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OIL INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT BOARD Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas

Government of India

No.6/6/2005-OIDB

peed Post

December 22, 2014

To

Shri G.N. Sharma Section Officer (RTI) Ministry of Finance, Room No.31-B, RTI Cell, North Block, New Delhi-110001.

Sub: Information sought under RTI Act, 2005.

Sir,

This has reference to Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas letter No.G-38011/68/2014-Fin.I dated 11.12.2014 forwarding therewith application of Sh. Arun Kumar Singh dated 4.6.2014. The same was earlier replied to vide this office letter of even number dated 27.10.2014 (copy enclosed).

- All the points raised in the RTI applications has been gone through and it appears that the information sought pertains to levy and collection of cess proceeds and its allocations to the State of West Bengal and other States, which does not fall under the purview of OIDB in terms of provisions of Oil Industry (Development) Act, 1974. The information sought is expected to be available with Ministry of Finance, Government of India.
- Hence, the RTI is transferred to CPIO, Ministry of Finance for providing requisite information to the applicant directly as per RTI Act.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: A/a.

(Rajesh Saini) Manager (P&A)/ **Public Information Officer**

Copy to -

- 1. Shri Rama Kant Singh, Under Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas, Finance Division, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi w.r.t. your letter No.G-38011/68/2014-Fin.I dated 11.12.2014.
- Floor, Flat No.102, Shri Arun Kumar Singh, Annapurna Bhawan, Serampore, Hooghly-712203 West Bengal.

प्रधान कार्यालय:-

ओ.आई.डी.बी. भवन, 'सी' ब्लॉक, तीसरी मंजिल, प्लॉट न. 2, सैक्टर - 73, नौएडा- 201301, उ.प्र.

फोन : 91-120-2594602, 603, 604 फैक्स : 91-120-2594630

ई.मेल : oidb-mopng@nic.in, वेब साईट : www.oidb.gov.in

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OIL INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT BOARD

Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas Government of India

No.6/6/2005-OIDB

October 27, 2014

To

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Sub: Information sought under RTI Act, 2005.

Sir.

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(Rajesh Saini) Manager (P&A)/

Public Information Officer

Copy to -

- 1. Shri Rama Kant Singh, Under Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas, Finance Division, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi w.r.t. your letter No.G-38011/68/2014-Fin.I dated 20.10.2014.
- No.102, Floor, Flat 2. Shri Arun Kumar Singh, Annapurna Bhawan, Serampore, Hooghly-712203 West Bengal.

प्रधान कार्यालय :-

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No. G-38011/68/2014-Fin.I Government of India Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas (Finance-I)

A Shastri Bhawan New Delhi, the December, 2014

To,

CPIO. Oil Industry Development Board, OIDB Bhawan, 'C' Block, 3rd Floor, Plot No. 2, Sector-73, Noida-201301Uttar Pradesh.

Subject: Information sought under RTI Act-2005.

Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith application dated 4.6.2014 of Shri Arun Kumar Singh received through Shri Rajib Kumar Sen, Director & CPIO, Department of Expenditure (Finance Commission Division) vide letter dated 10.11.2014 for providing information regarding sharing of Cess Collected under Section 15 of Oil Industry Development Act, 1974.

- Another Communication received through Shri Shankar Prasad Sharma, CPIO 2. (CX-8) vide his letter No. 267/62/2014/CX-8, dated 18.11.2014 in relation to RTI application of Shri Arun Kumar Singh, which appears to be with reference to OIDB letter No. 6/6/2005-OIDB, dated 27.10.2014, is also enclosed.
- Information sought pertains to OIDB. Hence, OIDB is requested to take 3. necessary action in terms of provision of RTI Act for providing information to the applicant.

