

Disclosure of Information is subject to exemptions
under Section 8(i)(j) and Section 10(1) of the RTI Act,
2005.

Pages 1 - 10 has personal details of the applicants which are exempted from disclosure under Section 8(1) (j) of the RTI Act, 2005. However, a list of names of applicant is given

**Applications for the post of Information
Commissioners**

S. No.	NAME
1	SARWAR KHAN
2	AJAY NARAYAN JHA
3	AJIT KUMAR PANDE
4	DIVYA GUPTA
5	SANJAY KUMAR SAXENA
6	VIJAY KUMAR CHINTAMAT VINOD
7	VEENA JAIN
8	GURUGUBELLI SURYA
9	RAJAK KHAN HAIDER
10	I.M. SETHIYA
11	VIMLA SETHIYA
12	PONNUSAMY M.
13	NIRMALENDU MOHAPATRA
14	SATYANARAIN AGNIHOTRI
15	SANJEEV BHARTIYA DUBE
16	MUNISH KUMAR SHARMA
17	RAMESH CHANDER HOODA
18	RAMAWATAR MEENA
19	JATINDER KUMAR SHARMA
20	MADAN MOHAN GOEL
21	TUSHAR SUBHRA SANTRA
22	V. SEKAR
23	DHARAMENDRA KUMAR (Entry Repeated at S.No. 103)
24	RINA MITRA
25	ROHIT NANDAN
26	SUNIL KUMAR SINGH
27	R. KANNAN
28	SHARAT CHANDRA JETHI
29	T. NARAYANA
30	PRAMOD KUMAR
31	VIMAL KUMAR JAIN
32	NIRMALA CHALLAGALLA
33	ARUN JHA
34	RANJIT KUMAR PACHNANDA
35	R. RAJASEKHARAN
36	PUKHRAJ SINGH MALIK
37	SUDHIR CHOWDHARY
38	PRASANTA KUMAR MAHAPATRA
39	DEVENDER KUMAR BHALLA
40	ANADEE NATH MISHRA

41	AJAI KUMAR SAHGAL
42	RAJENDRA SINGH SIRKARWAR
43	B.N. SHARMA
44	ARUN KUMAR SINHA (Entry Repeated at S.No. 104)
45	RAKESH SRIVASTAVA
46	ANIL KUMAR GUPTA
47	PRASHANT KUMAR
48	NARENDER KUMAR BHOLA
49	SUSHEEL KUMAR
50	SANJIV GARG
51	SHAMBHU DAYAL MEENA
52	VINOD KUMAR
53	ANANT KUMAR DHUL
54	ARUN KR. SRIVASTAVA
55	RAJINDER PARSHAD MITTAL
56	BHAGWATI PRASAD PANDEY
57	RANJAN KUMAR GHOSE
58	KASI VIDYASAGAR
59	SUSHIL KANT MISRA
60	DHARAMRAJ SINGH
61	RAVINDRA KUMAR SRIVASTAVA
62	YOG DHYAN BANGA
63	SARVESH KAUSHAL
64	G.K. SURESH BABU
65	SANTLAL JHA SUMAN
66	HIDAYATULLAH KHAN
67	DEEPAK HASTIR
68	VANAJA N. SARNA
69	BRAHAM SWAROOP AGRAWAL
70	RAVINDRA NATH YADAV
71	HIRNESH KUMAR SHARADCHANDRA BHAVSAR
72	ARUN KUMAR
73	ANJALI ANAND SRIVASTAVA
74	VIJAY KUMAR SINGH
75	PRADEEP RAGHUNANDAN
76	PRASENJIT MUKHERJEE
77	DEVENDRA KUMAR PATHAK
78	RANI SINGH NAIR
79	DILEEP KUMAR GUPTA DINKAR
80	KRISHANA KUMAR GUPTA
81	MANSURI HABIB SHAKURBHAI
82	ARUN KUMAR PANDEY

83	V. PRAVEEN
84	SOUMITRA KUMAR DEY
85	T. BHASKARAN
86	V. JAGADEESHWAR RAO
87	DARISI HIMACHALA RAO
88	MAHENDRA KUMAR GOEL
89	RASHMI VERMA
90	GOPAL CHANDRA MISHRA
91	SANJEEV AGGARWAL
92	JOGULA SATHYANARAYANA
93	PAWAN TIWARI
94	KAILASH PRASAD DEWANGAN
95	YUDISHTER SHARMA
96	UMA SHRIVASTAVA
97	PIYUSH AGARWAL
98	ARVINDA SHARAN
99	HARIDEESH KUMAR B.
100	BHAGWAT GAUR
101	PANKAJ BATRA
102	RAJEEV TANDON
103	DHARAMENDRA KUMAR
104	ARUN KUMAR SINHA
105	ACHLA SINHA
106	SIDDHARTHA VIJAI NARAYAN
107	POORNIMA.A
108	JADAB KUMAR PAL
109	LAKSHMI PRASANNA. CHODAVARAPU
110	MOHAN REDDY CHINTHAKUNTA
111	ASHOK KUMAR JAIN
112	SANJAY KUMAR PANDA
113	ALOK KUMAR
114	DHAYAN SINGH
115	UMA KANT SADHAV
116	FRANK NORONHA
117	DEVENDRA SWAROOP SAKSENA
118	ESTHER SAKUNTHALA KAR
119	MEERA HANDA
120	Y P RAI
121	TUSHAR KANTI BANDYOPADHYAY
122	YASHVARDHAN KUMAR SINHA
123	AVINASH KUMAR SRIVASTAVA
124	VIRENDER KUMAR SONKAR
125	KANWARJIT SINGH
126	MOOLCHAND CHAUHAN

127	DEVENDRA MISHRA
128	SUBHASH CHANDRA YADAVA
129	AJAY KUMAR SINGH
130	SASIDHARAN. V
131	AKSHAY KUMAR ROUT
132	B. MARIA KUMAR
133	E. MARIAPPAN
134	VIDYA PRAKASH PATHAK
135	T.K. RADHAKRISHNA PILLAI
136	SAMA GOPAL REDDY
137	PRAFULLA RANJAN
138	ANURADHA VERMA
139	ANIL KUMAR UPADHYAY
140	SARABJIT SINGH JATTAN
141	B.V.N PRASAD
142	ISH KUMAR
143	BUDDARAPU VENKATESWARA RAO
144	S.K. MISHRA
145	MANGARI RAJENDER
146	JALADI RATNA SUDHEER
147	S. AMBIGAIDASS
148	SATYA NARAYAN MOHANTY
149	SHOBHANA JOSHI
150	UJJAL KUMAR SEN GUPTA
151	BABU LAL MEENA
152	BHAGWAN SINGH
153	V. PALANI KUMAR
154	CHANDER PRAKASH
155	SANGEETA VERMA
156	RAJEEV KAPOOR
157	HARINDER RANA
158	ANUPAMA JHA
159	BHARAT BHUSHAN VYAS
160	K.V.EAPEN
161	RITA MITRA
162	SHIVA PRAKASH UPADHYAY
163	RAJIV DUTT SHARMA
164	SUNIRA BASSI
165	DEVESH KUMAR MISRA
166	ANSHU TYAGI
167	SHOBHA UPADHYAY
168	SHIIV SHANKAR SINGH
169	PANKAJ KUMAR
170	OINAM IBOPISHAK

171	GANGA KAPAVARAPU
172	MANORANJAN DASH
173	DURGASHARAN CHANDRA
174	RAKESH KUMAR MEHTA
175	VIJAYA SRIVASTAVA
176	NAND KISHORE
177	BISHWAMITRA PANDEY
178	PRADEEP SHARMA
179	CHANDRA KISHORE SHARMA
180	APARAJITHA RAMADYANI
181	JAGDISH PRASAD MEENA
182	SUDHIR TRIPATHI
183	ASHWINI ATTRI
184	K.B.SASIKUMAR
185	POONDLA BHASKARA MOHAN
186	ABHIJIT CHAKRAVERTY
187	Y.S. SHAHRAWAT
188	RAGHAV CHANDRA
189	M.A.MALIK
190	ABRAHUM VARICKAMACKAL
191	M. RAJARAM
192	ASHOK KUMAR DASH
193	SHOBHANA KUMAR PATTANAYAK
194	ANAND SAGAR UPADHYAY
195	PRONoy KUMAR DEY
196	ANOOP KUMAR SRIVASTAVA
197	DEVENDER SINGH
198	SITANSHU RANJAN KAR
199	USHA CHANDRASEKHAR
200	PARVEZ HAYET
201	ANAND MATHUR
202	RAVINDRA SHANKAR SHUKLA
203	GUDURU YUGANDHAR
204	BHUPENDRA SINGH RAWAT
205	ASHOK KUMAR GUPTA
206	ANIL KUMAR SINGH
207	TRIVIKRAM NATH TIWARI
208	SUMITA PURKAYASTHA
209	SEEMA BAHUGUNA
210	ANANT KUMAR SINGH
211	K L DHINGRA
212	MAHIPAL SINGH
213	ANUP KUMAR PRASAD
214	N.K. SOLANKI

215	SHAMBU SHARAN GUPTA
216	KAILASH SANOLIA
217	DILBAG SINGH PUNIA
218	INDRAJEET S KHANNA
219	RAM KRISHNA PATNAIK
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221	VEENA ISH
222	SARAT KUMAR ACHARYA
223	S. RAMESH
224	JOJNESWAR SHARMA
225	SHYAM SUNDAR AGARWAL
226	SEEMA MALIK
227	D.DEVENDER SINGH
228	SHANTI MAKWANA HARDING
229	NEMI KUMAR
230	DR. V K BAHUGUNA
231	HEM KUMAR PANDE
232	BHASKAR UDDHAVRAO MORE
233	MATHEW THOMAS
234	NARENDRA SINHA
235	SRINIVAS MADHAV
236	LAW KUMAR MISHRA
237	UGRASEN PANDEY
238	A K. GOYAL
239	YUDHISHTER SHARMA
240	AJAY KUMAR LAL
241	M.G. GOPAL
242	UMA SRIVASTAVA
243	SHIVAYYA SWAMY KAMTHANA
244	VAITHIALING BALASUBRAMANIAN
245	K. MUTHUPANDIAN
246	ANIL KUMAR AGARWAL
247	DILIP KUMAR
248	C. P. RAMARAJA PREMA PRASAD
249	ANIL KUMAR SHARMA
250	MURTHY PENUMARTY
251	SHASHIN RAI
252	V.RAMARAJ
253	MEDINI GUPTA
254	PRADEEP GUR
255	SHEHZAD MOHD. KHAN
256	LEENA NAIR
257	RAMESH CHANDRA
258	PATIBANDLA SATYA NARAYANA PRASAD

259	R S KAMBO
260	LOKESH DUTT JHA
261	RAJENDRAKUMAR RANJITSINGH CHAUDHARI
262	VIPUL VIJOY
263	PREM LATA GAUTAM
264	D.B. BINU
265	MAJ. GEN. SATINDER PAL SINGH KOLHI
266	TJPS VARDHAN
267	B.B. KHANNA
268	ANANYA RAY
269	PRAKALPA SHARMA
270	SRINIVASAN VIDHYA SHANKAR
271	NEERAJ KUMAR GUPTA
272	AMITAVA MUKHOPADHYAY
273	L. WILLIAM BALU
274	NAVNEET KUMAR GUPTA
275	KUSHAL CHAUDHARY
276	LOV VERMA
277	SHIVAJI NAIK
278	ARVIND SEN
279	MANISHA NANDA
280	VINEET CHAUDHRY
281	ASHEESH KUMAR AGARWAL

Late Applications

S.No.	NAME
1	VINOD KUMAR SHARMA
2	LAMBA TEJPAL SINGH
3	SUBHASH CHANDRA GOEL, IAS (RETD.)
4	DEEPAK MISHRA, IAS
5	DHANPAL JAISWAL
6	V. VIJAY KUMAR
7	ASHOK KUMAR GAUTAM
8	K.V.V.V. Satyanarayana
9	Dr. Kavassery Seshan Uma
10	M.N. Krishnamurthy

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COURT NO.5

SECTION PIL-W

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Writ Petition(s)(Civil) No(s). 436/2018

ANJALI BHARDWAJ & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

Date : 27-07-2018 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.K. SIKRI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK BHUSHAN

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Mr. Rahul Gupta, Adv.

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Mr. Rajesh Ranjan, Adv.
Ms. Kirti Dua, Adv.
Mr. A.K. Sharma, Adv.
Ms. Saudamini Sharma, Adv.

State of Gujarat Mrs. Hemantika Wahi, Adv.
Ms. Jesal Wahi, Adv.
Ms. Puja Singh, Adv.
Ms. Mamta Singh, Adv.
Ms. Vishakha, Adv.

State of Kerala Mr. G. Prakash, Adv.
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Mrs. Priyanka Prakash, Adv.
Mrs. Beena Prakash, Adv.

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Mr. Guntur Prabhakar, AOR
Ms. Prerna Singh, Adv.

Mr. P. Venkat Reddy, Adv.
Mr. Prashant Kr. Tyagi, Adv.

For M/s Venkat Palwai Law Associates, AOR

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

Mrs. Pinky Anand, learned Additional Solicitor General, has, on instructions, stated that the Government of India has advertised for the posts of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission, located at New Delhi. She has also produced a copy of the Newspaper containing the said advertisement which shows that this advertisement has been published today only. As per the advertisement, last date for receipt of the applications is 31.08.2018. It is not stated in the advertisement as to how many posts are advertised. We are informed that by December, 2018, four more vacancies would fall vacant as four more persons are going to retire in next few months.

In these circumstances, we direct the Union of India to file an affidavit stating as to how many post(s) it proposes to fill up pursuant to the aforesaid advertisement. The affidavit shall also indicate the time schedule within which the posts are to be filled up. Mr. Prashant Bhushan, learned counsel, has invited our attention to Prayer 'F' of the Writ Petition. The affidavit shall also respond to the said prayer.

The Government of India had issued similar advertisement in the year 2016. However, no appointments have been made pursuant thereto. In the affidavit, the reasons for not making any appointment pursuant to the said advertisement shall also be stated.

Respondent Nos. 2 to 9 are different State Governments. As it

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is stated in this petition that the posts of many Information Commissioners are vacant in these States as well which have not been filled up, these States shall also file their affidavit enumerating the steps which they are taking for filling up the said posts. In these affidavits, they would also stipulate the time schedule within which they intend to fill these posts and the procedure which shall be followed in this regard. Such affidavit(s) shall be filed within four weeks.

It is made clear that no further time shall be given for this purpose. This Court shall take a serious view in case of any default on the part of any of the respondents in not filing the affidavit(s) within the stipulated time.

List the matter after four weeks.

(SUSHIL KUMAR RAKHEJA)
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(RAJINDER KAUR)
BRANCH OFFICER

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA

CIVIL/CRL./APPELLATE/ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL/CRL.) NO.

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IN THE MATTER OF:

..... PETITIONER(S)

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..... RESPONDENT(S)

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ADVOCATE FOR RESPONDENT NO. 1 :**IN THE SUPREME COURT AT NEW DELHI****(CIVIL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION)****Writ Petition (Civil) No. 436 of 2018****PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION****IN THE MATTER OF :**

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**AFFIDAVIT FOR & ON BEHALF OF THE RESPONDENT NO. 1
PURSUANT TO THE ORDER DATED 27.07.2018 PASSED BY THE
HON'BLE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA**

I, Rajbir Singh, Son of Shri Balwant Singh, aged 56 years in my official capacity as the Under Secretary (Department of Personnel & Training) to the Government of India, do hereby solemnly affirm and state as under:

1. That I am the Respondent No. 1 in the instant Writ Petition, fully conversant with the facts and the circumstances of the case based

on the records available and I am competent to swear this counter affidavit.

2. It is submitted that the government is fully committed to implement the RTI Act and take affirmative actions to make sure that there is no stifling the functioning of the same.
3. This Hon'ble Court on 27.07.2018 directed the Union of India to file an affidavit, stating as to how many post(s) it proposes to fill up pursuant to the advertisement for the posts of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission at New Delhi.
4. It is submitted that the Advertisement dated 27.07.2018 has been published in the leading newspapers in English and Hindi (two each), namely The Times of India and The Hindu (English); and Dainik Bhasker and Hindustan (Hindi). True copy of the advertisement in the newspapers published on 27.07.2018 inviting persons interested for post of information commissioners to send their particulars are annexed herewith as **ANNEXURE R-1** **(Colly)** (at page no. 12 to 15)
5. It is submitted that the advertisement was also uploaded on DoPT's website for inviting applications for filling up of the posts of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission (CIC). Presently, there are four vacant posts of

Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commissioners that are under the purview of the aforesaid advertisement for now. Suitable decision, in respect of the vacancies likely to arise in the future in the CIC, would be taken subsequently according to the requirement/ exigencies at the time. True typed copy of the notification published on the DOPT website inviting persons interested for the post of Information Commissioners to send their particulars is annexed herewith as **Annexure – R2.**

6. It is humbly submitted that the appointment of Information Commissioners in CIC is a comprehensive process that is undertaken at the highest level in the Government. As per section 12(3) of the Right to Information Act 2005, the Chief Information Commissioners and Information Commissioners shall be appointed by the President on the recommendation of the Selection Committee consisting of:-

- (i) The Prime Minister, who shall be the Chairperson of the Committee;
- (ii) The Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha; and
- (iii) A Union Cabinet Minister to be nominated by the Prime Minister.

