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File No. MoES/29/130/2013-RTI
Government of India
Ministry of Earth Sciences

Prithvi Bhawan, IMD Campus,
Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
Dated 28th November, 2013.

To

Shri Manjit S/o Shri Randhir Sigh,
Gaon:Bamrauli, Dhulsiras, Sector-28,
(PO. Dhulsira) Dwarka, Phase-II,
Delhi-110077

Subject:-Information sought by Shri Manjit S/o Shri Randhir Sigh, Gaon:Bamrauli, Dhulsiras, Sector-28, (PO. Dhulsira) Dwarka, Phase-II, Delhi-110077 under RTI Act.

Sir,

Kindly refer to your RTI an application dated 07/11/2013 (received on 08/11/2013) on the above mentioned subject.

2. The reply provided by the concerned officer vide MoES ID Note No. MoES/29/42/2013-Estt. Dated 27/11/2013 of Ministry Earths Sciences, New Delhi is enclosed for necessary action.

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 i.e. Shri A. K. Madan, Deputy Secretary (Vig.ICC), Ministry of Earth Sciences, Prithvi Bhawan, IMD Campus, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003.
Encl. As above.

Yours faithfully,



(B. K. Thakur)

Central Public Information Officer & Scientist 'C'
Tel. No. 24669535.

Copy for information to:-

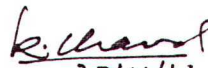
1. D.S (Vig./ICC), MoES, New Delhi.
2. Dr. M. Sudhakar, Transparency Officer, MoES, New Delhi.
3. PPS to JS, MoES, New Delhi.
4. In Charge IT Section (Sh. Krishnan is requested to upload this reply on website www.moes.gov.in).

CPIO, MoES may please refer to their O.M. dated 8th November, 2013 forwarding therewith an application received from Shri Manjit resident of Gaon: Bamrauli, Dhulsiras, Sector-28, (P.O. Dhulsiras), Dwarka, Phase-II, Delhi-110077 seeking information under RTI Act-2005.

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

SN	Information sought	Answer
1.	Expiry date of tenure of present DG, IMD, Shri L.S. Rathore as Director General. Has he granted extension for further period or under process. Due to his ensuing health condition, extension has advisable at this stage for the welfare of IMD employees.	The post of DG, IMD is not a tenure post. However, date of superannuation of Dr. L. S. Rathore is 31.07.2014. A proposal to extend the services of Dr. Rathore beyond superannuation is under consideration.
2.	Terms & condition followed recommending the extension of DGM, IMD	The cases of extension of service of Scientists are considered in terms of proviso to FR56(d) and guidelines/instructions issued by DoP&T from time to time.
3.	Copy of the rule of DOPT for deciding eligibility of the extension. What is the maximum period of extension as per the rule.	DoP&T guidelines available on website www.persmin.nic.in on grant of extension of service of scientist beyond the age of superannuation may be browsed.
4.	Copy of the recommendation and report of the committee, (decision of cabinet) who recommended the extension of DG, IMD.	The proposal is under consideration.
5.	Copy of the delegation of powers assigned to Ministry of Earth Sciences in respect of extension of DG, IMD.	The cases of consideration of extension of service of scientist beyond the age of superannuation are covered under proviso to FR56(d) and DoP&T guidelines. Such cases are considered and approved by ACC through DoP&T.
6.	Copy of the approved file noting initiated by India Meteorological Department (through DG, IMD)/Secretary, Ministry of Earth Sciences and Union Minister, MoES.	Fee of Rs.12/-for 6 pages @ of Rs.2 per page(A4 size) may please be deposited with CPIO.
7.	Details of previous Director General of IMD who were granted extension and their total period of extension.	Dr. Ajit Tyagi The previous DG IMD was granted extension for a period of two years beyond the age of superannuation.

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


27/11/13
(Kailash Chand)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

CPIO, MoES(Shri B K Thakur, Scientist 'B')
MoES ID Note No. MoES/29/42/2013-Estt. dated 27/11/2013.