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MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS  
NEW DELHI

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**RTI Matter  
Time-Bound**  
06 August, 2015

No. E/551/126/2015-RTI

To:  
Sh. Roshan Shah,  
B-503, Shukan Homes,  
Opp. Bank of Baroda, New Ranip,  
Gujarat – 382 470

Subject: Information sought under Right to Information Act, 2005

Sir,

Please refer to your RTI application dated 24/06/2015 addressed to Prime Minister's Office vide PMOIN/R/2015/61642 and was transferred to RTI cell, Ministry of External Affairs (MEA), New Delhi and received by this division on 06/07/2015.

2. The response to your query w.r.t. to China is as follows:

*China disputes the international boundary between India and China. In the Eastern Sector, China claims approximately 90,000 square kilometers of Indian territory in the State of Arunachal Pradesh. Indian territory under the occupation of China in Jammu & Kashmir is approximately 38,000 sq. kms. 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 Kashmir to China. The fact that Arunachal Pradesh and Jammu & Kashmir are integral and inalienable parts of India has been clearly conveyed to the Chinese side on several occasions, including at the highest level.*

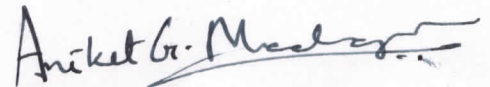
*The two sides have agreed to each appoint a Special Representative (SR) to explore the framework for a boundary settlement from the political perspective of the overall bilateral relationship. There have been eighteen meetings of SRs so far, last one in New Delhi on March 23-24, 2015. Both sides are committed to resolving bilateral issues through dialogue and peaceful negotiations and in a fair, reasonable and mutually acceptable manner.*

*The information pertaining to S.No 1-3 is as follows:*

*Providing any information in this regard is exempted as per Section 8 (1) (a) of the RTI Act, 2005.*

3. If you are aggrieved with this reply, you may file an appeal to Shri Sujit Ghosh, 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,



(Aniket G Mandavgane), IFS  
US (China) & CPIO

CC to:

1. Smt. Meera Sisodia, US (RTI), MEA, New Delhi



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**PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE**

South Block  
New Delhi-110 011

No. RTI/7817/2015-PMR

Date: 25/06/2015  
Dy. No. 678/RTI Sec/2015  
दिनांक/Date: 06/07/2015

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject : Application under Right to Information Act, 2005.

An application (no. 61642) dated 24/06/2015 received on 25/06/2015 from Shri Roshan Shah on the above noted subject is transferred under section 6(3) (ii) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, for action as appropriate.

Application fee has been received.



(P. K. Sharma)  
Under Secretary and  
CPIO  
Phone: 2338 2590

Foreign Secretary  
Ministry of External Affairs  
South Block, New Delhi - 110 011

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You are advised to approach the above public authority for further information regarding the matter. Response in respect of this office, if any, will be provided in due course.

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**RTI REQUEST DETAILS**

Registration No. :	PMOIN/R /2015/61642	Date of Receipt :	24/06/2015
Type of Receipt :	Online Receipt	Language of Request :	English
Name :	Roshan Shah	Gender :	Male
Address :	B-503, Shukan Homes, Opp Bank of Baroda, New Ranip, Pin:382470		
State :	Gujarat	Country :	India
Phone No. :	Details not provided	Mobile No. :	+91-9227772121
Email :	roshu74@rediffmail.com		
Status(Rural/Urban) :	Urban	Education Status :	Graduate
Is Requester Below Poverty Line ? :	No	Citizenship Status :	Indian
Amount Paid :	10 )	Mode of Payment :	Payment Gateway
Does it concern the life or Liberty of a Person ? :	No(Normal)	Request Pertains to :	

Subject : Has India officially raised objection with China showing showing Indias map without Jammu & Kashmir and Arunachal Pradesh

A controversy was kicked up on Thursday with Chinas state-owned television CCTV showing Indias map without Jammu & Kashmir and Arunachal Pradesh while reporting on Prime Minister Narendra Modis visit and this was covered in Indian media on May 15 2014

The wrong map was displayed during a bulletin when Modi was in Xian city where he held talks with Chinese President Xi Jinping in his hometown.

Information Sought :

As per RTI Act I would like to have

- 1) The written copy of Objection or any objections raised by PMO with China showing showing Indias map without Jammu & Kashmir and Arunachal Pradesh
- 2) The written copy of any instructions by PMO to any Department of Govt of India asking it to raise objection with China showing Indias map without Jammu & Kashmir and Arunachal Pradesh

<b>URGENT</b>
<b>RTI ACT</b>
Slary No. 34857
& Date 25/6/15
Last Date 30/06/15
For Disposal

6/25/2015 12:28 P.



3) The written copy of any Govt of India ministry or department that raised raise objection with China showing Indias map without Janunu & Kashmir and Arunachal Pradesh

Question 1 and 2 related to PMO so they need to be responded by PMO.

I declare the information is not exempt under any of sections 8(1) or 11 of RTI

If any part of this RTI does not fall in your department, please transfer it to appropriate department no later than 5 days under section 6(3) of RTI Act 2005 to avoid penal provisions under RTI Act.

While transferring or replying to RTI, please direct CPIO to quote RTI Reference number, Subject of RTI and Date of RTI.

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