

RTI matter/ Time Bound

Government of India Ministry of External Affairs New Delhi

19 March 2019

No. E/551/1/2019-RTI

Sir,

Please refer to you RTI application dated 05 March 2019 addressed to Ministry of Defence, which was transferred to RTI Cell, Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, and received by this Division on 6 March 2019.

The information pertaining to Points No. 6 & 7 is as follows:

China is under occupation of approximately 38,000 sq. kms of Indian territory in the state of Jammu & Kashmir. In addition, under the so-called China-Pakistan "Boundary Agreement" signed between China and Pakistan on 2 March 1963, Pakistan illegally ceded 5,180 sq. kms. of Indian territory in Pakistan Occupied Jammu & Kashmir to China.

The fact that Jammu & Kashmir is an integral and inalienable part of India, has been clearly conveyed to the Chinese side on several occasions, including at the highest level.

- 3. Requested information at Point No. 4 of your RTI query is not available with the undersigned CPIO.
- 4. If you are aggrieved with this reply, you may file an appeal to Dr. Amit Telang, Director (East Asia) & Appellate Authority, Ministry of External Affairs, South Block, New Delhi 110011, within a month from the date of receipt of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

(Prasanna Shrivastava)

Director (China) & CPIO Room No. 270-A, South Block

New Delhi – 110001 Telefax: 23011356

Email: dschina2@mea.gov.in

CC to:

1. Ms. Deepa Jain, US (RTI), MEA, New Delhi

RTI REQUEST DETAILS (आरटीआई अन्रोध विवरण)

Registration Number (पंजीकरण MOEAF/R/2019/00116

Date of Receipt (प्राप्ति की 05/03/2019

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Information Sought (जानकारी for point no. 4, 6.

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CHO Ministry of External Affairs (RTI Division) 802-Akpar Bhawan, Chankyapuri New Delhi - 21

Ministry of Home Affairs North Block, New Delt i-110001

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- Ptease find enclosed copy of RTI application No MODEF/R/2019/50320/1 dated 30 Jan 2019 recd at this office on 12 Feb 2019, in r/o above mentioned applicant, seeking info under RTI Act 05.
- Since the subject of information on following queries of ibid RTI suplications, pertains to/is more closely related to the functions of your office/office under your jurisdiction, the application, is therefore, transferred to you under the previsions of Suborovide inform.

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 (10) (Chura) section 6 (3) of Right to Information Act 05. You are requested to provide information on under mentioned queries to the applicant:-
 - -for query 4, 6 & 7. Ministry of External (a) Affairs
 - Ministry of Home Affairs- for query 6 & 7. (b)

Requisite application processing fee has been paid through payment gateway. 3.

- While forwarding info/denial of info to the applicant, address of the First Appellate Authority must be specified/mentioned so that applicant is able to prefer an appeal, if he/she wishes to do so.
- In case the subject matter does not pertain to your office, please transfer the same to appropriate office.

(Ram Naresh Sharma)

For CPIO of Indian Army

Enclosures: As above.

Copy to :-

-Your ibid RTI application has been transferred to above address under Section 6 (3) of Right to Information Act 05 with respect to queries. You are therefore, requested to correspond with them directly with respect to queries- 4, 6 & 7 of your ibid RTI application. Balance queries are under process with this office.