Where the Leader of Opposition in the House of the People has not been recognised as such, the Leader of the single largest

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group in opposition of the Government in the House of the People shall be deemed to be the Leader of the Opposition.

7. In practice the process of selection of Information Commissioners involves following steps:-
- i) Particulars of the interested persons are invited through advertisements in newspapers and on DoPT's website. It is submitted, that this has already been carried out for the ongoing process and the closing date for the receipt of application is 31.08.2018.
 - ii) Particulars of the applications are to be tabulated and sent to the Search Committee that shall be constituted by the Hon'ble Prime Minister and chaired by the Cabinet Secretary. It is further submitted, that the composition of the Search Committee for the ongoing process has been approved by the Hon'ble Prime Minister meanwhile.
 - iii) Names shortlisted by the Search Committee are to be sent the Selection Committee constituted under 12(3) of the RTI Act and headed by the Hon'ble Prime Minister. It is submitted that the composition of the Selection Committee has been duly finalized for the process currently underway.

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- iv) Persons recommended by the Selection Committee headed by Hon'ble Prime Minister are to be appointed by the Hon'ble President.
8. It is further submitted for kind appreciation that in the RTI Act, a specific time frame has not been stipulated for submission of recommendations by the Selection Committee. However, in practice an adequate time is taken by the Committee for careful consideration of the applications received. As may be kindly appreciated, this would depend inter-alia on the number of applications received and also the availability of the Hon'ble Chairperson and other Members of these Committees.
9. It is submitted that in light of the above that at this stage, when the application process is still on and it is not known as to how many applications would be received, the precise time schedule within which the posts are to be filled up is difficult to be indicated.
10. The Hon'ble court vide order 27.07.2018 also directed that the affidavit shall respond to the said Prayer 'F' of the Writ Petition. Reply to each Clause of Prayer "F" of the Writ Petition are submitted here under:-

a) In reply to Prayer F (a) of the Writ Petition it is submitted that Advertisement for inviting applications for the posts of Information Commissioners have been published in leading newspapers on 27.7.2018 (two each English and Hindi) and also uploaded on DoPT's website. True copy of the advertisement is provided at **Annexure- R1 as already disclosed above.**

b) In reply to Prayer F(b) of the Writ Petition it is submitted that the eligibility criterion for appointment as Information Commissioner have been prescribed in the RTI Act itself vide Section 12(5). Those have accordingly been incorporated in the aforementioned advertisement (**Annexure-R1 as aforementioned**). This has also been uploaded on the DoPT's website.

c) In reply to Prayer F(c) of the Writ Petition it is submitted that Short listing of the candidates has not yet been done. The scrutiny of the applications/candidates would be done by the designated Search committee after the closing date for receipt of applications i.e. 31.08.2018. It is upto the approved Search Committee to devise modalities for shortlisting of the candidates out of the applications received. Paragraph 3 of the

notification published on the DOPT website inviting persons interested for the post of Information Commissioners (**Annexure – R2** as aforementioned) quotes the RTI Act, 2005 with respect to the criteria/qualifications for the person(s) who is/are to be appointed as an Information Commissioner.

d) In reply to Prayer F(d) of the Writ Petition it is submitted that The approved composition of the Search Committee is as follows:-


- (i) Cabinet Secretary - Chairman
- (ii) Additional Principal Secretary to PM - Member
- (iii) Secretary (Personnel) - Member
- (iv) Secretary (I&B) - Member
- (v) Secretary (Expenditure) - Member
- (vi) One outside expert.

The Search Committee would shortlist the eligible candidates for consideration of the Selection Committee headed by the Hon'ble Prime Minister. It is respectfully submitted however that it would not be conducive to publish such details in the manner sought. No such practice is followed in any other equivalent high level appointments of Government.

e) In reply of Prayer F(e) of the Writ Petition it is submitted that it has not been a practice to disclose the list of short-listed candidates prior to the completion of the selection process or to seek adverse information on the short-listed candidates from the public. The Search and Selection Committees evolve their own method of obtaining relevant information in respect of various candidates. However, it would not be conducive to publish such details in the manner sought. No such practice is followed in any other equivalent high level appointments of Government.

f) The Hon'ble Court also observed in the order dated 27.07.2018 that Government of India had issued similar advertisement in the year 2016, however, no appointments have been made pursuant thereto. It is submitted that the Government of India had issued advertisement dated 02.09.2016 in the leading newspapers (two each English and Hindi) and also uploaded on the DoPT's website inviting applications for filling up of posts of Information Commissioners. A process for amendment of the Right to Information Act, 2005 was also initiated to incorporate express / specific enabling provisions for determining the term of 'office', salaries and allowances payable to and other terms and conditions of service of the Chief Information

Commissioner and the Information Commissioners of the Central Information Commission and Chief State Information Commissioners and State Information Commissioners. The aforesaid selection process was not pursued pending the outcome of the process for amendment of the Act.



DEPONENT

(राजबीर सिंह)

(RAJBIR SINGH)

अवर सचिव / Under Secretary
कार्मिक एवं प्रशिक्षण विभाग
Deptt. of Personnel & Trg.
भारत सरकार / Govt. of India

VERIFICATION:

I, the above named deponent do hereby verify that what is stated in paragraphs 1 to 10 hereinabove are correct and true to my knowledge and nothing material has been concealed nor any part thereof is false.

Verified at Delhi on this the 27th day of August 2018.



DEPONENT

(राजबीर सिंह)

(RAJBIR SINGH)

अवर सचिव / Under Secretary
कार्मिक एवं प्रशिक्षण विभाग
Deptt. of Personnel & Trg.
भारत सरकार / Govt. of India

निवासी मंगल सिंह सोहना सब डिजिटल कोर्ट में चौकीदार है। उसके भाई प्रमोद का भोंडकी निवासी रवि और भूला से विवाद हुआ था। कोर्ट ने इस मामले में रवि और भूला को डेढ़-डेढ़ साल की सजा हुई थी। सजा कम मानते हुए पीड़ित पक्ष ने अपील दाखल की थी। इससे दूसरे पक्ष के लोग रवि, भूला खूबना थे। मंगल सिंह का आरोप है कि 19 जुलाई को रवि, भूला, राजपाल और कालू उनके घर पर आए और उनसे भारपीट की। पड़ोसियों ने आकर उन्हें बचाया। पुलिस का शिकायत देने भोंडकी थाना गए तो यहां हेड कास्टेबल राम कुमार ने गाली-गलौज की और रातभर हांकअप में बंद बंद दिया।

मंगल सिंह ने आरोप लगाया है कि महिला एएसआई व हेड कास्टेबल से उससे 50 हजार रुपए मांगे। इसे ना देने पर उसे दोबारा लॉकअप में बंद बंद दिया। रात करीब 9 बजे पीड़ित की पत्नी ने कोर्ट में न्याय की गुहार लगाई। इस पर कोर्ट ने रीडर लाखीचंद को सर्च वारंट देकर भोंडकी थाने भेजा। यहां लॉकअप में मंगलसिंह बंद मिला। मंगल सिंह को लेकर रीडर कोर्ट पहुंचा, यहां उसके बयान दर्ज कराए।

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क्रमांक: 257/अफ/18 **बी.टेक. प्रथम वर्ष 2018-19 में रिक्त सीटों के विरुद्ध शाल/स्थानीय प्रवेश सुचना** दिनांक: 26.07.2018
अभियांत्रिकी एवं प्रौद्योगिकी अध्ययनशाला, गुरु पार्कीयार विश्वविद्यालय, बिलासपुर (छ.ग.) द्वारा इंजीनियरिंग के सात विभागों केमिकल इंजीनियरिंग, सिविल इंजीनियरिंग, कंप्यूटर साइंस एण्ड इंजीनियरिंग, इलेक्ट्रॉनिक्स एण्ड कम्युनिकेशन इंजीनियरिंग, इन्फार्मेशन टेक्नॉलॉजी, इण्डस्ट्रियल एण्ड प्रोडक्शन इंजीनियरिंग एवं मेकेनिकल इंजीनियरिंग में रिक्त/छोटी गई सीटों के विरुद्ध रात्र 2018-19 के लिए बी.टेक प्रथम वर्ष में प्रवेश हेतु दिनांक 13 अगस्त, 2018 को शाल/स्थानीय प्रवेश दिया जाएगा। प्रवेश के इच्छुक अभ्यर्थी 04 से 09 अगस्त, 2018 के दौरान अपना पंजीयन ऑनलाइन कर सकेंगे हैं। पंजीयन, उपलब्ध सीटों एवं प्रवेश प्रक्रिया की विस्तृत जानकारी विश्वविद्यालय की वेबसाइट www.ggu.ac.in पर उपलब्ध है। कुलसचिव (कार्यवाहक)

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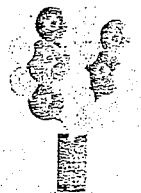
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Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
(Department of Personnel and Training)

North Block, New Delhi
Dated: 26th July, 2018

Subject: Appointment of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

Under the Right to Information Act 2005, the Government of India has constituted the Central Information Commission which is located in New Delhi. The powers and functions of the Information Commissioner in the Central Information Commission are as per the RTI Act, 2005.

2. It is proposed to appoint Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.
3. The Act provides that the Information Commissioner: -
 - (i) shall be a person of eminence in public life with wide knowledge and experience in law, science and technology, social service, management, journalism, mass-media or administration and governance.
 - (ii) shall not be a Member of Parliament or Member of the Legislature of any State or Union Territory, as the case may be, or hold any other office of profit or connected with any political party or carrying on any business or pursuing any profession. It is clarified that cessation/termination of holding of office of profit, pursuing any profession or carrying any business is a condition precedent to the appointment of a person as Information Commissioner.
4. Persons who have attained the age of 65 years shall not be eligible for appointment.
5. The salary, allowances and other terms and conditions of service of the Information Commissioners shall be as may be specified at the time of appointment of the selected candidate/s.
6. Persons fulfilling the criteria and interested for appointment to the post of Information Commissioner may send their particulars in the enclosed proforma, by post, to Under Secretary (RTI), Department of Personnel and Training, North Block, New Delhi or through e-mail to usrti-dopt@nic.in so as to reach between 1st August, 2018 and 31st August, 2018. Persons who are serving under the State/Central Government or any other Organization, should send their particulars through proper channel (administrative Ministry/Department/State/UTs).

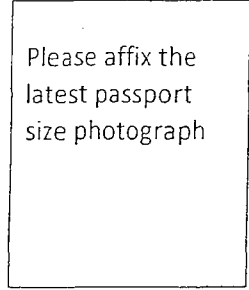
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2. RTI Act, 2005 and Rules thereunder may be referred to by intending applicants for general familiarization, as could be appropriate.

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Proforma for sending particulars for consideration for the post of Information Commissioner in the
Central Information Commission



1. Name :
2. Date of Birth :
3. Present Address :
4. Contact No.
 - a) Telephone (along with STD code) :
 - b) Mobile :
 - c) Fax :
5. E-mail Address :
6. Educational Qualification :
7. Area of Eminence :
8. Present Occupation :
9. Achievements/Work Experience :
(As per Annexure)

Date:
Place:

Signature:
Name:

**Details of Achievements/Work Experience in respect of candidates applying for the post of
Information Commissioner**

Sr. No.	Post	Organisation	Period From	To	Details of achievements/experience (in brief)
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दिनांक: 26.07.2018

विषय: केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्तों की नियुक्ति।

सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम, 2005 के अंतर्गत भारत सरकार ने केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग का गठन किया है जो नई दिल्ली में स्थित है। केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्त की शक्तियां और कार्य सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम, 2005 के अनुसार हैं।

2. केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्तों की नियुक्ति का प्रस्ताव है।

3. अधिनियम में यह प्रावधान है कि सूचना आयुक्त:-

- (i) विधि, विज्ञान और प्रौद्योगिकी, समाज सेवा, प्रबंधन, पत्रकारिता, मास-मीडिया अथवा प्रशासन और शासन में व्यापक ज्ञान और अनुभव रखने के साथ-साथ सार्वजनिक जीवन में ख्यातिप्राप्त व्यक्ति होना चाहिए।
- (ii) कोई संसद सदस्य अथवा किसी राज्य अथवा संघ राज्य क्षेत्र के विधानमंडल, जैसा भी मामला हो, का सदस्य नहीं होना चाहिए अथवा कोई अन्य लाभ का पद धारण करने वाला नहीं होना चाहिए अथवा किसी राजनीतिक दल से संबंधित नहीं होना चाहिए अथवा कोई व्यापार अथवा वृत्ति करने वाला नहीं होना चाहिए। यह स्पष्ट किया जाता है कि धारित किसी लाभ के पद, किसी वृत्ति अथवा किसी व्यापार की समाप्ति, सूचना आयुक्त के रूप में किसी व्यक्ति की नियुक्ति की पूर्व शर्त है।

4. ऐसे व्यक्ति जिन्होंने 65 वर्ष की आयु पूरी कर ली है, नियुक्ति के पात्र नहीं होंगे।

5. सूचना आयुक्तों का वेतन, भत्ते तथा सेवा की अन्य निबंधन एवं शर्तें वही होंगी जो चयनित उम्मीदवारों की नियुक्ति के समय निर्दिष्ट की जाएँ।

6. सूचना आयुक्त के पद के मानदण्डों को पूरा करने वाले और नियुक्ति के लिए इच्छुक व्यक्ति संलग्न प्रारूप में अपने विवरण डाक द्वारा अवर सचिव (सूचना का अधिकार), कार्मिक और प्रशिक्षण विभाग, नॉर्थ ब्लॉक, नई दिल्ली को, अथवा ई-मेल के माध्यम से usrtdopt@nic.in पर भेजें ताकि आवेदन 1 अगस्त से 31 अगस्त, 2018 तक पहुंच सके। ऐसे व्यक्ति जो राज्य/केन्द्र सरकार अथवा किसी अन्य संगठन में कार्यरत हैं, वे अपना विवरण/आवेदन उचित माध्यम (प्रशासनिक मंत्रालय/विभाग/राज्य/संघ राज्य क्षेत्र) से भेजें।

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2. सामान्य जानकारी हेतु इच्छुक आवेदक, जैसा उचित हो, सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम, 2005 और उसके अंतर्गत नियमों का संदर्भ लें।

केन्द्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्त के पद हेतु विचार किए जाने लिए भेजे गए विवरण हेतु
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F. NO. 4/9/2018-IR
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
(Department of Personnel and Training)

North Block, New Delhi
Dated: 26th July, 2018

Subject: Appointment of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

Under the Right to Information Act 2005, the Government of India has constituted the Central Information Commission which is located in New Delhi. The powers and functions of the Information Commissioner in the Central Information Commission are as per the RTI Act, 2005.

2. It is proposed to appoint Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.
3. The Act provides that the Information Commissioner: -
 - (i) shall be a person of eminence in public life with wide knowledge and experience in law, science and technology, social service, management, journalism, mass-media or administration and governance.
 - (ii) shall not be a Member of Parliament or Member of the Legislature of any State or Union Territory, as the case may be, or hold any other office of profit or connected with any political party or carrying on any business or pursuing any profession. It is clarified that cessation/termination of holding of office of profit, pursuing any profession or carrying any business is a condition precedent to the appointment of a person as Information Commissioner.
4. Persons who have attained the age of 65 years shall not be eligible for appointment.
5. The salary, allowances and other terms and conditions of service of the Information Commissioners shall be as may be specified at the time of appointment of the selected candidate/s.
6. Persons fulfilling the criteria and interested for appointment to the post of Information Commissioner may send their particulars in the enclosed proforma, by post, to Under Secretary (RTI), Department of Personnel and Training, North Block, New Delhi or through e-mail to usrti-dopt@nic.in so as to reach between 1st August, 2018 and 31st August, 2018. Persons who are serving under the State/Central Government or any other Organization, should send their particulars through proper channel (administrative Ministry/Department/State/UTs).

V Sinha
(Varsha Sinha)
Director (IR)
Tel: 23092755

Note:

1. Persons who may have applied earlier in response to advertisement dated 02.09.2016 are requested to apply afresh, if eligible.
2. RTI Act, 2005 and Rules thereunder may be referred to by intending applicants for general familiarization, as could be appropriate.

