### Application Form for RTI Ministry of External Affairs

To,

The Public Information Officer Ministry Of External Affairs New Delhi

- (1) Full name of Applicant: Mrs. Choodamani Nagendra
- (2) Address:

C 301, Sterling Terraces Banashankari 3<sup>rd</sup> Stage Ring Road

Bangalore -560085

- (3) Particulars of the information required:
  - 1. Efforts taken by Government of India/MEA towards removing Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose's name as a war criminal from the United Nations Organisation records.
  - 2. How many records from UN are with the MEA relating to Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose as a war criminal?
  - 3. Has India's representative to the UN taken up the matter of removing Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose's status as war criminal as per UN records?
  - 4. How many times was such a petition mooted?
  - 5. Year, date and petition numbers of such petitions.
  - 6. Response of UNO towards such petitions to remove Netaji name as war criminal.

Whether the applicant is below poverty line: NO

Place: Bangalore

Signature of the Applicant

Date: 15 September 2015.

Fee of Rs.10/- paid via postal order no. 325613877 dt 15.9.15



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RTI Matter Time-Bound

No.: U.II/551/37/2015

Dated 08.10.2015

To.

Mrs. Choodamani Nagendra, C 301, Sterling Terraces, Banashankari 3<sup>rd</sup> Stage Ring Road, Bangalore - 560085.

Madam,

Please refer to your RTI application dated 15.09.2015 seeking details on Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose, which was received in the United Nations – Political (UNP) Division on 22.09.2015. Reply to your queries in the application is as under:

- 2. The information sought is not available in the records of this division.
- 3. If you are aggrieved with this reply, you may file an appeal with Shri Vishwesh Negi, Director(UNP) and Appellate Authority, UNP Division, Ministry of External Affairs, Room No. 0102, 'C' Wing, Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan, 23-D, Janpath, New Delhi-110011, Ph.: 011-49018413 within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

(PK Ashok Babu)
Under Secretary to Govt. of India
Room No. 0104, 'C' Wing,
Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan,
23-D, Janpath, New Delhi-110011.

Ph.: 011-49018411

### CC to:

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

### Il Appeal to RTI Application Ministry of External Affairs

To,

Shri. Vishwesh Negi Director (UNP) Ministry Of External Affairs New Delhi

Dated: 20.10.15

Ref: Reply to my RTI appeal to Shri. Sujit Ghosh Director (East Asia) dated 14.10.15, from Shri.P.K.Ashok babu (US UNP) MEA dated 08.10.15

Sir,

I had sought the following information in my RTI application dated 15 September 2015.

- 1. Efforts taken by Government of India/MEA towards removing Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose's name as a war criminal from the United Nations Organization records.
- 2. How many records from UN are with the MEA relating to Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose as a war criminal?
- 3. Has India's representative to the UN taken up the matter of removing Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose's status as war criminal as per UN records?
- 4. How many times was such a petition mooted?
- 5. Year, date and petition numbers of such petitions.
- 6. Response of UNO towards such petitions to remove Netaji name as war criminal.

I received a reply signed by Shri.Bayyapu Sandeep Kumar, Under secretary (East Asia)/CPIO, stating that <u>under Section 8(1)(a) of the RTI Act 2005</u>, information on the said subject cannot be disclosed.

On 14.10.15 I appealed to Shri. Sujit Gosh as directed by the MEA seeking the above information and why Section 8(1)(a) of the RTI Act 2005 has been applied to these queries and the reasons for denial of the information sought. Has Netaji's name been removed from the list of 'war criminals' and if so when?

I have received a reply today directing me to appeal to you seeking the above information. Copy of the letter is enclosed. Also, I have not received a reply as to why Section 8(1)(a) of the RTI Act 2005 has been applied to these queries and the reasons for denial of the information sought.

I request you to kindly share the information sought above in my RTI and the following appeals.

Signature of the Applicant

Name and Address of the Applicant:

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Mrs.Choodamani Nagendra C 301, Sterling Terraces Banashankari 3<sup>rd</sup> Stage Ring Road Bangalore -560085

Encl:

1. RTI dotted 15.9.15
2. RTI Reply dated 23.9.15 (Amuita Barsal)
3. RTI Reply Lated 23.9.15 (Esyappu Sandeep Kumon)
4. RTI Appeal Lated 14.10.15
5. RTI Appeal Reply dated 8.10.15



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RTI Matter Time-Bound

No.: U.II/551/37/2015

Dated 09.11.2015

To,

Mrs. Choodamani Nagendra, C 301, Sterling Terraces, Banashankari 3<sup>rd</sup> Stage Ring Road, Bangalore - 560085.

Subject: First RTI appeal by Mrs. Choodamani Nagendra seeking information regarding Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose under RTI Act, 2005.

Madam,

I am in receipt of your RTI appeal dated 20.10.2015 seeking information regarding Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose under Section 19 (1) of RTI Act, 2005.

- 2. I have carefully examined the appeal and the reply from Shri Ashok Babu, CPIO, and found that information provided by CPIO is in order. Any records concerning Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose is not available with UNP Division.
- 3. This disposes of the appeal accordingly under Section 19(6) of RTI Act, 2005.

(Vishwesh Negi)
Director (UNP) & First Appellate Authority
Room No. 0102, 'C' Wing,
Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawah,
23-D, Janpath, New Delhi-110011.

#### CC to:

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

2. Shri Ashok Babu, CPIO & US (UNP)