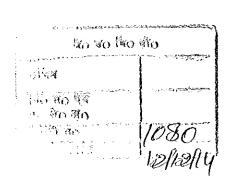
Yours faithfully

(Rama Kant Singh) Under secretary to the Govt. of India

Tel: 011-23084473

Encl: As above Copy to:-

- (1) Shri Arun Kumar Singh, Annapurna Bhawan, 1st Floor, Flat No.102, Serampore, Hooghly, W.B. Pin-712203-with a request to approach CPIO in OIDB and if information is not received in time, he may file appeal to the Appellate Authority in OIDB.
- (2) Shri Rajib Kumar Sen, Director & CPIO, M/o Finance, D/o Expenditure, Finance Commission Division, Block No.11, 5th Floor, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, N.Delhi.
- Shri Shankar Prasad Sarma, CPIO(CX-8), M/o Finance, D/o Revenue, Central Board of Excise and Customs, North Block, N. Delhi



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No.17027/01/2014-RTI Government of India Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas (RTI & PG Section)

New Delhi, the 24th November, 2014

Subject : Information sought under Right To Information Act-2005.

The application received under RTI Act-2005 is forwarded herewith for necessary action as per provisions of the RTI Act-2005.

SI. No	FTS Dy.No	Name of the Applicant	Subject	Receipt No. & date	Amount	Date of disposal
		S/Shri/Ms.				
1.	30959	Arun Kr. Singh	Sharing of Funds	24-11-2014	M/o . Finance	23-12-14

The concerned CPIO is requested to endorse copies of replies sent to the applicants to this Section for furnishing periodical returns to the CIC and monitoring disposal of RTI applications under the Act i.e. within 30 days.

(S.K. Sharma) Section Officer

То

US(Finance-I)
Concerned CPIO
Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas
New Delhi

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F.No.4(3)FCD/2013
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure
Finance Commission Division

Block No.11, 5th Floor, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003. Dated: 12-11-2014

To, Shri Arun Kumar Singh, 64-2-2, Barabagan Lane, Serampore, Hooghly, West Bengal – 712203.

Subject: Information sought under RTI Act, 2005 regarding.

Sir,

Please refer to your RTI application dated 04-06-2014 seeking information under RTI Act. 2005 regarding sharing of Cess collected under Section 15 Oil Industry Development Act, 1974, received in this Division on 13-10-2014, after being transferred from other Public Authority.

- 2. Finance Commission Division (FCD) deals with the releases of Non-Plan grants as recommended by the Finance Commissions. These Grants are released to the State Governments on compliance of conditions laid down in the guidelines. The Division is presently releasing Grants for local bodies, disaster relief, post devolution Non-plan revenue deficit, performance incentive, elementary education, environment, improving outcomes, State-specific needs and maintenance of roads and bridges to the States as per recommendations of the Thirteenth Finance Commission (FC-XIII) during the period 2010-2015. The sector-wise details of grant-in-aid released to West Bengal from 2010-11 till date are enclosed.
- 3. This Division does not deal with matters relating to OIDB or sharing of funds, so the information in respect of this Division may please be treated as NIL. However, a copy of your RTI application is being forwarded to Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas and Budget Division. Department of Economic Affairs for supply of information, if any, available with them.

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4. In case you are not satisfied with the above information, you may appeal under Section 19(1) of the Act to the following Appellate Authority within a period of 30 days of the receipt of this communication:-

Shri Rajiv Kumar, Joint Secretary (PF.I) M/o Finance, D/o Expenditure, Room No.169-C, North Block, New Delhi-110001.

Encl: as above

Yours faithfully,

(Rajib Kumar Sen) Director & CPIO

Tel. No.24364361 0647

Fax No.24360174

Copy for information and necessary action to:

- 7. Shri Noas Kindo, Under Secretary (SCT/PG & RTI), Room No. 200(d), 'C' wing, 2nd floor, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi 110001.
 - 2. Shri Rajeev Nayan Sharma, Deputy Director, & CPIO, Budget Division, Department of Economic Affairs, Room No.237, North Block, Central Sectt., New Delhi.
 - 3. Shri Harish Pokhriyal, Deputy Director (Adm.) & CPIO, Fourteenth Finance Commission, Chhatrapati Shivaji Bhawan, B-14/A, Qutab Institutional Area, New Delhi 110016.

