

कपिल राज  
Kapil Raj

Under Secretary (PD) & CPIO  
R.No. 256A, A-Wing Shastri Bhawan



सत्यमेव जयते

विदेश प्रचार और लोक राजनय विभाग  
External Publicity & Public Diplomacy Division  
Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi

Q/XPC/551/20/15

Date: 10 July, 2015

Ms. Juhi Srivastava  
Khajuri Colony, Varanasi  
Uttar Pradesh – 221002

**Subject: Information sought under Right to Information Act, 2005**

Reference is invited to your RTI Application No. MOEAF/R/2015/02021 dated 11.06.2015 and received by this Division on 17.06.2015. Following is the reply of this Division to the queries of your Application ad seriatim:

(i). Year wise budget of External Publicity (XP) of the External Publicity & Public Diplomacy Division (XPD Division), Ministry of External Affairs:

Financial Year	Budget (Rs)
2006-07	4,20,00,000
2007-08	4,67,55,368
2008-09	4,95,00,000
2009-10	4,40,00,000
2010-11	6,72,00,000
2011-12	7,50,00,000
2012-13	8,00,00,000
2013-14	7,50,00,000

Budget Estimate prior to 2006 is not available. Kindly note that as per Government of India's Record Retention Schedule 2012, record pertaining to Budget Estimate fall under C-3 category (Category 'C' meaning keep for specified period only' and 3 Years in case of C-3 category files).

(ii). Year wise budget of "Indiafrica Program":

Period	Budget (Rs)
July 2011 – March 2012	1,83,82,717
April 2012 – March 2013	4,74,57,823
April 2013 – June 2014	5,19,23,781

(iii). Year wise budget of "India Is Program":

Period	Budget (Rs)
2011-12	43,46,250
2012-13	72,37,395
2013-14	84,10,374

Detailed breakup of the budget in respect of Point (iii) is enclosed for your perusal.

2. In case the Applicant is not satisfied with the above response she may file an appeal with Shri R. Masakui, Director (PD) and Appellate Authority, Room No. 143, 'A' Wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi within a month of the receipt of this letter.

(Kapil Raj)  
Under Secretary (PD) & CPIO

Copy for information to:

1. US (RTI), JNB 2021, MEA, New Delhi

**Year wise budget of "India is..... video challenge"**  
**from 2011-2013**

S.No.	Date of Bill processed	Bill No. & Date	Installment	Amount (in Rs.)
1	17.08.2011	015 & 04.08.2011	I	6,86,250/-
2	17.08.2011	015 & 16.08.2011	II	6,86,250/-
3	16.09.2011	015 & 16.09.2011	III	11,43,750/-
4	09.12.2011	015 & 28.11.2011	IV	6,86,250/-
5	05.03.2012	015 & 02.02.2012	V	6,86,250/-
6	05.03.2012	016 & 02.02.2012	VI	4,57,500/-
7	13.04.2012	015 & 22.03.2012	VII	2,28,750/-
8	06.07.2012	075 & 01.07.2012	I	14,01,729/-
9	17.09.2012	118 & 03.09.2012	II	14,01,729/-
10	16.11.2012	149 & 01.11.2012	III	14,01,729/-
11	04.01.2013	184 & 01.01.2013	IV	14,01,729/-
12	14.03.2013	209 & 01.03.2013	V	14,01,729/-
13	27.05.2013	240 & 01.05.2013	VI	14,01,729/-
14	22.07.2013	264 & 01.07.2013	VII	14,01,729/-
15	30.09.2013	303 & 04.09.2013	VIII	14,01,729/-
16	10.12.2013	354 & 01.11.2013	IX	14,01,729/-
17	23.01.2014	416 & 01.01.2014	X	14,01,729/-
18	18.03.2014	461 & 03.03.2014	XI	14,01,729/-
<b>Total</b>				<b>1,99,94,019/-</b>



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**Public Authority:** Ministry of External Affairs

**Role :** CPIO

**User :** US (XP)

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<b>Type of Receipt :</b> Local Receipt	
<b>Date of Receipt :</b> 17/06/2015	
<b>Language of Request :</b> English	
<b>Name :</b> Juhi Srivastava	
<b>Gender :</b> Male	
<b>Address :</b> Khajuri Colony, Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh	
<b>Phone No. :</b> Details not provided	
<b>Mobile No. :</b> Details not provided	
<b>Email :</b> Details not provided	
<b>Country :</b> Details not provided	
<b>State :</b> Details not provided	
<b>Status :</b> Details not provided	
<b>Educational Status :</b> Details not provided	
<b>Requester's Letter No. :</b> Details not provided	
<b>Requester's Letter Date :</b> 11/06/2015	
<b>Citizenship Status :</b> Indian	
<b>Is Requester Below Poverty Line ? :</b> No	
<b>Amount Paid ( ₹ ) :</b> Fee for this request has already been received by vide registration number <b>MOEAF/R/2015/02193.</b>	
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Registration Number: 11/06/2015  
Requester's Name: J. J. Srivastava  
Requester's Address: [Faded]

To,  
RTI Cell  
Ministry of External Affairs,  
Room No. 2021, 'A' Wing,  
Parliamentary Nehru Bhawan,  
B-1, Jangpach,  
New Delhi - 110 011.

Subject: Request for Information under Right to Information Act 2005.

Mr. J. J. Srivastava, wish to seek information as under: (please also find attached a postal order of Rs. 10)

1. Year wise budget of the External Publicity Division since 2000 to 2014 (excluding the budget of the Public Diplomacy Division established in 2006)
2. Year wise budget of the "IndiAfrica Program" from 2011 to 2013.
3. Year wise budget of the "India Is Program" from 2011 to 2013.

This information may kindly be provided to the undersigned under the RTI Act 2005.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

J. J. Srivastava  
(J. J. Srivastava)

1, Indrajit Colony  
Gurgaon, UP

Enclosure: Postal Order of Rs. 10.00, no.

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