Proforma for sending particulars for consideration for the post of Information Commissioner in the
Central Information Commission

Please affix the
latest passport
size photograph

- 1. Name :
- 2. Date of Birth :
- 3. Present Address :
- 4. Contact No.
 - a) Telephone (along with STD code) :
 - b) Mobile :
 - c) Fax :
- 5. E-mail Address :
- 6. Educational Qualification :
- 7. Area of Eminence :
- 8. Present Occupation :
- 9. Achievements/Work Experience :
(As per Annexure)

Date:
Place:

Signature:
Name:

Annexure

Details of Achievements/Work Experience in respect of candidates applying for the post of
Information Commissioner

Sr. No.	Post	Organisation	Period		Details of achievements/experience (in brief)
			From	To	
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विषय: केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्तों की नियुक्ति।

सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम, 2005 के अंतर्गत भारत सरकार ने केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग का गठन किया है जो नई दिल्ली में स्थित है। केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्त की शक्तियां और कार्य सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम, 2005 के अनुसार हैं।

2. केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्तों की नियुक्ति का प्रस्ताव है।

3. अधिनियम में यह प्रावधान है कि सूचना आयुक्त:-

- (i) विधि, विज्ञान और प्रौद्योगिकी, समाज सेवा, प्रबंधन, पत्रकारिता, मास-मीडिया अथवा प्रशासन और शासन में व्यापक ज्ञान और अनुभव रखने के साथ-साथ सार्वजनिक जीवन में ख्यातिप्राप्त व्यक्ति होना चाहिए।
- (ii) कोई संसद सदस्य अथवा किसी राज्य अथवा संघ राज्य क्षेत्र के विधानमंडल, जैसा भी मामला हो, का सदस्य नहीं होना चाहिए अथवा कोई अन्य लाभ का पद धारण करने वाला नहीं होना चाहिए अथवा किसी राजनीतिक दल से संबंधित नहीं होना चाहिए अथवा कोई व्यापार अथवा वृत्ति करने वाला नहीं होना चाहिए। यह स्पष्ट किया जाता है कि धारित किसी लाभ के पद, किसी वृत्ति अथवा किसी व्यापार की समाप्ति, सूचना आयुक्त के रूप में किसी व्यक्ति की नियुक्ति की पूर्व शर्त है।

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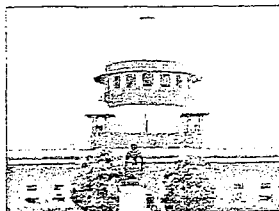
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's god's will vs statute, says Sabarimala priest

He Goes To Temple To Pray, Not To Question Custom'

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FAITH VS FREEDOM

Delhi: The debate over the Sabarimala Ayyappa temple's custom barring of women in the 1050 age groups saw a new twist Tuesday with the 'thantri' (priest) asking the Supreme Court to weigh between 'prasnam' (interpreting will of the god) supporting the practice and the SC's constitutional queries on women's right to equality. A bench of Chief Justice K. J. Somaya and Justices R. F. Nariman, A. M. Khanwilkar, D. Indrachud and Indu Malhotra brushed aside Pantanjali's counsel. The court said it would not interfere with the temple's customs, which were rooted in the devotion and faith of followers of a religious denomination. The CJI said, "We will go by the Constitution and its language. Once a temple is a

public religious place, it cannot prohibit entry of women. We are dealing with the core issue of a class of women being denied on the ground of their physiological characteristics. After allowing entry, women must follow all rituals commanded by the religion or its denomination. But how can entry be stopped into a public place of worship?"

Appearing for the 'thantri', senior advocate V. Giri said one went to a temple to worship and not to question the God and the religious practices of the denomination to which the temple belongs. "Has any of the per-

soners filed affidavits affirming their faith and belief in Lord Ayyappa? If not, how can they question its customs? Do they believe in idol worship and the core rituals of Ayyappa temple? Do they say they want to worship there? These are essential qualifications before one seeks equality," he said.

Giri said the issue of permitting women of all ages into Sabarimala temple was subjected to 'Devaprashnam', a ritual performed by well-known astrologers to answer questions pertaining to religious practices and instances where the 'thantris' are unable to take a decision.

"The results of such 'Devaprashnam' conducted in the past are documented which reveal that deity does not wish young women entering the temple precincts. 'Devaprashnam' holds a revered position in determining spiritual matters of temples in Kerala," he said.

Full report on www.toi.in

Govt asks SC to revisit choice of two lawyers as HC judges

New Delhi: The government has asked the Supreme Court collegium to reconsider its recommendation to appoint two lawyers as high court judges but did not cite any reason for its move, a senior government functionary said.

The SC collegium had in 2016 recommended names of Harsharesh Singh Gill and Mohammed Nizamuddin for appointment as judges of the Punjab and Haryana high court and the Calcutta high court respectively.

Recently too, the top court collegium's recommendation for the appointments of two lawyers, one of them a former top court judge's son, as judges of the Allahabad high court was returned for the second time by the government citing complaints against them.

The two lawyers are Mohammad Mansoor and Basharat Ali Khan. Mansoor is the son of former Supreme Court judge late Saghir Ahmed. PTI

Goa's speaker claims govt for failing to check cow vigilantes. Goa deputy speaker Michael D'Sa has hit out at his government over its "failure" to act against "cow vigilantes", alleging that it has resulted in beef shortage. Claiming that the shortage was affecting Goa's tourism, the BJP MLA demanded the Goa Meat Complex be re-started. PTI

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SC: Similar trademarks for different items a breach of law

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Delhi: In a landmark decision in the field of trademarks, the Supreme Court on Thursday said it was infringement of law if two distinctly different products are marketed by two different companies with "deceptively similar" trademarks. A decade-old trademark infringement case between Karnataka Cooperative Milk Producers Association, which has been marketing milk and milk products under the trademark 'Nandini' since 1985, and a group adopting the name 'Nandini' for its restaurant and food products business in 2009, continued through the Registrar of Trademarks, Intellectual Property Appellate and Karnataka High Court. With the board and the restraining the restaurant from using the 'Nandini' trademark, the battle shifted to the SC in 2015.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING)

Applications are invited for filling up posts of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission, located at New Delhi.

The details of eligibility conditions and the proforma for sending particulars for consideration for the posts of Information Commissioner in the Central Information Commission may be downloaded from the Department of Personnel and Training website: www.persmin.nic.in. The last date for receipt of the completed applications in the Department is 31st August, 2018.

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Call For Indo-Japanese Joint Project on
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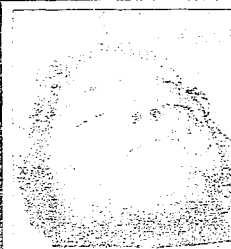
Applications are invited from outstanding Indian scientists/ researchers holding Ph.D. degree in science (received within the past 6 years) and less than 40 years of age and having regular positions in Indian recognized S&T Institutions/ Universities in any field of natural science (basic and applied), biotechnology, health and multidisciplinary research in science & technology.

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27.07.2018 Awik Bhaskar (Hindi)

निवासी मंगल सिंह सोहना सब डिविजन कोर्ट में चौकीदार है। उसके भाई प्रमोद का भोंडसी निवासी रवि और भूला से विवाद हुआ था। कोर्ट ने इस मामले में रवि और भूला को डेढ़-डेढ़ साल की सजा हुई थी। सजा कम मानते हुए पीड़ित पक्ष ने अपील दायर की थी। इससे दूसरे पक्ष के लोग रवि, भूला खफा थे। मंगल सिंह का आरोप है कि 19 जुलाई को रवि, भूला, राजपाल और कालू उनके घर पर आए और उनसे मारपीट की। पड़ोसियों ने आकर उन्हें बचाया। पुलिस को शिकायत देने भोंडसी थाना गए तो यहां हेड कांस्टेबल राम कुमार ने गाली-गलौज की और रातभर लॉकअप में बंद कर दिया।

मंगल सिंह ने आरोप लगाया है कि महिला एसआई व हेड कांस्टेबल से उससे 50 हजार रुपए मांगे। इसे ना देने पर उसे दोबारा लॉकअप में बंद कर दिया। रात करीब 9 बजे पीड़ित की पत्नी ने कोर्ट में न्याय की गुहार लगाई। इस पर कोर्ट ने रीडर लखीचंद को सर्च वारंट देकर भोंडसी थाने भेजा। यहां लॉकअप में मंगलसिंह बंद मिला। मंगल सिंह को लेकर रीडर कोर्ट पहुंचा, यहां उसके बयान दर्ज कराए।

निविदा सूचना

हरियाणा केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय, गहेन्द्रगढ़ की ओर से गुग्गुन एवं पैकेजिंग विभाग ने निम्नलिखित प्रयोगशालाओं की स्थापना हेतु आवश्यक वस्तुओं/मशीनों की खरीद हेतु खुली निविदाएं आमंत्रित की जाती हैं-

(1) ऑफसेट तकनीक प्रयोगशाला	(5) इमेजिंग कैरियर निर्माण प्रयोगशाला
(2) फ्लैक्सोग्राफी तकनीक प्रयोगशाला	(6) पैकेजिंग स्तर, रसाही परीक्षण एवं गुणवत्ता नियंत्रण प्रयोगशाला
(3) गुरुत्व तकनीक प्रयोगशाला	(7) बाइंडिंग एवं पृष्ठ-राज्या प्रयोगशाला
(4) गुग्गुन एवं पैकेजिंग के कंप्यूटर का प्रयोग हेतु प्रयोगशाला	

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गुरु घासीदास विश्वविद्यालय, बिलासपुर (छ.ग.)

(निजी निविदा प्रणाली पर निविदाएं 2018-19 में रिक्त सीटों के विरुद्ध स्थल/स्थानीय प्रवेश सूचना दिनांक: 26.07.2018)

क्रमांक: 257/अका./18 बी.टेक. प्रथम वर्ष 2018-19 में रिक्त सीटों के विरुद्ध स्थल/स्थानीय प्रवेश सूचना दिनांक: 26.07.2018

अभियांत्रिकी एवं प्रौद्योगिकी अध्ययनशाला, गुरु घासीदास विश्वविद्यालय, बिलासपुर (छ.ग.) द्वारा इंजीनियरिंग के सात विभागों केमिकल इंजीनियरिंग, सिविल इंजीनियरिंग, कंप्यूटर साइंस एण्ड इंजीनियरिंग, इलेक्ट्रानिक्स एण्ड कम्युनिकेशन इंजीनियरिंग, इन्फार्मेशन टेक्नालॉजी, इण्डस्ट्रियल एण्ड प्रोडक्शन इंजीनियरिंग एवं मेकेनिकल इंजीनियरिंग में रिक्त/छोड़ी गई सीटों के विरुद्ध रात्र 2018-19 के लिए बी.टेक प्रथम वर्ष में प्रवेश हेतु दिनांक 13 अगस्त, 2018 को स्थल/स्थानीय प्रवेश दिया जाएगा। प्रवेश के इच्छुक अभ्यर्थी 04 से 09 अगस्त, 2018 के दौरान अपना पंजीयन ऑनलाईन करा सकते हैं। पंजीयन, उपलब्ध सीटों एवं प्रवेश प्रक्रिया की विस्तृत जानकारी विश्वविद्यालय की वेबसाइट www.ggu.ac.in पर उपलब्ध है। कुलसचिव (कार्यवाहक)

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Court of Sh. Yash Garg, IAS, Deputy Commissioner-cum-District Marriage Officer, Rohtak (Haryana) India.
No. 3744/R Date: 5-7-2018

The general public is informed by this notice that on 11-06-2018, Deepak Kumar S/o Sh. Satyapal Kumar R/o H.No. 832, Village Samargopalpur District Rohtak and Harpreet Kaur D/o Sh. Rajender Singh R/o H.No. 247, MIG Flats, Metro Apartment, Jahangir Puri, Delhi have submitted a notice to intend marriage in this court under the special Marriage Act, 1954 for solemnization of marriage. If someone has any objection against this marriage, he can file his objection in this office within one months from the date of this notice. After this period, the further proceeding will be initiated as per rules.

Given under my signature and seal of the office/court on this 11th day of June, 2018.

Deputy Commissioner-cum-Marriage Officer,
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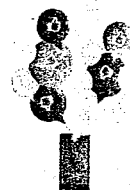
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4. Name and address of the First Appellate Authority Who decided the First Appeal
5. Particulars of the application
6. Particulars of the order(s) including number, if any, against which the appeal is preferred
7. Brief facts leading to the appeal
8. Prayer or relief sought
9. Grounds for the prayer or relief
10. Any other information relevant to the appeal
11. Verification/authentication by the appellant

(3) For the purposes of sub-rule (2), a person shall be deemed to have availed of all the remedies available to him under the Act:

- (a) if he had filed an appeal before the First Appellate Authority and the First Appellate Authority or any other person competent to pass order on such appeal had made a final order on the appeal; or
- (b) where no final order has been made by the First Appellate Authority with regard to the appeal preferred, and a period of forty five days from the date on which such appeal was preferred has elapsed.

11. Procedure for deciding appeals.—The Commission, while deciding an appeal may.—

- (i) receive oral or written evidence on oath or on affidavit from concerned or interested person;
- (ii) peruse or inspect documents, public records or copies thereof;
- (iii) inquire through authorised officer further details or facts;
- (iv) hear Central Public Information Officer, Central Assistant Public Information Officer or the First Appellate Authority, or such person against whose action the appeal is preferred, as the case may be;
- (v) hear third party; and
- (vi) receive evidence on affidavits from Central Public Information Officer, Central Assistant Public Information Officer, First Appellate Authority and such other person against whom the appeal lies or the third party.

12. Presence of the appellant before the Commission.—(1) The appellant shall be informed of the date at least seven clear days before the date of hearing.

- (2) The appellant may be present in person or through his duly authorised representative or through video conferencing, if the facility of video conferencing is available, at the time of hearing of the appeal by the Commission.
- (3) Where the Commission is satisfied that the circumstances exist due to which the appellant is unable to attend the hearing, then, the Commission may afford the appellant another opportunity of being heard before a final decision is taken or take any other appropriate action as it may deem fit.

13. Presentation by the Public Authority.—The public authority may authorise any representative or any of its officers to present its case.

14. Service of notice by Commission.—The Commission may issue the notice by name, which shall be served in any of the following modes, namely:—

- (i) service by the party itself;
- (ii) by hand delivery (dasti) through Process Server;
- (iii) by registered post with acknowledgement due;
- (iv) by electronic mail in case electronic address is available.

15. Order of the Commission.—The order of the Commission shall be in writing and issued under the seal of the Commission duly authenticated by the Registrar or any other officer authorised by the Commission for this purpose.

[F. No. 1/35/2009-IR]

MANOJ JOSHI, Jt. Secy.

APPENDIX

FORMAT OF APPEAL

(See Rule 8)

1. Name and address of the appellant
2. Name and address of the Central Public Information Officer to whom the application was addressed
3. Name and address of the Central Public Information Officer who gave reply to the Application

3. Application Fee.—An application under sub-section (1) of Section 6 of the Act shall be accompanied by a fee of rupees ten and shall ordinarily not contain more than five hundred words, excluding annexures, containing address of the Central Public Information Officer and that of the applicant:

Provided that no application shall be rejected only on the ground that it contains more than five hundred words.

4. Fees for providing information.—Fee for providing information under sub-section (4) of Section 4 and sub-sections (1) and (5) of Section 7 of the Act shall be charged at the following rates, namely :—

- (a) rupees two for each page in A-3 or smaller size paper;
- (b) actual cost or price of a photocopy in large size paper;
- (c) actual cost or price for samples or models;
- (d) rupees fifty per diskette or floppy;
- (e) price fixed for a publication or rupees two per page of photocopy for extracts from the publication;
- (f) no fee for inspection of records for the first hour of inspection and a fee of rupees 5 for each subsequent hour or fraction thereof; and
- (g) so much of postal charge involved in supply of information that exceeds fifty rupees.

5. Exemption from Payment of Fee.—No fee under rule 3 and rule 4 shall be charged from any person who is below poverty line provided a copy of the certificate issued by the appropriate Government in this regard is submitted along with the application.

6. Mode of Payment of fee.—Fees under these rules may be paid in any of the following manner, namely :—

- (a) in cash, to the public authority or to the Central Assistant Public Information Officer of the public authority, as the case may be, against a proper receipt; or
- (b) by demand draft or bankers cheque or Indian Postal Order payable to the Accounts Officer of the public authority; or
- (c) by electronic means to the Accounts Officer of the public authority, if facility for receiving fees through electronic means is available with the public authority.

7. Appointment of Secretary to the Commission.—The Central Government shall appoint an officer not below the rank of Additional Secretary to the Government of India as Secretary to the Commission.

8. Appeal to the Commission.—Any person aggrieved by an order passed by the First Appellate Authority or by non-disposal of his appeal by the First Appellate Authority, may file an appeal to the Commission in the format given in the Appendix and shall be accompanied by the following documents, duly authenticated and verified by the appellant, namely :—

- (i) a copy of the application submitted to the Central Public Information Officer;
- (ii) a copy of the reply received, if any, from the Central Public Information Officer;
- (iii) a copy of the appeal made to the First Appellate Authority;
- (iv) a copy of the Order received, if any, from the First Appellate Authority;
- (v) copies of other documents relied upon by the appellant and referred to in his appeal; and
- (vi) an index of the documents referred to in the appeal.

9. Return of Appeal.—An appeal may be returned to the appellant, if it is not accompanied by the documents as specified in rule 8, for removing the deficiencies and filing the appeal complete in all respects.

10. Process of appeal.—(1) On receipt of an appeal, if the Commission is not satisfied that it is a fit case to proceed with, it may, after giving an opportunity of being heard to the appellant and after recording its reasons, dismiss the appeal:

Provided that no appeal shall be dismissed only on the ground that it has not been made in the specified format if it is accompanied by documents as specified in rule 8.

(2) The Commission shall not consider an appeal unless it is satisfied that the appellant has availed of all the remedies available to him under the Act.