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Application for obtaining Information under Right to Information Act 2005[Under Section 6(1)(a)

Date:-04-06-2014

To
The Central Public Information Officer
Sh.Sunil Bareja
Deputy Director
Fourteenth Finance Commission
B 14 A Chatrapati Shivaji Bhawan
Near Katwaria Sarai
New Delhi-110016

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Respected Sir,

I, Arun Kumar Singh; S/o Late Basdeo Singh, resident of 64-2-2 Barabagan Lane, Serampore, Hooghly, West Bengal; PIN-712203 [Tel No. mobile 9830893420; [email:- officeaksingh@gmail.com] wish to seek information under RTI Act 2005 from CPIO, I hereby declare that I am citizen of India un-Estt. (A) by Govt. of India DoPT Dated der Article 5(a) of our Constitution, and information sought in this application will be used in the best of public interest; I further assure you that, I shall not allow /cause to use/ pass /share /display /or circulate the information received in any case and under any circumstances with any person or in any manner which would be detrimental to the unity / sovereignty or against interest of India.

1. The Information needed in documents form, preferably by Registered post.

2. The information sought pertains to your office i.e. The Central Public Information Officer; Sh.Sunil Bareja, Deputy Director, Fourteenth Finance Commission, B 14 A Chatrapati Shivaji Bhawan, Near Katwaria Sarai, New Delhi-110016

3. Information required is for the period of; 01-04-2000 to till Date

5. The particulars / details of information / documents are asked for given below:-

A] Kindly provide information on procedure followed as per constitutional scheme in appropriation/sharing of cess collected under section 15 Oil Industry Development Act, 1974 credited directly to Consolidated Fund of India amongst States

B] Kindly provide information as per your record method of usage of funds levied under point A as for these purposes cess be levied on crude oil and natural gas to create an Oil Industry (Development) Fund

C] Kindly provide information on as per <u>OIDB</u> annual report 2012-13 The proceeds of the duties of excise levied under Section 15 of Oil Industry (Development) Act are first credited to the Consolidated Fund of India and the Central Government may, if Parliament by appropriation made by law in this behalf, so provides, pay to the Board from time to time,

rrom(it of such proceeds, after deducting the expenses of collection, such sums of money as it may think fit for being utilize d exclusively for the purposes of this Act. Accordingly, the Central Government has paid an amount of Rs. 902.40 crore to OIDB out of the cess amount of more than Rs.1, 18,507 crore approximately since inception and up to 31st March 2013. The Central Government under section 17 of the Act may also, after due appropriation made by Parliament by law in this behalf, pay to the Board by way of grants or loans such sums of money as the Central Government may consider necessary. However, no loan or grant has been given to OIDB so far as per annual report a cess collection of Rs/-118506.95+ Cr. (Till 2012-13) From which a total Payment made to OIDB by Govt. stands at 920.40Cr and last payment was made in 1991-92 for Rs/-95 Cr. As such kindly provide information on the current status of entire fund and its method of distribution amongst various States and as per norms share of West Bengal, Bihar & Orissa (Details can viewed at OIDB http://www.oidb.gov.in/writereaddata/linkimages/English%20PDF%20Annual%20Repo rt7489863746.pdf

D] Kindly provide information on procedure followed for sharing of funds available under this heads of accounts

E] Kindly provide information on with copy for sharing of funds amongst state which is charged by the union Govt.

F] Kindly provide information on reason for not appropriating the sum levied under this heads of account to states especially those who were under financial distress.

It is submitted that above information sought does no/t fall within the exemptions of U/S 8 of RTI Act, 2005 since the execution is over and in Public interest and to the best of my Knowledge it pertains to your esteemed office in your statutory capacity as CPIO u/s 5(1) of RTI Act, 2005 read with section 5(4) & 5(5) of the Act.

