pertaining to Educational Qualification, promotion under MFCS have been brought to the notice of Department of Personnel and Training, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions. A detailed exercise to renew, rationalize and customize Flexible Complementing Scheme so as to make it in tune with the functional requirements of Scientific Ministries/Departments is being undertaken by DoPT.

3. A meeting in connection with the Review of MFCS was organized by DoPT on 28th March, 2016 and further deliberations are due in April, 2016. The competent authority has desired that all ESSO-constituents may urgently provide a list of any additional scientific subjects specific to its mandate that need to be brought up before the DoPT. A list of scientific subjects relevant to the Ministry and its ESSO-constituents drawn up is enclosed herewith for perusal. The response may please be transmitted either by email at randhir.patel@nic.in or fax 011-242669691 at the earliest and before 7th April, 2016 (5 p.m.) positively.

(R.K. B. Patel)

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

To:

1. The Director, Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology (**IITM**),
Dr. Homi Bhabha Road Pashan, **Pune-411008**
2. The Director, National Centre for Antarctic & Ocean Research (**NCAOR**),
Headland Sada, Vasco-da-Gama, **Goa-403804**
3. The Director, National Institute of Ocean Technology (**NIOT**), NIOT Campus, Velachery-
Tambaram Main Road, Narayanapuram, Palikaranai, **Chennai-600100 (TN)**
4. The Director, Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Service (**INCOIS**),
Ocean Valley, Pragathi Nagar BO, Nizampet SO. **Hyderabad-500090**
5. The Director, National Centre for Earth Science Studies (**NCESS**),
Ministry of Earth Sciences, P.B. No.7250, Akkulam, **Thiruvananthapuram**,
Kerala- 695031
6. The Director, Integrated Coastal and Marine Area Management Project Directorate
(**ICMAM PD**) 2nd Floor, NIOT Campus, Velacherry-Tambaram Main Road,
Pallikaranai, **Chennai - 600100**
7. The Head, The National Centre for Medium Range Weather Forecasting (**NCMRWF**)
A-50, Sector-62, **NOIDA- 201 309**
8. The Director, **Centre for Marine Living Resources & Ecology (CMLRE)**, 6th Floor,
C-Block, Kendriya Bhavan, P.B. No. 5415, CSEZ P.O. **Kochi - 682037**
9. DGM, India Meteorological Department (**IMD**), Ministry of Earth Sciences, Lodi Road,
New Delhi-110003

Subjects of Scientists

Ocean Technology	Marine Sciences
Ocean Sciences	Physics
Earth Sciences	Chemistry
Statistics	Information technology
Chemical Oceanography	Marine Biology
Aqua Culture	Coastal Aqua Culture
Ocean Engineering	Instrumentation & Control Engg.
Remote Sensing	Ecoiogy & Environment
Electronics	Construction Tech. & Management
Civil Engineering	Chemical Engineering
Agriculture	Mechanical Engineering
Geo Informatics	Com. Vision & Image Processing
ECE	Mechatronics
Water Resources	Microbiology
Hydro Chemistry	Ocean Modeling
Soil Science	Metallurgy
Marine Engineering	Aero Space & Fluid Dynamics
Hydraulic Coastal Engineering	Production Engineering
Energy System Engineering	Mathematics
Geophysics	Geo chemistry
Zoology	Biology
Fisheries	Oceanography
Meteorology	Atmospheric Sciences
Seismology	Marine Biology

New Subjects to be added.

Ocean Management	Reachout/Mass Communication
Law of the Sea as Specialization in LLB	