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 31st July, 2012

G.S.R. 603(E).—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 27 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (22 of 2005) and in supersession of the Central Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) Rules, 2005 and the Right to Information (Regulation of Fee and Cost) Rules, 2005 except as respects things done or omitted to be done before such supersession, the Central Government hereby makes the following rules, namely:—

1. **Short title and commencement.**—(1) These rules may be called the Right to Information Rules, 2012.
(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
2. **Definitions.**—In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,—
 - (a) "Act" means the Right to Information Act, 2005 (22 of 2005);
 - (b) "Commission" means the Central Information Commission constituted under sub-section (1) of Section 12 of the Act;
 - (c) "First Appellate Authority" means an officer in the public authority who is senior in rank to the Central Public Information Officer to whom an appeal under sub-section (1) of Section 19 of the Act lies;
 - (d) "Registrar" means an officer of the Commission so designated and includes an Additional Registrar, Joint Registrar and Deputy Registrar;
 - (e) "Section" means a Section of the Act;
 - (f) all other words and expressions used herein but not defined in these rules shall have the same meanings assigned to them in the Act.

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Annexure-1**High Court's intervention in last Selection Process**

As per provisions of the Act, the number of Information Commissioners the Central Information Commission should have, is need based and purely the prerogative of Union of India.

2. As a background for the need to fill up all posts of Information Commissioner in the CIC, we revert back to February 2014 when the Central Information Commission had a Chief Information Commissioner alongwith eight Information Commissioners. With the retirement of Chief Information Commissioner in May, 2014 and another Information Commissioner retiring in August, 2014, Government of India in February, 2014, initiated the process of selection of Information Commissioners.

3. Advertisements were issued on 25.2.2014 and 16.7.2014 and a total of 553 applications were received.

4. In April, 2015, a writ Petition(C) 3386 was filed by R.K. Jain & ors. v/s Union of India in Public Interest under Article 226 of the Constitution of India before Hon'ble High Court of Delhi regarding delay in appointment of Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission. After hearing both the sides on 21.5.2015, the Hon'ble Court reserved the matter for orders.

5. Meanwhile, the selection committee decided to fill only one post of Information Commissioner in addition to the Chief Information Commissioner. Accordingly, based on the Committee's recommendations, Shri Vijai Sharma was appointed as Chief Information Commissioner on 10.06.2015 and Shri Sudhir Bhargava as Information Commissioner on 11.06.2015. After these appointments, strength of Commission was one Chief Information Commissioner and Eight Information Commissioners.

6. With retirement of new Chief Information Commissioner in December 2015, Government decided to appoint Chief Information Commissioner and more Information Commissioners through the process of advertisement etc. Accordingly a combined advertisement dated 9.9.2015 seeking applications for the post of Chief Information Commissioner and more Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission was issued. A total of 341 applications [11 for CIC, 157 for IC and 173 for both posts of CIC and IC] were received.

7. Meanwhile, the above-mentioned court case was re-notified for hearing on 09.10.2015. The Hon'ble Court on 06.11.2015 gave following directions:

(i) The selection process that had commenced vide Notifications dated 25.02.2014 and 16.07.2014 shall be finalized within six weeks from today and the three vacancies of Information Commissioners existing as of today shall be filled up from amongst the 553 applications that were received in response to the said two notifications.

(ii) The selection process pursuant to the circular dated 09.09.2015 shall be confined for selection and appointment of the Chief Information Commissioner in the vacancy that would arise w.e.f. 02.12.2015 and one Information Commissioner which is likely to arise w.e.f. 02.12.2015.

8. The Union of India decided to challenge the order of the Court on point (i) of para 7.5 above and to comply with point (ii) of the said para.

9. In response to the notification dated 9.9.2015 and in pursuance of direction of Hon'ble High Court, Shri R.K. Mathur was appointed Chief Information Commissioner on 04.01.2016.

Supreme Court Directions

10. As regards selection of ICs pursuant to decision of Hon'ble High Court, the Government challenged the verdict of Hon'ble High Court, Delhi by way of SLP No. 34495/2015 in the Hon'ble Supreme Court. The case was heard on 08.01.2016.

"The Hon'ble Supreme Court allowed the prayer that the petitioner be permitted six weeks time so as to fill up the remaining three vacancies of Information Commissioners, out of the candidates who have responded to the notification dated 25.2.2014, 16.7.2014 and 9.9.2015. "

11. Government of India complied with the directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court by appointing three Information Commissioners in CIC on 25.2.2016. The strength of CIC was full with one Chief and ten Information Commissioners.

12. The PIL filed by R.K. Jain (Counsel – Prashant Bhushan) is open and may come up again if we do not fill all the vacant posts of ICs.

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CABINET SECRETARIAT

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1. Joint Secretary, Information Commission Chairman
2. Joint Secretary, Police Minister
3. Joint Secretary, Police
4. Joint Secretary, Education
5. Joint Secretary, Health
6. Joint Secretary, Labour
7. Joint Secretary, Development Board

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(Nivedita Shukla Verma)
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Cabinet Secretary : Chairman
Principal Secretary to Prime Minister
Secretary (Personnel)
Secretary (Higher Education)
Law Secretary
Ms. Annu Patel, Chairperson, National Dairy Development Board.

2. It is mentioned that the Search Committee may determine its own methodology for empanelling persons of eminence from various fields as prescribed in the Act and may submit a panel of one-three names for each vacancy.

3. The relevant file No. 11/9/2010 IR is forwarded to M/o Law & Justice on 18.09.2011 for their expert advice in the matter of selection procedure of Information Commissioner in Central Information Commission in the light of SLP filed in the Supreme Court challenging the selection procedure.

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Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions
Department of Personnel & Training
(IR Division)

North Block, New Delhi
Dated 13 July, 2018

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V Sinha
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Director (IR)
Tel: 23092755

Cabinet Secretariat (Kind Attn. Ms.V.Vidyavathi), Joint Secretary, Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi
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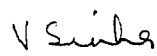
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4. Persons who have attained the age of 65 years shall not be eligible for appointment.

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Proforma for sending particulars for consideration for the post of Information Commissioner in the
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- 1. Name :
- 2. Date of Birth :
- 3. Present Address :
- 4. Contact No.
 - a) Telephone (along with STD code) :
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 - c) Fax :
- 5. E-mail Address :
- 6. Educational Qualification :
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(कार्मिक और प्रशिक्षण विभाग)

नॉर्थ ब्लॉक, नई दिल्ली
दिनांक: , 2018

विषय: केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्तों की नियुक्ति।

सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम, 2005 के अंतर्गत भारत सरकार ने केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग का गठन किया है जो नई दिल्ली में स्थित है। केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्त की शक्तियां और कार्य सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम, 2005 के अनुसार हैं।

2. केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्तों की नियुक्ति का प्रस्ताव है।

3. अधिनियम में यह प्रावधान है कि सूचना आयुक्त:-

- (i) विधि, विज्ञान और प्रौद्योगिकी, समाज सेवा, प्रबंधन, पत्रकारिता, मास-मीडिया अथवा प्रशासन और शासन में व्यापक ज्ञान और अनुभव रखने के साथ-साथ सार्वजनिक जीवन में ख्यातिप्राप्त व्यक्ति होना चाहिए।
- (ii) कोई संसद सदस्य अथवा किसी राज्य अथवा संघ राज्य क्षेत्र के विधानमंडल, जैसा भी मामला हो, का सदस्य नहीं होना चाहिए अथवा कोई अन्य लाभ का पद धारण करने वाला नहीं होना चाहिए अथवा किसी राजनीतिक दल से संबंधित नहीं होना चाहिए अथवा कोई व्यापार अथवा वृत्ति करने वाला नहीं होना चाहिए। यह स्पष्ट किया जाता है कि धारित किसी लाभ के पद, किसी वृत्ति अथवा किसी व्यापार की समाप्ति सूचना आयुक्त के रूप में किसी व्यक्ति की नियुक्ति की पूर्व शर्त है।

4. ऐसे व्यक्ति जिन्होंने 65 वर्ष की आयु पूरी कर ली है, नियुक्ति के पात्र नहीं होंगे।

5. सूचना आयुक्त के पद के मानदण्डों को पूरा करने वाले और नियुक्ति के लिए इच्छुक व्यक्ति संलग्न प्रारूप में अपने विवरण डाक द्वारा अवर सचिव (सूचना का अधिकार), कार्मिक और प्रशिक्षण विभाग, नॉर्थ ब्लॉक, नई दिल्ली को अथवा ई-मेल के माध्यम से usrtidopt@nic.in पर भेजे ताकि 1 अगस्त से 31 अगस्त, 2018 तक पहुंच सके। ऐसे व्यक्ति जो राज्य/केन्द्र सरकार अथवा किसी अन्य संगठन में कार्यरत हैं, वे अपना विवरण उचित माध्यम (प्रशासनिक मंत्रालय/विभाग/राज्य/संघ राज्य क्षेत्र) से भेजें। यदि आवेदन की कोई अग्रिम प्रति उचित माध्यम से भेज दी गई है, तो अगली प्रक्रिया हेतु विचार किए जाने के लिए यह निर्धारित तारीख से पूर्व पहुंच जानी चाहिए।

(वर्षा सिन्हा)
निदेशक-आईआर
दूरभाष: 23092759

टिप्पणी:

1. ऐसे व्यक्ति जिन्होंने दिनांक 02.09.2016 की विज्ञप्ति के उत्तर में पहले आवेदन किया है, से अनुरोध है कि यदि पात्र हों, तो नए सिरे से आवेदन करें।
2. सामान्य जानकारी हेतु इच्छुक आवेदक, जैसा उचित हो, सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम, 2005 और उसके अंतर्गत नियमों का संदर्भ लें।

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नई दिल्ली स्थित केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्तों के पदों को भरने हेतु आवेदन मांगे गए हैं।

केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्त के पदों हेतु विचार किए जाने के लिए अर्हता शर्तों के विवरण और विवरण भेजने हेतु प्रारूप कार्मिक और प्रशिक्षण विभाग की वेबसाइट www.persmin.nic.in से डाउनलोड किए जा सकते हैं। विभाग में पूर्ण रूप से भरे गए आवेदन स्वीकार किए जाने अंतिम तिथि....., 2018 है।

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विषय: केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्तों की नियुक्ति।

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प्रोफोर्मा

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सूचना आयुक्त के पद हेतु आवेदन करने वाले उम्मीदवार के संबंध में उपलब्धियां/कार्य अनुभव का विवरण

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(DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING)

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भारत सरकार
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(कार्मिक और प्रशिक्षण विभाग)

नॉर्थ ब्लॉक, नई दिल्ली
दिनांक: 26.07.2018

विषय: केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्तों की नियुक्ति।

सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम, 2005 के अंतर्गत भारत सरकार ने केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग का गठन किया है जो नई दिल्ली में स्थित है। केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्त की शक्तियां और कार्य सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम, 2005 के अनुसार हैं।

2. केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्तों की नियुक्ति का प्रस्ताव है।

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F. NO. 4/9/2018-IR
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
(Department of Personnel and Training)

North Block, New Delhi
Dated: 26th July, 2018

Subject: Appointment of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

Under the Right to Information Act 2005, the Government of India has constituted the Central Information Commission which is located in New Delhi. The powers and functions of the Information Commissioner in the Central Information Commission are as per the RTI Act, 2005.

2. It is proposed to appoint Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

3. The Act provides that the Information Commissioner: -

- (i) shall be a person of eminence in public life with wide knowledge and experience in law, science and technology, social service, management, journalism, mass-media or administration and governance.
- (ii) shall not be a Member of Parliament or Member of the Legislature of any State or Union Territory, as the case may be, or hold any other office of profit or connected with any political party or carrying on any business or pursuing any profession. It is clarified that cessation/termination of holding of office of profit, pursuing any profession or carrying any business is a condition precedent to the appointment of a person as Information Commissioner.

4. Persons who have attained the age of 65 years shall not be eligible for appointment.

5. The salary, allowances and other terms and conditions of service of the Information Commissioners shall be as may be specified at the time of appointment of the selected candidate/s.

6. Persons fulfilling the criteria and interested for appointment to the post of Information Commissioner may send their particulars in the enclosed proforma, by post, to Under Secretary (RTI), Department of Personnel and Training, North Block, New Delhi or through e-mail to usrti-dopt@nic.in so as to reach between 1st August, 2018 and 31st August, 2018. Persons who are serving under the State/Central Government or any other Organization, should send their particulars through proper channel (administrative Ministry/Department/State/UTs).

V Sinha
(Varsha Sinha)
Director (IR)
Tel: 23092755

Note:

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2. RTI Act, 2005 and Rules thereunder may be referred to by intending applicants for general familiarization, as could be appropriate.

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**Proforma for sending particulars for consideration for the post of Information Commissioner in the
Central Information Commission**

Please affix the
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size photograph

1. Name :
2. Date of Birth :
3. Present Address :
4. Contact No.
 - a) Telephone (along with STD code) :
 - b) Mobile :
 - c) Fax :
5. E-mail Address :
6. Educational Qualification :
7. Area of Eminence :
8. Present Occupation :
9. Achievements/Work Experience :
(As per Annexure)

Date:
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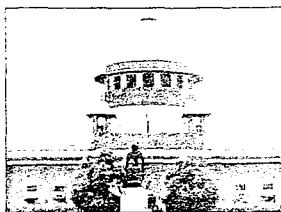
**Details of Achievements/Work Experience in respect of candidates applying for the post of
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's god's will vs statute, says Sabarimala priest

e Goes To Temple To Pray, Not To Question Custom'

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FAITH VS FREEDOM

Delhi: The debate over y of Sabarimala Ayyap-ple's custom barring of women in the 10-50 age group saw a new twist Thursday with the 'thantri' (priest) asking the Supreme Court to weigh between 'prasnam' (interpreting will of the god) supporting practice and the SC's constitutional queries on wom-ight to equality. The bench of Chief Justice K. J. Somaya and Justices R. F. Nariman, A. M. Khanwilkar, D. Indrachud and Indu Pra brushed aside Pan-royal family's counsel dhakrishnan's attempt suade the court from go-into the legality of reli-ious customs, which were out of the devotion and of followers of a reli-denomination. The CJI said, "We will go he Constitution and its age. Once a temple is a

public religious place, it cannot prohibit entry of women. We are dealing with the core issue of a class of women being denied on the ground of their physiological characteristics. After allowing entry, women must follow all rituals commanded by the religion or its denomination. But how can entry be stopped into a public place of worship?"

Appearing for the 'thantri', senior advocate V. G. S. said one went to a temple to worship and not to question the God and the religious practices of the denomination to which the temple belongs. "Has any of the per-

itioners filed affidavits affirming their faith and belief in Lord Ayyappa? If not, how can they question its customs? Do they believe in idol worship and the core rituals of Ayyappa temple? Do they say they want to worship there? These are essential qualifications before one seeks equality," he said.

Giri said the issue of permitting women of all ages into Sabarimala temple was subjected to 'Devaprasnam', a ritual performed by well-known astrologers to answer questions pertaining to religious practices and instances where the 'thantris' are unable to take a decision.

"The results of such 'Devaprasnam' conducted in the past are documented which reveal that 'deity does not wish young women entering the temple precincts'. 'Devaprasnam' holds a revered position in determining spiritual matters of temples in Kerala," he said.

Full report on www.toi.in

Govt asks SC to revisit choice of two lawyers as HC judges

New Delhi: The government has asked the Supreme Court collegium to reconsider its recommendation to appoint two lawyers as high court judges but did not cite any reason for its move, a senior government functionary said.

The SC collegium had in 2016 recommended names of Harnareesh Singh Gill and Mohammed Nizamuddin for appointment as judges of the Punjab and Haryana high court and the Calcutta high court respectively.

Recently too, the top court collegium's recommendation for the appointments of two lawyers, one of them a former top court judge's son, as judges of the Allahabad high court was returned for the second time by the government citing complaints against them.

The two lawyers are Mohammad Mansoor and Basharat Ali Khan. Mansoor is the son of former Supreme Court judge late Saghir Ahmed. PTI

Goa's speaker slams govt for failing to check cow vigilantes: Goa deputy speaker Michael Lobo has hit out at his government over its "failure" to act against "cow vigilantes", alleging that it has resulted in beef shortage. Claiming that the shortage was affecting Goa's tourism, the BJP MLA demanded the Goa Meat Complex be re-started. PTI

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SC: Similar trademarks for different items a breach of law

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Delhi: In a landmark decision in the field of trademarks, the Supreme Court on Thursday said that it was infringement of law if two distinctly different products are marketed by two different companies with "deceptively similar" trademarks.

A decade-old trademark infringement case between Karnataka Cooperative Milk Producers Association, which has been marketing milk and milk products under the trademark 'Nandini' since 1985, and a group adopting the name 'Nandhini' for its restaurant and food products business in 2009, continued through the Registrar of Trademarks, Intellectual Property Appellate and Karnataka High Court. With the board and the restraining the restaurant from using the 'Nandhini' trademark, the battle shifted to the SC in 2015.

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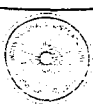
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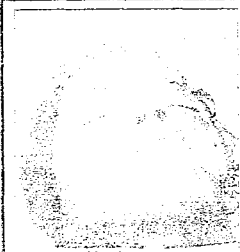
Applications are invited from outstanding Indian scientists/researchers holding Ph.D. degree in science (received within the past 6 years) and less than 40 years of age and having regular positions in Indian recognized S&T institutions/Universities in any field of natural science (basic and applied), medicine, agriculture, horticulture, forestry, health and multidisciplinary research in science &

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APPEAL FOR IDENTIFICATION OF VICTIM



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identity of the victim could be accused persons could be any objection in respect to approach the Ld. Court of Rohini Court, Delhi.