As per the RTI Act, 2005 u/s 6(1) Please find enclosed herewith RTI application online as stipulated; further I do hereby undertake to pay additional fee if any as stipulated Under Right to Information (Regulation of Fee and Cost) Rules, 2007

Kindly provide the information as expeditiously as possible and not beyond 30 days from date of receipt as stipulated u/s 7(1) of RTI Act 2005 and in case if the matter is held by another authority in that case please follow the provisions of section 6(3) (i) (ii) of RTI Act, 2005 and transfer the application accordingly and oblige.

Place: Serampore Date: 04-06-2014

Signature of the Applicant

(Arun Kumar Singh)

Completed "OCC on RTI" from Ministry of Personnel, PG & Pension; DoPT, Govt. of India in collaboration with Centre for Good Governance Hyderabad.

E-mail Address if any: rtiarun@hotmail.com

Residence: -64-2-2 Barabagan Lane; Serampore, Hooghly, W.B; PIN -712203

Mobile No.98308 93420

No.17027/01/2014-RTI Government of India Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas (RTI & PG Section)

Subject : Information sought under Right To Information Act-2005.

The application received under RTI Act-2005 is forwarded herewith for necessary action as per provisions of the RTI Act-2005.

SI. No	FTS Dy.No	Name of the Applicant S/Shri/Ms.	Subject	Receipt No. & date	Amount	Date of disposal
1.	31469	Arun Kr. Singh	Sharing of funds	27-11-2014	DOP	26-12-14

The concerned CPIO is requested to endorse copies of replies sent to the applicants to this Section for furnishing periodical returns to the CIC and monitoring disposal of RTI applications under the Act i.e. within 30 days.

(Afr. I) 28/11

(S.K. Sharma) Section Officer

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US(Finance-I)
Concerned CPIO
Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas
New Delhi

By Speed Post

F.No. 267/62/2014/CX.8 **GOVERNMENT OF INDIA** MINISTRY OF FINANCE **DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE NORTH BLOCK CENTRAL BOARD OF EXCISE AND CUSTOMS**

New Delhi, the 18th November, 2014

CPIO,

Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, RTI Section, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi,

Subject: Information sought under the RTI Act, 2005

Sir,

This has reference to two RTI applications dated 4.6.2014 under the RTI Act, 2005 which has been filed by Sh. Arun Kumar Singh. The same has been received from the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas on 5.11.2014. The said RTI application was forwarded by the RTI Cell, Department of Revenue to the CX-8 Section vide FTS No.206714/2014 RTI Cell dated 5.11.2014.

On scrutiny of the above RTI applications, it appears that the applicant has sought information which pertains to the CPIO, Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas. Therefore, the RTI application is hereby transferred to the CPIO (Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas) as per the provision of section 6(3) of RTI Act, 2005 for providing necessary information to the applicant directly.

Yours Sincerely.

(Shankar Prasad Sarma)

CPIO (CX-8)

Copy to,

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- (2) Sh. Arun Kumar Singh, Annapurna Bhawan, 1st Floor, Flat No. 102, Serampore, Hoogly-712203, West Bengal
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F.No. 267/62/2014/CX.8 GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FINANCE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE NORTH BLOCK CENTRAL BOARD OF EXCISE AND CUSTOMS

New Delhi, the 18th November, 2014

To CPIO, Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, RTI Section, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi,

Subject: Information sought under the RTI Act, 2005

Sir,

This has reference to two RTI applications dated 4.6.2014 under the RTI Act, 2005 which has been filed by Sh. Arun Kumar Singh. The same has been received from the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas on 5.11.2014. The said RTI application was forwarded by the RTI Cell, Department of Revenue to the CX-8 Section vide FTS No.206714/2014 RTI Cell dated 5.11.2014.

On-scrutiny of the above RTI applications, it appears that the applicant has sought information which pertains to the CPIO, Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas. Therefore, the RTI application is hereby transferred to the CPIO (Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas) as per the provision of section 6(3) of RTI Act, 2005 for providing necessary information to the applicant directly.

Yours Sincerely

(Shankar Prasad Sarma)

CPIO (CX-8)

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