

To

Subject: RTI Application under RTI Act 2005 reg.

Sir,

This has with reference to your RTI application No. DITEC/R/E/23/00134 dated 26/01/2023 on the above subject. The information sought by you are given as under:

Sl. No.	Information Sought	Reply
1.	The Information sought pertains to residential accommodation procured or constructed by Autonomous Bodies under MeitY with funds provided through grant in aid. Kindly provide the designation of the Competent Authority to approve and frame rules pertaining to residential quarters procured or constructed using government funds for the AB employees as regards eligibility criteria and rates of Licence fee to be recovered?	Transferred to all the Societies under MeitY under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act for directly replying to the applicant.
2.	Are contractual employees entitled to residential quarter?	
3.	Is grant of free accommodation to any employee admissible and who is the competent authority to sanction it?	
4.	Is full or partial furnishing of quarter, provision of Air-conditioners, modular kitchen etc. permitted under the Rules governing AB of the Government of India Ministry?	
5.	What is the duration of retention of quarters beyond retirement or resignation or death while in service and what are the appropriate licence fee recoverable under these circumstances?	
6.	Is the Competent Authority permitted to delegate the powers, if yes, to whom?	The applicant has not indicated any specific information which cover under the definition of material/information as defined in Section 2(f) of the RTI Act, 200

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7.	Are the AB authorized to frame their own Rules with regards to residential accommodation, recruitment, promotions? Which are the Rules or guidelines to be followed mandatorily by these AB? Kindly provide the designation of the competent Authority to approve deviations if any?	As per OM O.M. No. 2(11)/2012-Pers.I Vol. III dated 14.03.2013 the Autonomous Bodies shall continue to make their own recruitments. Copies of the relevant OMs viz. O.M. No. 2(11)/2012-Pers.I Vol.II dated 10.10.2012 and O.M. No. 2(11)/2012-Pers.I Vol. III dated 14.03.2013 comprising of 13 pages shall be provided on receipt of Rs. 26/- (Rupees Twenty-Six only) toward fee for providing information [13 pages x @ Rs.2/- per page] in the form of demand draft/IPO favouring "Senior Accounts Officer, PAO, MeitY". For rest of the information the application is transferred to all the Societies under MeitY under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act for directly replying to the applicant.)
8.	Kindly provide the designation of the competent Authority to approve write off of government dues like overdrawn HRA, pay fixed erroneously, etc. which is beyond Rs. Ten lakhs for the Autonomous body?	Transferred to all the Societies under MeitY under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act for directly replying to the applicant.
9.	Kindly provide the designation of the Competent Authority for framing Recruitment Rues and career progression Rules and HR policy for the Administrative and non-Scientific and technical personnel of such AB?	May be transferred to all the Societies under MeitY under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act for directly replying to the applicant.)
10.	Kindly provide the extent to which the parent Ministry is responsible to maintain uniformity of Administrative Rules for all the AB under their administrative control? if deviations are permitted, what are the guidelines?	The applicant has not indicated any specific information which cover under the definition of material/information as defined in Section 2(f) of the RTI Act, 2005.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

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- 1) Transferred to all CPIOs of all the Societies under MeitY under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act 2005 for providing the information directly to the applicant in respect of above points No. 1-5 & 8.