निवासी मंगल सिंह सोहना सब डिविजन कोर्ट में चौकीदार है। उसके भाई प्रमोद का भोंडसी निवासी रवि और भूला से विवाद हुआ था। कोर्ट ने इस मामले में रवि और भूला को डेढ़-डेढ़ साल की सजा हुई थी। सजा कम मानते हुए पीडित पक्ष ने अपील दायर की थी। इससे दूसरे पक्ष के लोग रवि, भूला खफा थे। मंगल सिंह का आरोप है कि 19 जुलाई को रवि, भूला, राजपाल और कालू उनके घर पर आए और उनसे मारपीट की। पड़ोसियों ने आकर उन्हें बचाया। पुलिस को शिकायत देने भोंडसी थाना गए तो यहां हेड कांस्टेबल राम कुमार ने गाली-गलौज की और रातभर लॉकअप में बंद कर दिया।

NOTICE OF INTENDED MARRIAGE

Court of Sh. Yash Garg, IAS, Deputy Commissioner-cum-District Marriage Officer, Rohtak (Haryana) India.
No. 3744/R Date: 5-7-2018

The general public is informed by this notice that on 11-06-2018, Deepak Kumar S/o Sh. Satyapal Kumar R/o H.No. 832, Village Samargopalpur District Rohtak and Harpreet Kaur D/o Sh. Rajender Singh R/o H.No. 247, MIG Flats, Metro Apartment, Jahangir Puri, Delhi have submitted a notice to intend marriage in this court under the special Marriage Act, 1954 for solemnization of marriage. If someone has any objection against this marriage, he can file his objection in this office within one month from the date of this notice. After this period, the further proceeding will be initiated as per rules.

Given under my signature and seal of the office/court on this 11th day of June, 2018.

Deputy Commissioner-cum-Marriage Officer, Rohtak (Haryana)

मंगल सिंह ने आरोप लगाया है कि महिला एसआई व हेड कांस्टेबल से उससे 50 हजार रुपए मांगे। इसे ना देने पर उसे दोबारा लॉकअप में बंद कर दिया। रात करीब 9 बजे पीडित की पत्नी ने कोर्ट में न्याय की गुहार लगाई। इस पर कोर्ट ने रीडर लखीचंद को सच चारट देकर भोंडसी थाने भेजा। यहां लॉकअप में मंगलसिंह बंद मिला। मंगल सिंह को लेकर रीडर कोर्ट पहुंचा, यहां उसके बयान दर्ज कराए।



गुरु घासीदास विश्वविद्यालय, बिलासपुर (छ.ग.)

(केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय अधिनियम 2009, क्रमांक 25 के अंतर्गत स्थापित केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय)
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क्रमांक: 257/अका/18 बी.टेक. प्रथम वर्ष 2018-19 में रिक्त सीटों के विरुद्ध स्थल/स्थानीय प्रवेश सूचना दिनांक: 26.07.2018
अभियांत्रिकी एवं प्रौद्योगिकी अध्ययनशाला, गुरु घासीदास विश्वविद्यालय, बिलासपुर (छ.ग.) द्वारा इंजीनियरिंग के सात विभागों केमिकल इंजीनियरिंग, सिविल इंजीनियरिंग, कम्प्यूटर साइंस एण्ड इंजीनियरिंग, इलेक्ट्रॉनिक्स एण्ड कम्प्युनिकेशन इंजीनियरिंग, इन्फार्मेशन टेक्नालॉजी, इण्डररिग्युलर एण्ड प्रोडक्शन इंजीनियरिंग एवं मेकेनिकल इंजीनियरिंग में रिक्त/छोड़ी गई सीटों के विरुद्ध सत्र 2018-19 के लिए बी.टेक प्रथम वर्ष में प्रवेश हेतु दिनांक 13 अगस्त, 2018 को स्थल/स्थानीय प्रवेश दिया जाएगा। प्रवेश के इच्छुक अभ्यर्थी 04 से 09 अगस्त, 2018 के दौरान अपना पंजीयन ऑनलाईन करा सकते हैं। पंजीयन, उपलब्ध सीटों एवं प्रवेश प्रक्रिया की विस्तृत जानकारी विश्वविद्यालय की वेबसाइट www.ggu.ac.in पर उपलब्ध है। कुलसचिव (कार्यवाहक)

भारत सरकार

कार्मिक, लोक शिकायत और पेंशन मंत्रालय (कार्मिक और प्रशिक्षण विभाग)

नई दिल्ली स्थित केन्द्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्तों के पदों को भरने हेतु आवेदन मांगे गए हैं।

केन्द्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्त के पदों हेतु विचार किए जाने के लिए अर्हता शर्तों विवरण और विवरण भेजने हेतु प्रारूप कार्मिक और प्रशिक्षण विभाग की वेबसाइट www.persmin.nic.in से डाउनलोड किया जा सकता है। विभाग में पूर्ण रूप से भरे गए आवेदन स्वीकार किए जाने की अंतिम तिथि 31 अगस्त, 2018 है।

जो व्यक्ति दिनांक 02.09.2016 की अधिसूचना के संबंध में पहले आवेदन कर चुके हैं, उनसे अनुरोध है कि यदि वे पात्र हों, तो नए सिरे से आवेदन करें।

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(संश्लेष के अधिनियम संख्या 25 (2009) के तहत स्थापित)
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(2) पैकेजिंग तकनीक प्रयोगशाला (6) पैकेजिंग रत्तर, स्थायी परीक्षण एवं गुणवत्ता नियंत्रण प्रयोगशाला
(3) गुरुत्व तकनीक प्रयोगशाला (7) बाइंडिंग एवं पृष्ठ-सज्जा प्रयोगशाला
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सामग्रियों की सूची, विशेषताओं एवं अन्य जानकारी के लिए विश्वविद्यालय की वेबसाइट www.cuh.ac.in देखें। निविदा/बिड प्राप्ति की अंतिम तिथि 28.08.2018 को दोपहर 02:00 बजे तक है।
कुलसचिव

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1	आलमबाग/लखनऊ	03	17	27	—	—
2	शकुनरबस्ती	08	20	30	—	—
3	जगाधरी बरकशीप	02	16	31	—	—
4	वरिष्ठ मंडल सामग्री प्रबंधक/लखनऊ	07	21	29	—	—
5	वरिष्ठ मंडल सामग्री प्रबंधक/फिरोजपुर	06	14	28	—	—
6	वरिष्ठ मंडल सामग्री प्रबंधक/अम्बाला	10	20	30	—	—
7	वरिष्ठ मंडल सामग्री प्रबंधक/मुरादाबाद	13	24	—	—	—
8	वरिष्ठ मंडल सामग्री प्रबंधक/दिल्ली	10	31	—	—	—

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No. NHM/BCC/2018-19/3389 Dated: 25.07.2018

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भारत सरकार

कार्मिक, लोक शिकायत तथा पेंशन मंत्रालय
(कार्मिक और प्रशिक्षण विभाग)

नई दिल्ली स्थित केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्तों के पदों को भरने हेतु आवेदन मांगे गए हैं।

केंद्रीय सूचना आयोग में सूचना आयुक्त के पदों हेतु विचार किए जाने के लिए अर्हता शर्तों के विवरण और विवरण भेजने हेतु प्रारूप कार्मिक और प्रशिक्षण विभाग की वेबसाइट **www.persmin.nic.in** से डाउनलोड किए जा सकते हैं। विभाग में पूर्ण रूप से भरे गए आवेदन स्वीकार किए जाने की अंतिम तिथि 31 अगस्त, 2018 है।

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Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners in CIC

Sl.No.	Name	Date of Birth	Date of Appointment	Date of completion of tenure	Field of Excellence
1.	<i>Shri R.K. Mathur</i> , Chief Information Commissioner, IAS	25.11.1953	04.01.2016	<u>24.11.2018</u>	Administration
2.	Shri Basant Seth Banker	16.02.1952	01.03.2012	15.02.2017	Management
3.	<i>Shri Yashovardhan Azad</i> IPS, M.P.	12.03.1954	22.11.2013	<u>21.11.2018</u>	Administration
4.	Shri Sharat Sabharwal IFS	23.09.1952	22.11.2013	22.09.2017	Administration
5.	Ms. Manjula Prasher IPoS	16.01.1953	22.11.2013	15.01.2018	Administration
6.	Shri M.A. Khan Yusufi ILS	01.01.1952	22.11.2013	31.12.2016	Law
7.	<i>Shri Madabhusanam Sridhar Acharyulu</i> Professor, Law	10.11.1956	22.11.2013	<u>21.11.2018</u>	Law
8.	Shri Sudhir Bhargava IAS, RJ	12.01.1955	11.06.2015	11.01.2020	Administration
9.	<i>Shri Amitava Bhattacharya</i> IAS	02.12.1953	25.02.2016	<u>01.12.2018</u>	Administration
10.	Shri Bimal Julka IAS	27.08.1955	25.02.2016	26.08.2020	Administration
11.	Shri Divya Prakash Sinha IPS	26.09.1955	25.02.2016	25.09.2020	Administration

Vacancies are marked in bold.

Vacancies likely to arise are underlined.

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 31st July, 2012

G.S.R. 603(E).—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 27 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (22 of 2005) and in supersession of the Central Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) Rules, 2005 and the Right to Information (Regulation of Fee and Cost) Rules, 2005 except as respects things done or omitted to be done before such supersession, the Central Government hereby makes the following rules, namely :—

1. **Short title and commencement.**—(1) These rules may be called the Right to Information Rules, 2012.
(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
2. **Definitions.**—In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,—
 - (a) "Act" means the Right to Information Act, 2005 (22 of 2005);
 - (b) "Commission" means the Central Information Commission constituted under sub-section (1) of Section 12 of the Act;
 - (c) "First Appellate Authority" means an officer in the public authority who is senior in rank to the Central Public Information Officer to whom an appeal under sub-section (1) of Section 19 of the Act lies;
 - (d) "Registrar" means an officer of the Commission so designated and includes an Additional Registrar, Joint Registrar and Deputy Registrar;
 - (e) "Section" means a Section of the Act;
 - (f) all other words and expressions used herein but not defined in these rules shall have the same meanings assigned to them in the Act.

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3. **Application Fee.**—An application under sub-section (1) of Section 6 of the Act shall be accompanied by a fee of rupees ten and shall ordinarily not contain more than five hundred words, excluding annexures, containing address of the Central Public Information Officer and that of the applicant:

Provided that no application shall be rejected only on the ground that it contains more than five hundred words.

4. **Fees for providing information.**—Fee for providing information under sub-section (4) of Section 4 and sub-sections (1) and (5) of Section 7 of the Act shall be charged at the following rates, namely :—

- (a) rupees two for each page in A-3 or smaller size paper;
- (b) actual cost or price of a photocopy in large size paper;
- (c) actual cost or price for samples or models;
- (d) rupees fifty per diskette or floppy;
- (e) price fixed for a publication or rupees two per page of photocopy for extracts from the publication;
- (f) no fee for inspection of records for the first hour of inspection and a fee of rupees 5 for each subsequent hour or fraction thereof; and
- (g) so much of postal charge involved in supply of information that exceeds fifty rupees.

5. **Exemption from Payment of Fee.**—No fee under rule 3 and rule 4 shall be charged from any person who is below poverty line provided a copy of the certificate issued by the appropriate Government in this regard is submitted alongwith the application.

6. **Mode of Payment of fee.**—Fees under these rules may be paid in any of the following manner, namely :—

- (a) in cash, to the public authority or to the Central Assistant Public Information Officer of the public authority, as the case may be, against a proper receipt; or
- (b) by demand draft or bankers cheque or Indian Postal Order payable to the Accounts Officer of the public authority; or
- (c) by electronic means to the Accounts Officer of the public authority, if facility for receiving fees through electronic means is available with the public authority.

7. **Appointment of Secretary to the Commission.**—The Central Government shall appoint an officer not below the rank of Additional Secretary to the Government of India as Secretary to the Commission.

8. **Appeal to the Commission.**—Any person aggrieved by an order passed by the First Appellate Authority or by non-disposal of his appeal by the First Appellate Authority, may file an appeal to the Commission in the format given in the Appendix and shall be accompanied by the following documents, duly authenticated and verified by the appellant, namely :—

- (i) a copy of the application submitted to the Central Public Information Officer;
- (ii) a copy of the reply received, if any, from the Central Public Information Officer;
- (iii) a copy of the appeal made to the First Appellate Authority;
- (iv) a copy of the Order received, if any, from the First Appellate Authority;
- (v) copies of other documents relied upon by the appellant and referred to in his appeal; and
- (vi) an index of the documents referred to in the appeal.

9. **Return of Appeal.**—An appeal may be returned to the appellant, if it is not accompanied by the documents as specified in rule 8, for removing the deficiencies and filing the appeal complete in all respects.

10. **Process of appeal.**—(1) On receipt of an appeal, if the Commission is not satisfied that it is a fit case to proceed with, it may, after giving an opportunity of being heard to the appellant and after recording its reasons, dismiss the appeal:

Provided that no appeal shall be dismissed only on the ground that it has not been made in the specified format if it is accompanied by documents as specified in rule 8.

(2) The Commission shall not consider an appeal unless it is satisfied that the appellant has availed of all the remedies available to him under the Act.

(3) For the purposes of sub-rule (2), a person shall be deemed to have availed of all the remedies available to him under the Act:

- (a) if he had filed an appeal before the First Appellate Authority and the First Appellate Authority or any other person competent to pass order on such appeal had made a final order on the appeal; or
- (b) where no final order has been made by the First Appellate Authority with regard to the appeal preferred, and a period of forty five days from the date on which such appeal was preferred has elapsed.

11. Procedure for deciding appeals.—The Commission, while deciding an appeal may,—

- (i) receive oral or written evidence on oath or on affidavit from concerned or interested person;
- (ii) peruse or inspect documents, public records or copies thereof;
- (iii) inquire through authorised officer further details or facts;
- (iv) hear Central Public Information Officer, Central Assistant Public Information Officer or the First Appellate Authority, or such person against whose action the appeal is preferred, as the case may be;
- (v) hear third party; and
- (vi) receive evidence on affidavits from Central Public Information Officer, Central Assistant Public Information Officer, First Appellate Authority and such other person against whom the appeal lies or the third party.

12. Presence of the appellant before the Commission.—(1) The appellant shall be informed of the date at least seven clear days before the date of hearing.

- (2) The appellant may be present in person or through his duly authorised representative or through video conferencing, if the facility of video conferencing is available, at the time of hearing of the appeal by the Commission.
- (3) Where the Commission is satisfied that the circumstances exist due to which the appellant is unable to attend the hearing, then, the Commission may afford the appellant another opportunity of being heard before a final decision is taken or take any other appropriate action as it may deem fit.

13. Presentation by the Public Authority.—The public authority may authorise any representative or any of its officers to present its case.

14. Service of notice by Commission.—The Commission may issue the notice by name, which shall be served in any of the following modes, namely:—

- (i) service by the party itself;
- (ii) by hand delivery (dasti) through Process Server;
- (iii) by registered post with acknowledgement due;
- (iv) by electronic mail in case electronic address is available.

15. Order of the Commission.—The order of the Commission shall be in writing and issued under the seal of the Commission duly authenticated by the Registrar or any other officer authorised by the Commission for this purpose.

[F. No. 1/35/2009-IR]

MANOJ JOSHI, Jt. Secy.

APPENDIX

FORMAT OF APPEAL

(See Rule 8)

1. Name and address of the appellant
2. Name and address of the Central Public Information Officer to whom the application was addressed
3. Name and address of the Central Public Information Officer who gave reply to the Application

4. Name and address of the First Appellate Authority Who decided the First Appeal
5. Particulars of the application
6. Particulars of the order(s) including number, if any, against which the appeal is preferred
7. Brief facts leading to the appeal
8. Prayer or relief sought
9. Grounds for the prayer or relief
10. Any other information relevant to the appeal
11. Verification/authentication by the appellant

Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
(Department of Personnel and Training)
IR Division

Subject: - Appointment of Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

The Government has constituted the Central Information Commission in exercise of the powers under Section 12 (1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005. As per sub-section (2) of Section 12 of the Act, the Commission shall consist of one Chief Information Commissioner and such number of Central Information Commissioners, not exceeding 10, as may be deemed necessary. At present there is one Chief Information Commissioner and seven Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

2. The present Chief Information Commissioner of the Central Information Commission, Shri Vijai Sharma, will be completing his tenure on 1.12.2015. Action is required to be initiated for appointment of a new Chief Information Commissioner in his place and if deemed necessary, three more Information Commissioners could be appointed.

3. As per Section 12(5) of the RTI Act, the Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners shall be persons of eminence in public life with wide knowledge and experience in law, science and technology, social service management, journalism, mass media or administration and governance. Section 12(6) of the Act provides that the Chief Information Commissioner or an Information Commissioner shall not be a Member of Parliament or Member of the Legislature of any State or Union Territory, as the case may be, or hold any office of profit or connected with any political party or carrying on any business or pursuing any profession.

4. Section 13 (1) of the Act provides that the Chief Information Commissioner shall hold office for a term of 5 years from the date on which he enters upon his office and shall not be eligible for reappointment. It has been further provided that no Chief Information Commissioner shall hold office as such after he has attained the age of sixty-five years.

5. Section 12 (3) of the Act stipulates that the Chief Information Commissioner shall be appointed by the President on the recommendation of a Committee consisting of:-

- (i) The Prime Minister, who shall be the Chairman of the Committee;
- (ii) The Leader of Opposition in the Lok Sabha; and
- (iii) A Union Cabinet Minister to be nominated by the Prime Minister.

5.1 Further, as per explanation below Section 12(3) of the RTI Act, 2005, for the purposes of removal of doubts, it is hereby declared that where the leader of the Opposition in the House of the People has not been recognised as such, the Leader of the single largest group in opposition of the Government in the House of the People shall be deemed to be the leader of opposition.

6. Based on the explanation below Section 12(3), para 5.1 above, Department of Legal Affairs, during selection process of CIC and IC in June 2015, clarified that the Leader of the Single Largest Party in the Lok Sabha can be considered as the Leader of Single Largest Group in opposition in Lok Sabha. Department of Legal Affairs, however, added that the clarification was limited for the purpose of Section 12(3) of the RTI Act and not for any other purpose. Accordingly, Shri Mallikarjun Kharge was member of the Committee constituted under Section 12(3) of the RTI Act, 2005.

7. Last time the Committee under Section 12(3) consisted of following

- (i) Hon'ble Prime Minister - Chairman
- (ii) Shri Mallikarjun Kharge - Leader of the Single Largest Party in the Lok Sabha Member, and
- (iii) Shri Arun Jaitley - the then, Minister for Finance, Corporate Affairs and Defence - Member

8. For appointment of Chief Information Commissioner, the earlier practice (except last time) had been that CIC was appointed from amongst the existing ICs. During the initial appointment of Chief Information Commissioner, the name of Shri Wajahat Habibullah was recommended by the Selection Committee for the position of Chief Information Commissioner. At the time when selection of the Chief Information Commissioner was to be made in September, 2010, the Commission had passed a resolution to the effect that the Chief Information Commissioner should be selected from amongst the Information Commissioners. Although, no formal decision was taken on the resolution on that occasion, subsequent appointments of Chief Information Commissioners, Shri A N Tiwari, Shri Satyanand Mishra, Smt. Sushma Singh and Shri Rajiv Mathur were made from the existing Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

8.1 However, during the selection of CIC last time (appointment made in June, 2015) Prime Minister's Office had desired that for the sake of consistency and uniformity in approach, the procedure for selection of Information Commissioners which includes among other things advertising the post and short listing by a Search Committee may be adopted for appointment to the post of Central Information Commissioner as well. The Search Committee consisted of the following -

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| (i) Cabinet Secretary | - | Chairman |
| (ii) Addl Principal Secretary to PM | - | Member |
| (iii) Secretary (Personnel) | - | Member |
| (iv) Home Secretary | - | Member |
| (v) Secretary D/o Expenditure | - | Member |
| (vi) Professor Ramesh Chand | - | Member |
| Director National Center for Agricultural Economics and Policy (NCAP) | | |

9. On the basis of recommendations of the Search Committee, IB report and Vigilance Clearance from the respective Cadre Controlling Authorities, wherever applicable, of the shortlisted candidates, a Chief Information Commissioner and an Information Commissioner was appointed in CIC in June, 2015. Incidentally, Shri Vijai Sharma who was appointed as Chief Information Commissioner was an Information Commissioner in the CIC from 1.3.2012 to 9.6.2015.

10. The details of existing Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission, as on date is as under:

Sl.No.	Name	Date of Birth	Date of Appointment	Date of completion of tenure	Field of Excellence
1.	Shri Vijai Sharma IAS, UP Chief Information Commissioner <i>(IC from 01.03.2012 to 09.06.2015)</i>	02.12.1950	10.06.2015	01.12.2015	Administration
2.	Shri Basant Seth Banker	16.02.1952	01.03.2012	15.02.2017	Management
3.	Shri Yashvardhan Azad IPS, M.P.	12.03.1954	22.12.2013	21.12.2018	Administration
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7.	Shri Madabhusi Sridhar Acharyulu Professor, Law	10.01.1956	22.12.2013	21.12.2018	Law
8.	Shri Sudhir Bhargava IAS, RJ	12.01.1955	11.06.2015	11.01.2020	Administration

11. A total of 39328 appeal/complaints are pending for disposal in Central Information Commission as on 10.8.2015.

Matter pertains to initiating the process for selection of one Chief Information Commissioner and two Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

2. In this regard, Hon'ble Prime Minister has desired that a process may be initiated in August, 2015. Accordingly, a self-contained note (Pp-1-4/n) and the linked file may be perused which describes the legal provisions and the procedure followed last time.


3. It may be pertinent to mention that Shri Vijai Sharma, Chief Information Commissioner is completing his tenure on 1.12.2015. In addition, as per the RTI Act, the number of Information Commissioners could be upto 10, as deemed necessary. Presently, there are 7 Information Commissioners in place, details of whom are given at page 3/n. File is put up for seeking Hon'ble Prime Minister's approval on the following:-

- (a) As per the past policy, the Chief Information Commissioner may be appointed through the process of advertisement, shortlisting by Search Committee and recommendations of Committee chaired by Hon'ble PM.
- (b) We may also initiate the process for selecting more (upto 3) Information Commissioners also so that the Commission is constituted in full strength.
- (c) In the previous selection process, Hon'ble Union Finance Minister was nominated in the Committee chaired by the Hon'ble Prime Minister. The Hon'ble Prime Minister may nominate a Union Cabinet Minister for the Committee.
- (d) The Search Committee headed by Cabinet Secretary for shortlisting the panel for CIC and IC constituted earlier may be approved as follows:

(i)	Cabinet Secretary	Chairman
(ii)	Additional Principal Secretary to PM	Member
(iii)	Secretary (Personnel)	Member
(iv)	Secretary (I&B)	Member
(v)	Law Secretary	Member
(vi)	Professor Ramesh Chandra, Director, National Centre for Agricultural Economics & Policies	Member

(e) If agreed, the process of selection for the CIC and IC (including the advertisement) may be carried out together. Advertisements issued last time are placed at pp-7-16/corr. This time also the advertisement will be more or less on the similar lines. However, slight modifications will be done to address the difficulties which were faced in the last selection process.

4. Submitted for taking approval para 3(a) to (e) above.


(Devesh Chaturvedi)
JS (DC)
13.8.2015

Secretary (I) May kindly see the note from np1.
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PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE

South Block,
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Subject: Appointment of Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners in Central Information Commission.

Reference is invited to DoPT's note dated 16.08.2015 at page 1-6/N of file No. 4/2/2015-IR on the subject cited above.

2. Prime Minister has approved the following proposals of DoPT:

- (a) as per the past policy, the Chief Information Commissioner may be appointed through the process of advertisement, short listing by Search Committee and recommendations of Committee chaired by Prime Minister.
- (b) the process for selecting more (upto 3) Information Commissioners may also be initiated so that the Commission is constituted in full strength.
- (c) nomination of Union Finance Minister on the Selection Committee.
- (d) constitution of a Search Committee headed by Cabinet Secretary and with the following composition for short listing the panel for CIC and IC:

(i) Cabinet Secretary	-	Chairman
(ii) Additional Principal Secretary to PM	-	Member
(iii) Secretary (Personnel)	-	Member
(iv) Secretary (I&B)	-	Member
(v) Law Secretary	-	Member
(vi) Prof. Ramesh Chandra, Director, National Centre for Agricultural Economics & Policies	-	Member
- (e) the process of selection for CIC and IC (including the advertisement) be carried out together.

3. DoPT's file/folder No. 4/2/2015-IR alongwith one another file is returned herewith.


(V. Sheshadri)
Director

Tel. No. 2301 3485

Secretary, Department of Personnel & Training

PMO ID no. : 600/52/C/1/2015-ES.2

Dated. 28.08.2015

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Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions
Department of Personnel & Training
(IR Division)

North Block, New Delhi
Dated August, 2018

Subject:- Appointment to the post of Information Commissioners in Central Information Commission.- reg.

Prime Minister's Office may please refer to this Department's F.No. 4/9/2018-IR regarding appointment of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

2. Advertisement dated 27.07.2018 inviting applications for the posts of Information Commissioners have been published in the leading newspapers in both English & Hindi.

3. Meanwhile, Supreme Court in its order, in WP (C) No. 436/2018 filed by Ms. Anjali Bhardwaj and Ors Vs UoI and Ors, dated 27/7/2018 directed the Union of India to file an affidavit stating ^{inter alia} as to how many post(s) it proposes to fill up pursuant to the aforesaid advertisement. The affidavit shall also indicate the time schedule within which the posts are to be filled up. (Copy of the Supreme Court Order dated 27.07.2018 is enclosed)

4. In view of the above, Prime Minister's Office is requested to kindly expedite the file along with Hon'ble Prime Minister's approval.

5. This issues with the approval of Secretary(P).

(Varsha Sinha)
Director (IR)
Tel: 23092755

Prime Minister's Office, () , South Block, New Delhi

DoPT I.D. No. 4/9/2018-IR(Pt) dated .08.2018

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ITEM NO.60

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SECTION PIL-W

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Writ Petition(s)(Civil) No(s). 436/2018

ANJALI BHARDWAJ & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

Date : 27-07-2018 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.K. SIKRI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK BHUSHAN

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Prashant Bhushan, AOR
Mr. Pranav Sachdeva, Adv.
Mr. Rahul Gupta, Adv.

For Respondent(s)

Union of India

Mrs. Pinky Anand, ASG
Mrs. Madhvi Diwan, Adv.
Ms. Pooja Dhar, Adv.
Mr. Rajesh Ranjan, Adv.
Ms. Kirti Dua, Adv.
Mr. A.K. Sharma, Adv.
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Mrs. Hemantika Wahi, Adv.
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Ms. Puja Singh, Adv.
Ms. Mamta Singh, Adv.
Ms. Vishakha, Adv.

State of Kerala

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State of West Bengal

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Ms. Prerna Singh, Adv.

Mr. P. Venkat Reddy, Adv.
Mr. Prashant Kr. Tyagi, Adv.

For M/s Venkat Palwai Law Associates, AOR

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

Mrs. Pinky Anand, learned Additional Solicitor General, has, on instructions, stated that the Government of India has advertised for the posts of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission, located at New Delhi. She has also produced a copy of the Newspaper containing the said advertisement which shows that this advertisement has been published today only. As per the advertisement, last date for receipt of the applications is 31.08.2018. It is not stated in the advertisement as to how many posts are advertised. We are informed that by December, 2018, four more vacancies would fall vacant as four more persons are going to retire in next few months.

In these circumstances, we direct the Union of India to file an affidavit stating as to how many post(s) it proposes to fill up pursuant to the aforesaid advertisement. The affidavit shall also indicate the time schedule within which the posts are to be filled up. Mr. Prashant Bhushan, learned counsel, has invited our attention to Prayer 'F' of the Writ Petition. The affidavit shall also respond to the said prayer.

The Government of India had issued similar advertisement in the year 2016. However, no appointments have been made pursuant thereto. In the affidavit, the reasons for not making any appointment pursuant to the said advertisement shall also be stated.

Respondent Nos. 2 to 9 are different State Governments. As it

is stated in this petition that the posts of many Information Commissioners are vacant in these States as well which have not been filled up, these States shall also file their affidavit enumerating the steps which they are taking for filling up the said posts. In these affidavits, they would also stipulate the time schedule within which they intend to fill these posts and the procedure which shall be followed in this regard. Such affidavit(s) shall be filed within four weeks.

It is made clear that no further time shall be given for this purpose. This Court shall take a serious view in case of any default on the part of any of the respondents in not filing the affidavit(s) within the stipulated time.

List the matter after four weeks.

(SUSHIL KUMAR RAKHEJA)
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(RAJINDER KAUR)
BRANCH OFFICER

Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners in CIC

Sl.No.	Name	Date of Birth	Date of Appointment	Date of completion of tenure	Field of Excellence
1.	<u>Shri R.K. Mathur</u> , Chief Information Commissioner, IAS	25.11.1953	04.01.2016	<u>24.11.2018</u>	Administration
2.	Shri Basant Seth Banker	16.02.1952	01.03.2012	15.02.2017	Management
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9.	<u>Shri Amitava Bhattacharya</u> IAS	02.12.1953	25.02.2016	<u>01.12.2018</u>	Administration
10.	Shri Bimal Julka IAS	27.08.1955	25.02.2016	26.08.2020	Administration
11.	Shri Divya Prakash Sinha IPS	26.09.1955	25.02.2016	25.09.2020	Administration

Vacancies are marked in bold.

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F.No. 4/9/2018-IR
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
Department of Personnel and Training

North Block, New Delhi
Dated : 26th September, 2018

Meeting Notice

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2. Kindly make it convenient to attend the meeting.

G. Srinivasan
(G.Srinivasan)
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1. Cabinet Secretary, Cabinet Secretariat, Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi.
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PPS to Cabinet Secretary - to provide secretarial assistance to the Search Committee.

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PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE

South Block,
New Delhi - 110 011

Subject: Appointment of Information Commissioners in Central Information Commission - reg.

Reference is invited to DOPT's note dated 18.07.2018 at page 21/N of File No. 4/9/2018 - IR on the subject cited above.

2. Prime Minister has approved the following:-

- a) The constitution of the Search Committee for selection of Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners with the following composition:-

i.	Cabinet Secretary	Chairman
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v.	Secretary (Expenditure)	Member
vi.	Dr. Manoj Panda (Director), Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi University	Member

- b) The nomination of Shri Arun Jaitley, Minister as member of the Committee, headed by Hon'ble PM, to be constituted under Section 12(3) of RTI Act.

3. DoPT's File No. 4/9/2018 - IR is returned herewith.

(Nandini Paliwal)
Director
Tel. No. 2301 3132

Secretary, Department of Personnel & Training

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**South Block,
New Delhi - 110 011**

Subject: Reconstitution of Search Committee for appointment to the post of Information Commissioners in Central Information Commission - reg.

Reference is invited to DOPT's note dated 10.09.2018 at page 6-8/N of File No. 4/9/2018 - IR on the subject cited above.

2. Prime Minister has approved the nomination of Shri Ramesh Abhishek, Secretary (Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion) in the Search Committee for appointment to the post of Information Commissioners in Central Information Commission, in place of Shri Ajay Narayan Jha, Secretary (Expenditure).

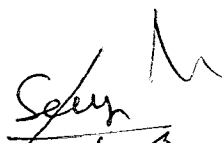
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(Rajender Kumar)
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PPS to Cabinet Secretary - to provide secretarial assistance to the Search Committee.

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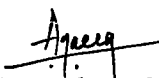
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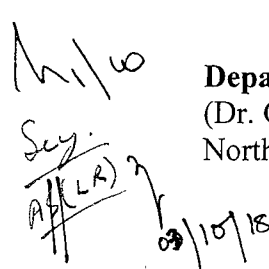
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No. 8/18/2018-CS (A)
CABINET SECRETARIAT

Subject: Appointment of Information Commissioner in the Central Information Commission -reg.

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of Record of Discussions of the Search Committee meeting held on 28.09.2018 for appointment of Information Commissioner in the Central Information Commission for further necessary action.


(Amandeep Garg)
Joint Secretary
01.10.2018



Department of Personnel & Training,
(Dr. C.Chandramouli, Secretary),
North Block, New Delhi.


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Record of discussions of the First Meeting of the Search Committee for shortlisting candidates for appointment as Information Commissioner in the Central Information Commission

Present:

- (i) Shri P.K. Sinha, Cabinet Secretary .
- (ii) Dr. P.K. Misra, Additional Principal Secretary to Prime Minister
- (iii) Dr. C. Chandramouli, Secretary, Personnel
- (iv) Shri Amit Khare, Secretary, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting
- (v) Dr. Manoj Panda, Director, Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi University
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3. The Search Committee was informed that an advertisement was issued for filling up the posts of Information Commissioners on 27.07.2018, against which 280 applications were received upto the last date for receipt of applications i.e 31.08.2018.

4. The Search Committee took note of the criteria prescribed under RTI Act for appointment as Information Commissioner and discussed, in detail, the list of applicants. Thereafter, the Committee directed that detailed profiles of the applicants may be got prepared/compiled to facilitate further consideration by the Committee. Members of the Committee were also requested to suggest names of other possible candidates, if any, for its consideration in the next meeting.

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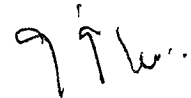
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Please refer to my letter dated July 30, 2018 regarding my application for the post of Information Commissioner, Central Information Commission.

2. You are requested to kindly consider my above application **only after my superannuation from Government service.**

Yours sincerely,



(A.N. Jha)

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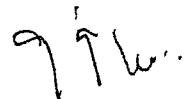
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PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE

South Block,
New Delhi - 110 011

**Subject: Appointment of Chief Information Commissioner in
the Central Information Commission-reg**

Reference is invited to DOPT's note dated 12.10.2018 at page 1-2/N of File No. 4/13/2018-IR on the subject cited above.

2. The constitution of Search Committee and nomination of the Union Minister on the Selection Committee, has already been approved and conveyed to DoPT vide PMO ID no.-4877064/PMO/2018-ES-II dated 13.08.2018. (page 2/cor)
3. In view of above, the undersigned is directed to return the proposal with a request to go ahead with the advertisement for the post of Chief Information Commissioner.
4. DoPT's File No. 4/13/2018-IR, is returned herewith.

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(Nandini Paliwal)
Director

Tel. No. 2301 3132

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PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE

South Block,
New Delhi - 110 011

**Subject: Appointment of Information Commissioners in
Central Information Commission - reg.**

Reference is invited to DOPT's note dated 18.07.2018 at page 21/N of File No. 4/9/2018 - IR on the subject cited above.

2. Prime Minister has approved the following:-

a) The constitution of the Search Committee for selection of Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners with the following composition:-

i.	Cabinet Secretary	Chairman
ii.	Additional Principal Secretary to PM	Member
iii.	Secretary (Personnel)	Member
iv.	Secretary (I&B)	Member
v.	Secretary (Expenditure)	Member
vi.	Dr. Manoj Panda (Director), Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi University	Member

b) The nomination of Shri Arun Jaitley, Minister as member of the Committee, headed by Hon'ble PM, to be constituted under Section 12(3) of RTI Act.

3. DoPT's File No. 4/9/2018 - IR is returned herewith.

(Nandini Paliwal)
Director
Tel. No. 2301 3132

Secretary, Department of Personnel & Training

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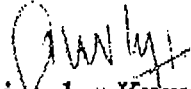
**South Block,
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Subject: Reconstitution of Search Committee for appointment to the post of Information Commissioners in Central Information Commission - reg.

Reference is invited to DOPT's note dated 10.09.2018 at page 6-8/N of File No. 4/9/2018 - IR on the subject cited above.

2. Prime Minister has approved the nomination of Shri Ramesh Abhishek, Secretary (Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion) in the Search Committee for appointment to the post of Information Commissioners in Central Information Commission, in place of Shri Ajay Narayan Jha, Secretary (Expenditure).

3. DoPT's File No. 4/9/2018 - IR is returned herewith.


(Rajender Kumar)
Director
Tel. No. 2301 3024

Secretary, Department of Personnel & Training

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November 19, 2018

To

Secretary,
Department of Personnel & Training,
North Block,
New Delhi.

**Sub: Application for the post of Information
Commissioner, Central Information
Commission.**

Sir,

I had written vide letter dated 08/11/2018 to consider my application for the post of Information Commissioner, Central Information Commission **only after my superannuation from Government service.**

2. However, I am to request you to kindly consider my application disregarding my above letter of 08/11/2018.

Yours sincerely,

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(A.N. Jha)

Secretary

Department of Expenditure
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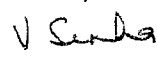
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Dated November 22, 2018

Meeting Notice

Meeting of the designated Search Committee for recommending panel of names to the Committee constituted under Section 12(3) of the Right to Information Act for the appointment of Chief Information Commissioner in the Central Information Commission has been scheduled to be held under the chairmanship of Cabinet Secretary on 24.11.2018 at 4.00 PM in the Committee Room, Cabinet Secretariat, Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi.

2. Kindly make it convenient to attend the meeting.

Encl: As above.


(Varsha Sinha)
Director (IR)
Ph: 23092755

- ✓1. Cabinet Secretary, Cabinet Secretariat, Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi.
- ✓2. Additional Principal Secretary to PM, Prime Minister's Office, South Block, New Delhi.
- ✓3. Secretary (Personnel), D/o Personnel & Training, North Block, New Delhi.
- 4. Secretary (I&B), Room No. 655, 'A' Wing, Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi.
- 5. Secretary, (Expenditure) Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi.
- ✓6. Dr. Manoj Panda, (Director), Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi University Enclave, Delhi 110007. E-mail:- manoj@iegindia.org

Copy to:-

PPS to Cabinet Secretary – to provide secretarial assistance to the Search Committee.

2nd Meeting of the Search Committee for **Information Commissioners** on
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Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners in CIC

(Incumbency Statement as on 23.11.2018)

Sl.No.	Name	Date of Birth	Date of Appointment	Date of completion of tenure	Field of Excellence
1.	Shri R.K. Mathur, Chief Information Commisioner, IAS	25.11.1953	04.01.2016	24.11.2018	Administration
2.	Shri Basant Seth Banker	16.02.1952	01.03.2012	15.02.2017	Management
3.	Shri Yashovardhan Azad IPS, M.P.	12.03.1954	22.11.2013	21.11.2018	Administration
4.	Shri Sharat Sabharwal IFS	23.09.1952	22.11.2013	22.09.2017	Administration
5.	Ms. Manjula Prasher IPoS	16.01.1953	22.11.2013	15.01.2018	Administration
6.	Shri M.A. Khan Yusufi ILS	01.01.1952	22.11.2013	31.12.2016	Law
7.	Shri Madabhusanam Sridhar Acharyulu Professor, Law	10.11.1956	22.11.2013	21.11.2018	Law
8.	Shri Sudhir Bhargava IAS, RJ	12.01.1955	11.06.2015	11.01.2020	Administration
9.	<u>Shri Amitava Bhattacharya</u> IAS	02.12.1953	25.02.2016	<u>01.12.2018</u>	Administration
10.	Shri Bimal Julka IAS	27.08.1955	25.02.2016	26.08.2020	Administration
11.	Shri Divya Prakash Sinha IPS	26.09.1955	25.02.2016	25.09.2020	Administration

Vacancies are marked in bold.

Vacancies likely to arise are underlined.

**Applications for the post of Information
Commissioners**

S. No.	NAME
1	SARWAR KHAN
2	AJAY NARAYAN JHA
3	AJIT KUMAR PANDE
4	DIVYA GUPTA
5	SANJAY KUMAR SAXENA
6	VIJAY KUMAR CHINTAMAT VINOD
7	VEENA JAIN
8	GURUGUBELLI SURYA
9	RAJAK KHAN HAIDER
10	I.M. SETHIYA
11	VIMLA SETHIYA
12	PONNUSAMY M.
13	NIRMALENDU MOHAPATRA
14	SATYANARAIN AGNIHOTRI
15	SANJEEV BHARTIYA DUBE
16	MUNISH KUMAR SHARMA
17	RAMESH CHANDER HOODA
18	RAMAWATAR MEENA
19	JATINDER KUMAR SHARMA
20	MADAN MOHAN GOEL
21	TUSHAR SUBHRA SANTRA
22	V. SEKAR
23	DHARAMENDRA KUMAR (Entry Repeated at S.No. 103)
24	RINA MITRA
25	ROHIT NANDAN
26	SUNIL KUMAR SINGH
27	R. KANNAN
28	SHARAT CHANDRA JETHI
29	T. NARAYANA
30	PRAMOD KUMAR
31	VIMAL KUMAR JAIN
32	NIRMALA CHALLAGALLA
33	ARUN JHA
34	RANJIT KUMAR PACHNANDA
35	R. RAJASEKHARAN
36	PUKHRAJ SINGH MALIK
37	SUDHIR CHOWDHARY
38	PRASANTA KUMAR MAHAPATRA
39	DEVENDER KUMAR BHALLA
40	ANADEE NATH MISHRA

41	AJAI KUMAR SAHGAL
42	RAJENDRA SINGH SIRKARWAR
43	B.N. SHARMA
44	ARUN KUMAR SINHA (Entry Repeated at S.No. 104)
45	RAKESH SRIVASTAVA
46	ANIL KUMAR GUPTA
47	PRASHANT KUMAR
48	NARENDER KUMAR BHOLA
49	SUSHEEL KUMAR
50	SANJIV GARG
51	SHAMBHU DAYAL MEENA
52	VINOD KUMAR
53	ANANT KUMAR DHUL
54	ARUN KR. SRIVASTAVA
55	RAJINDER PARSHAD MITTAL
56	BHAGWATI PRASAD PANDEY
57	RANJAN KUMAR GHOSE
58	KASI VIDYASAGAR
59	SUSHIL KANT MISRA
60	DHARAMRAJ SINGH
61	RAVINDRA KUMAR SRIVASTAVA
62	YOG DHYAN BANGA
63	SARVESH KAUSHAL
64	G.K. SURESH BABU
65	SANTLAL JHA SUMAN
66	HIDAYATULLAH KHAN
67	DEEPAK HASTIR
68	VANAJA N. SARNA
69	BRAHAM SWAROOP AGRAWAL
70	RAVINDRA NATH YADAV
71	HIRNESH KUMAR SHARADCHANDRA BHAVSAR
72	ARUN KUMAR
73	ANJALI ANAND SRIVASTAVA
74	VIJAY KUMAR SINGH
75	PRADEEP RAGHUNANDAN
76	PRASENJIT MUKHERJEE
77	DEVENDRA KUMAR PATHAK
78	RANI SINGH NAIR
79	DILEEP KUMAR GUPTA DINKAR
80	KRISHANA KUMAR GUPTA
81	MANSURI HABIB SHAKURBHAI
82	ARUN KUMAR PANDEY

83	V. PRAVEEN
84	SOUMITRA KUMAR DEY
85	T. BHASKARAN
86	V. JAGADEESHWAR RAO
87	DARISI HIMACHALA RAO
88	MAHENDRA KUMAR GOEL
89	RASHMI VERMA
90	GOPAL CHANDRA MISHRA
91	SANJEEV AGGARWAL
92	JOGULA SATHYANARAYANA
93	PAWAN TIWARI
94	KAILASH PRASAD DEWANGAN
95	YUDISHTER SHARMA
96	UMA SHRIVASTAVA
97	PIYUSH AGARWAL
98	ARVINDA SHARAN
99	HARIDEESH KUMAR B.
100	BHAGWAT GAUR
101	PANKAJ BATRA
102	RAJEEV TANDON
103	DHARAMENDRA KUMAR
104	ARUN KUMAR SINHA
105	ACHLA SINHA
106	SIDDHARTHA VIJAI NARAYAN
107	POORNIMA.A
108	JADAB KUMAR PAL
109	LAKSHMI PRASANNA. CHODAVARAPU
110	MOHAN REDDY CHINTHAKUNTA
111	ASHOK KUMAR JAIN
112	SANJAY KUMAR PANDA
113	ALOK KUMAR
114	DHAYAN SINGH
115	UMA KANT SADHAV
116	FRANK NORONHA
117	DEVENDRA SWAROOP SAKSENA
118	ESTHER SAKUNTHALA KAR
119	MEERA HANDA
120	Y P RAI
121	TUSHAR KANTI BANDYOPADHYAY
122	YASHVARDHAN KUMAR SINHA
123	AVINASH KUMAR SRIVASTAVA
124	VIRENDER KUMAR SONKAR
125	KANWARJIT SINGH
126	MOOLCHAND CHAUHAN

127	DEVENDRA MISHRA
128	SUBHASH CHANDRA YADAVA
129	AJAY KUMAR SINGH
130	SASIDHARAN. V
131	AKSHAY KUMAR ROUT
132	B. MARIA KUMAR
133	E. MARIAPPAN
134	VIDYA PRAKASH PATHAK
135	T.K. RADHAKRISHNA PILLAI
136	SAMA GOPAL REDDY
137	PRAFULLA RANJAN
138	ANURADHA VERMA
139	ANIL KUMAR UPADHYAY
140	SARABJIT SINGH JATTAN
141	B.V.N PRASAD
142	ISH KUMAR
143	BUDDARAPU VENKATESWARA RAO
144	S.K. MISHRA
145	MANGARI RAJENDER
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147	S. AMBIGAIDASS
148	SATYA NARAYAN MOHANTY
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150	UJJAL KUMAR SEN GUPTA
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153	V. PALANI KUMAR
154	CHANDER PRAKASH
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156	RAJEEV KAPOOR
157	HARINDER RANA
158	ANUPAMA JHA
159	BHARAT BHUSHAN VYAS
160	K.V.EAPEN
161	RITA MITRA
162	SHIVA PRAKASH UPADHYAY
163	RAJIV DUTT SHARMA
164	SUNIRA BASSI
165	DEVESH KUMAR MISRA
166	ANSHU TYAGI
167	SHOBHA UPADHYAY
168	SHIIV SHANKAR SINGH
169	PANKAJ KUMAR
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212	MAHIPAL SINGH
213	ANUP KUMAR PRASAD
214	N.K. SOLANKI

215	SHAMBU SHARAN GUPTA
216	KAILASH SANOLIA
217	DILBAG SINGH PUNIA
218	INDRAJEET S KHANNA
219	RAM KRISHNA PATNAIK
220	ASHOK KUMAR SHUKL
221	VEENA ISH
222	SARAT KUMAR ACHARYA
223	S. RAMESH
224	JOJNESWAR SHARMA
225	SHYAM SUNDAR AGARWAL
226	SEEMA MALIK
227	D.DEVENDER SINGH
228	SHANTI MAKWANA HARDING
229	NEMI KUMAR
230	DR. V K BAHUGUNA
231	HEM KUMAR PANDE
232	BHASKAR UDDHAVRAO MORE
233	MATHEW THOMAS
234	NARENDRA SINHA
235	SRINIVAS MADHAV
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281	ASHEESH KUMAR AGARWAL

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Late Applications

S.No.	NAME
1	VINOD KUMAR SHARMA
2	LAMBA TEJPAL SINGH
3	SUBHASH CHANDRA GOEL, IAS (RETD.)
4	DEEPAK MISHRA, IAS
5	DHANPAL JAISWAL
6	V. VIJAY KUMAR
7	ASHOK KUMAR GAUTAM
8	K.V.V.V. Satyanarayana
9	Dr. Kavassery Seshan Uma
10	M.N. Krishnamurthy

Minutes of the Meeting of the Search Committee held on 24.11.2018 for shortlisting candidates for appointment as Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission

Present:

- (i) Shri P.K. Sinha, Cabinet Secretary
- (ii) Dr. P.K. Mishra, Additional Principal Secretary to Prime Minister
- (iii) Dr. C. Chandramouli, Secretary, Department of Personnel & Training
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(Shri Amit Khare, Secretary, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting could not attend the meeting)

The Search Committee was apprised of the statutory provisions related to the posts of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission. The RTI Act provides that every Information Commissioner shall hold office for a term of five years from the date on which he enters upon his office or till he attains the age of sixty-five years, whichever is earlier, and shall not be eligible for reappointment as such Information Commissioner. It was further apprised that the candidates shortlisted by the Search Committee shall be placed for consideration of the Committee constituted under Section 12(3) of the RTI Act

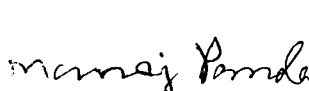
2. The Search Committee was informed that the Department of Personnel & Training (DoPT) had issued an advertisement for the posts of Information Commissioners on 27.07.2018. It was further informed that in the matter of Anjali Bhardwaj & Ors. Vs Union of India & Ors., DoPT in its affidavit before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India has submitted that presently there are four vacant posts of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission that are under the purview of the aforementioned advertisement for now. The Search Committee, therefore, decided to shortlist a panel for filling up four posts of Information Commissioners at this stage. It was apprised that 280 applications were received against the advertisement issued on 27.07.2018 upto the last date for receipt of applications, i.e., 31.08.2018.

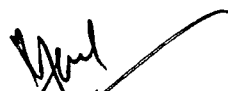
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4. The Search Committee again met on 24.11.2018. Apart from the applications received by DoPT, the Search Committee also considered the names of Serving/Retired Civil Servants as well as other names suggested by Members of the Search Committee. After taking into consideration the overall experience profile as well as suitability for the post, the Search Committee shortlisted the following panel **(in alphabetical order)** for

consideration of the Committee constituted under Section 12(3) of the RTI Act for **four posts** of Information Commissioners in Central Information Commission:


- (i) Shri Satya Narain Agnihotri (DoB: 30.04.1956), Retd. Judge, High Court of Allahabad
- (ii) Shri Suresh Chandra (DoB: 05.11.1958) (ILS:1989) Secretary, Department of Legal Affairs
- (iii) Shri Neeraj Kumar Gupta (DoB: 19.04.1958) IAS(UP:1982) (Retd.) former Secretary, Department of Investment and Public Asset Management
- (iv) Ms. Veena Jain, (DoB: 03.08.1957) (IIS: 1983) (Retd.) former Director General(News), Doordarshan
- (v) Shri Ajay Narayan Jha, (DoB:15.01.1959) IAS(MN:1982) Secretary, Department of Expenditure
- (vi) Shri Ameising Luikham, (DoB: 08.12.1958) IAS(MN:1981), Secretary, Ministry of Minority Affairs
- (vii) Shri Frank Noronha (DoB: 08.04.1958) (IIS:1983) (Retd.) former Principal Director General, Press Information Bureau
- (viii) Dr. Sanjay Kumar Panda, (DoB: 07.12.1955) IAS (TR: 1980) (Retd.) former Secretary, Ministry of Textiles
- (ix) Shri S. Ramesh, (DoB: 22.12.1958) IRS(C&CE:1981) Chairman, Central Board of Indirect Taxes & Customs (CBIC)
- (x) Ms. Vanaja N. Sarna (DoB:22.06.1958) IRS(C&CE:1980) (Retd.) former Chairman, Central Board of Indirect Taxes & Customs (CBIC)
- (xi) Shri Arun Kumar Sinha, (DoB: 19.10.1958) IPS (KL: 1984) (Retd.) former Special Secretary, Cabinet Secretariat (R&AW)
- (xii) Shri Yashvardhan Kumar Sinha, (DoB:04.10.1958) (IFS:1981),(Retd.) former High Commissioner of India in UK
- (xiii) Shri Anoop Kumar Srivastava, (DoB: 11.08.1958) IAS (AM: 1981) (Retd.) former Secretary, Ministry of Tribal Affairs
- (xiv) Ms. Rashmi Verma, (DoB: 28.11.1958) IAS (BH: 1982) Secretary, Ministry of Tourism


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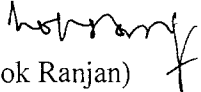
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(Lok Ranjan)
Additional Secretary
Tel.23094398

Shri Mallikarjun Kharge,
Leader of the single largest Party in Opposition in Lok Sabha,
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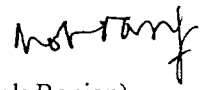
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2. You are kindly requested to make it convenient to attend the meeting.


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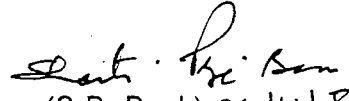
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Date: 21.11.2018

OFFICE ORDER

Prof Madabhushanam Sridhar Acharyulu, Information Commissioner, CIC, demits office as Information Commissioner on completion of his tenure on 21.11.2018 (AN)


(S.P. Beck) 21.11.18
Joint Secretary (Admn)

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5. Under Secretary (IR), Department of Personnel & Training, North Block, New Delhi.
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8. All Dy Secretaries/Dy. Registrars
9. PAO, CAT, Old JNU Campus, New Delhi.
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Date: 01.12.2018

OFFICE ORDER

Shri Amitava Bhattacharyya, Information Commissioner, CIC, demits office as Information Commissioner on completion of his tenure on 01.12.2018 (AN)

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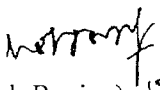
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(Lok Ranjan) 15/12/18
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Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners in CIC

Sl.No.	Name	Date of Birth	Date of Appointment	Date of completion of tenure	Field of Excellence
1.	Shri R.K. Mathur, Chief Information Commisioner, IAS	25.11.1953	04.01.2016	24.11.2018	Administration
2.	Shri Basant Seth Banker	16.02.1952	01.03.2012	15.02.2017	Management
3.	Shri Yashovardhan Azad IPS, M.P.	12.03.1954	22.11.2013	21.11.2018	Administration
4.	Shri Sharat Sabharwal IFS	23.09.1952	22.11.2013	22.09.2017	Administration
5.	Ms. Manjula Prasher IPoS	16.01.1953	22.11.2013	15.01.2018	Administration
6.	Shri M.A. Khan Yusufi ILS	01.01.1952	22.11.2013	31.12.2016	Law
7.	Shri Madabhusanam Sridhar Acharyulu Professor, Law	10.11.1956	22.11.2013	21.11.2018	Law
8.	Shri Sudhir Bhargava IAS, RJ	12.01.1955	11.06.2015	11.01.2020	Administration
9.	Shri Amitava Bhattacharya IAS	02.12.1953	25.02.2016	01.12.2018	Administration
10.	Shri Bimal Julka IAS	27.08.1955	25.02.2016	26.08.2020	Administration
11.	Shri Divya Prakash Sinha IPS	26.09.1955	25.02.2016	25.09.2020	Administration

Vacancies are marked in bold.

Agenda Note-II

Agenda note for consideration of the committee constituted under the Chairmanship of the Prime Minister of India under Section 12(3) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 for recommending the names to the President of India for appointment to the posts of Information Commissioners.

Statutory Position

1. As per section 12 (2) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereafter, the RTI Act), the Central Information Commission shall consist of the Chief Information Commissioner and such number of Central Information Commissioners, **not exceeding ten**, as may be deemed necessary. The present incumbency of the Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission is annexed.

2. Section 12 (3) of the Act stipulates that the Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission shall be appointed by the President on the recommendation of a Committee consisting of the following:-

- (i) the Prime Minister who shall be the Chairperson of the Committee;
- (ii) *the Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha; and
- (iii) a Union Cabinet Minister to be nominated by the Prime Minister.

*where the Leader of Opposition in the House of the People has not been recognized as such, the Leader of the single largest group in opposition of the Government in the House of the People shall be deemed to be the Leader of Opposition.

3. As per Section 12(5) of the RTI Act, 2005, the Information Commissioners shall be persons of eminence in public life with wide knowledge and experience in **"law, science and technology, social service, management, journalism, mass media or administration and governance."**

4. Section 12(6) of the RTI Act mandates that an Information Commissioner shall not be a Member of Parliament or Member of the Legislature or any State or Union Territory, as the case may be, or hold any other office or profit or connected with any political party or carrying on any business or pursuing any profession.

Process of Selection and Steps taken in the current process

5. As per past practice, the process of selection of Information Commissioners involves following steps:-

- (i) Particulars of interested persons are invited through advertisements in newspapers and through DoPT's website.
- (ii) Particulars of applicants are tabulated by DoPT and sent to a Search Committee chaired by Cabinet Secretary.

- (iii) Names shortlisted are sent to the Committee constituted under Section 12(3) headed by the Hon'ble Prime Minister.
- (iv) Persons recommended by the Committee constituted under Section 12(3) are appointed by the Hon'ble President.

6. An advertisement was posted on the website of DOPT on 27.07.2018 inviting applications from interested persons for the post of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission. The last date for receipt of applications was 31.08.2018. The advertisement was also published in the 04 leading newspapers- The Hindu' and 'Times of India'(in English); 'Dainik Bhaskar' and 'Hindustan' (in Hindi) by the Directorate of Advertising & Visual Publicity (DAVP) and their editions throughout India. In response, 280 applications were received for the post of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission by the last date i.e. 31.08.2018.

7. The competent authority has approved the constitution of Search Committee for the Information Commissioners with the following composition:-

i.	Cabinet Secretary	Chairman
ii.	Additional Principal Secretary to PM	Member
iii.	Secretary (Personnel)	Member
iv.	Secretary (I&B)	Member
v.	Secretary (DIPP)	Member
vi.	Dr. Manoj Panda (Director), Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi University	Member

The particulars of all applicants for the post of Information Commissioners were tabulated by DoPT and placed before the Search Committee (list of applications at pages 6-26). The Search Committee recommendations will be placed before the Committee constituted under Section 12(3) of the RTI Act during the meeting.

Supreme Court Directions in Related Court Case

8. In Anjali Bharadwaj & Ors Vs. Union of India & Ors in Writ Petition No. 436 of 2018, the Hon'ble Supreme Court had vide its order dated 03.12.2018 directed inter alia Union of India to file status report within one week indicating the steps which have been taken for filling up of the vacant posts and also the manner in which these posts are sought to be filled. The case is listed next on 22.01.2019.

9. A copy of the Right to Information Act, 2005 is annexed for information.

10. The Agenda Note is submitted for kind consideration of the Committee. The Committee may kindly recommend the names of suitable candidates for the post of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

F. NO. 4/9/2018-IR
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
(Department of Personnel and Training)

North Block, New Delhi
Dated: 26th July, 2018

Subject: Appointment of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

Under the Right to Information Act 2005, the Government of India has constituted the Central Information Commission which is located in New Delhi. The powers and functions of the Information Commissioner in the Central Information Commission are as per the RTI Act, 2005.

2. It is proposed to appoint Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.
3. The Act provides that the Information Commissioner: -
 - (i) shall be a person of eminence in public life with wide knowledge and experience in law, science and technology, social service, management, journalism, mass-media or administration and governance.
 - (ii) shall not be a Member of Parliament or Member of the Legislature of any State or Union Territory, as the case may be, or hold any other office of profit or connected with any political party or carrying on any business or pursuing any profession. It is clarified that cessation/termination of holding of office of profit, pursuing any profession or carrying any business is a condition precedent to the appointment of a person as Information Commissioner.
4. Persons who have attained the age of 65 years shall not be eligible for appointment.
5. The salary, allowances and other terms and conditions of service of the Information Commissioners shall be as may be specified at the time of appointment of the selected candidate/s.
6. Persons fulfilling the criteria and interested for appointment to the post of Information Commissioner may send their particulars in the enclosed proforma, by post, to Under Secretary (RTI), Department of Personnel and Training, North Block, New Delhi or through e-mail to usrti-dopt@nic.in so as to reach between 1st August, 2018 and 31st August, 2018. Persons who are serving under the State/Central Government or any other Organization, should send their particulars through proper channel (administrative Ministry/Department/State/UTs).

V Sinha
(Varsha Sinha)
Director (IR)
Tel: 23092755

Note:

1. Persons who may have applied earlier in response to advertisement dated 02.09.2016 are requested to apply afresh, if eligible.
2. RTI Act, 2005 and Rules thereunder may be referred to by intending applicants for general familiarization, as could be appropriate.

Proforma for sending particulars for consideration for the post of Information Commissioner in the
Central Information Commission

Please affix the
latest passport
size photograph

1. Name :
2. Date of Birth :
3. Present Address :
4. Contact No.
 - a) Telephone (along with STD code) :
 - b) Mobile :
 - c) Fax :
5. E-mail Address :
6. Educational Qualification :
7. Area of Eminence :
8. Present Occupation :
9. Achievements/Work Experience :
(As per Annexure)

Date:
Place:

Signature:
Name:

Annexure

Details of Achievements/Work Experience in respect of candidates applying for the post of
Information Commissioner

Sr. No.	Post	Organisation	Period		Details of achievements/experience (in brief)
			From	To	
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					

Pages 247 - 267 has personal details of the applicants which are exempted from disclosure under Section 8(1) (j) of the RTI Act, 2005. However, a list of names of applicant is given

**Applications for the post of Information
Commissioners**

S. No.	NAME
1	SARWAR KHAN
2	AJAY NARAYAN JHA
3	AJIT KUMAR PANDE
4	DIVYA GUPTA
5	SANJAY KUMAR SAXENA
6	VIJAY KUMAR CHINTAMAT VINOD
7	VEENA JAIN
8	GURUGUBELLI SURYA
9	RAJAK KHAN HAIDER
10	I.M. SETHIYA
11	VIMLA SETHIYA
12	PONNUSAMY M.
13	NIRMALENDU MOHAPATRA
14	SATYANARAIN AGNIHOTRI
15	SANJEEV BHARTIYA DUBE
16	MUNISH KUMAR SHARMA
17	RAMESH CHANDER HOODA
18	RAMAWATAR MEENA
19	JATINDER KUMAR SHARMA
20	MADAN MOHAN GOEL
21	TUSHAR SUBHRA SANTRA
22	V. SEKAR
23	DHARAMENDRA KUMAR (Entry Repeated at S.No. 103)
24	RINA MITRA
25	ROHIT NANDAN
26	SUNIL KUMAR SINGH
27	R. KANNAN
28	SHARAT CHANDRA JETHI
29	T. NARAYANA
30	PRAMOD KUMAR
31	VIMAL KUMAR JAIN
32	NIRMALA CHALLAGALLA
33	ARUN JHA
34	RANJIT KUMAR PACHNANDA
35	R. RAJASEKHARAN
36	PUKHRAJ SINGH MALIK
37	SUDHIR CHOWDHARY
38	PRASANTA KUMAR MAHAPATRA
39	DEVENDER KUMAR BHALLA
40	ANADEE NATH MISHRA

41	AJAI KUMAR SAHGAL
42	RAJENDRA SINGH SIRKARWAR
43	B.N. SHARMA
44	ARUN KUMAR SINHA (Entry Repeated at S.No. 104)
45	RAKESH SRIVASTAVA
46	ANIL KUMAR GUPTA
47	PRASHANT KUMAR
48	NARENDER KUMAR BHOLA
49	SUSHEEL KUMAR
50	SANJIV GARG
51	SHAMBHU DAYAL MEENA
52	VINOD KUMAR
53	ANANT KUMAR DHUL
54	ARUN KR. SRIVASTAVA
55	RAJINDER PARSHAD MITTAL
56	BHAGWATI PRASAD PANDEY
57	RANJAN KUMAR GHOSE
58	KASI VIDYASAGAR
59	SUSHIL KANT MISRA
60	DHARAMRAJ SINGH
61	RAVINDRA KUMAR SRIVASTAVA
62	YOG DHYAN BANGA
63	SARVESH KAUSHAL
64	G.K. SURESH BABU
65	SANTLAL JHA SUMAN
66	HIDAYATULLAH KHAN
67	DEEPAK HASTIR
68	VANAJA N. SARNA
69	BRAHAM SWAROOP AGRAWAL
70	RAVINDRA NATH YADAV
71	HIRNESH KUMAR SHARADCHANDRA BHAVSAR
72	ARUN KUMAR
73	ANJALI ANAND SRIVASTAVA
74	VIJAY KUMAR SINGH
75	PRADEEP RAGHUNANDAN
76	PRASENJIT MUKHERJEE
77	DEVENDRA KUMAR PATHAK
78	RANI SINGH NAIR
79	DILEEP KUMAR GUPTA DINKAR
80	KRISHANA KUMAR GUPTA
81	MANSURI HABIB SHAKURBHAI
82	ARUN KUMAR PANDEY

83	V. PRAVEEN
84	SOUMITRA KUMAR DEY
85	T. BHASKARAN
86	V. JAGADEESHWAR RAO
87	DARISI HIMACHALA RAO
88	MAHENDRA KUMAR GOEL
89	RASHMI VERMA
90	GOPAL CHANDRA MISHRA
91	SANJEEV AGGARWAL
92	JOGULA SATHYANARAYANA
93	PAWAN TIWARI
94	KAILASH PRASAD DEWANGAN
95	YUDISHTER SHARMA
96	UMA SHRIVASTAVA
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105	ACHLA SINHA
106	SIDDHARTHA VIJAI NARAYAN
107	POORNIMA.A
108	JADAB KUMAR PAL
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112	SANJAY KUMAR PANDA
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115	UMA KANT SADHAV
116	FRANK NORONHA
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118	ESTHER SAKUNTHALA KAR
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229	NEMI KUMAR
230	DR. V K BAHUGUNA
231	HEM KUMAR PANDE
232	BHASKAR UDDHAVRAO MORE
233	MATHEW THOMAS
234	NARENDRA SINHA
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237	UGRASEN PANDEY
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257	RAMESH CHANDRA
258	PATIBANDLA SATYA NARAYANA PRASAD

259	R S KAMBO
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261	RAJENDRAKUMAR RANJITSINGH CHAUDHARI
262	VIPUL VIJOY
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279	MANISHA NANDA
280	VINEET CHAUDHRY
281	ASHEESH KUMAR AGARWAL

Late Applications

S.No.	NAME
1	VINOD KUMAR SHARMA
2	LAMBA TEJPAL SINGH
3	SUBHASH CHANDRA GOEL, IAS (RETD.)
4	DEEPAK MISHRA, IAS
5	DHANPAL JAISWAL
6	V. VIJAY KUMAR
7	ASHOK KUMAR GAUTAM
8	K.V.V.V. Satyanarayana
9	Dr. Kavassery Seshan Uma
10	M.N. Krishnamurthy

MINUTES OF THE MEETINGS OF THE COMMITTEE CONSTITUTED UNDER SECTION 12 (3) OF THE RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT, 2005 UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE PRIME MINISTER OF INDIA HELD ON 11th and 20th OF DECEMBER, 2018 AT 6.30 PM AT 7 LOK KALYAN MARG, NEW DELHI FOR MAKING RECOMMENDATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF INFORMATION COMMISSIONERS IN THE CENTRAL INFORMATION COMMISSION.

The Committee constituted under Section 12 (3) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 met under the Chairmanship of the Prime Minister of India at 6.30 pm on 11.12.2018 and 20.11.2018 at 7 Lok Kalyan Marg, New Delhi to make recommendations for appointment of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

The meeting was attended by the following:

- (i) Shri Narendra Modi, Prime Minister, Chairman
- (ii) Shri Mallikarjun Kharge, Leader of Indian National Congress, the single largest party in Opposition in Lok Sabha, Member
- (iii) Shri Arun Jaitley, Finance Minister, Member

2. The Committee was apprised that as per section 12(2) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the Central Information Commission shall consist of the Chief Information Commissioner and such number of **Information Commissioners, not exceeding ten**, as may be deemed necessary. The Committee was also apprised that while at present there are three incumbent Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission, there would be two Information Commissioners pursuant to appointment of Shri Sudhir Bhargava, Information Commissioner as Chief Information Commissioner.

3. The Committee was also apprised that the Information Commissioners shall be persons of eminence in public life with wide knowledge and experience in law, science and technology, social service, management, journalism, mass media or administration and governance.

4. The Committee was apprised of the directions dated 03.12.2018 of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in a Writ Petition No. 436/2018 filed by Anjali Bhardwaj & Ors Vs. Union of India and Ors, in which the Hon'ble Supreme Court has directed the Union of India to file status report indicating the steps which have been taken for filling up of the vacant posts and also the manner in which these posts are sought to be filled. The Committee was also informed that in the affidavit filed before the Hon'ble Supreme Court, it has been mentioned that four vacant posts of Information Commissioners are under the purview of the advertisement issued on 27.07.2018 for the posts of Information Commissioner in Central Information Commission.

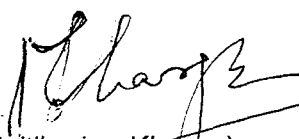
5. The Committee considered all eligible applicants who applied in response to the advertisement issued on 27.07.2018 for the post of Information Commissioner as well as the names shortlisted by the search committee headed by the Cabinet Secretary.

6. After taking into account all the relevant factors, the Committee recommended the following names for appointment as Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission (the profiles are given in the Annexure)

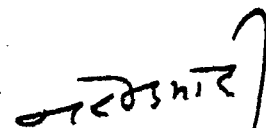
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| (i) | Ms Vanaja N. Sarna | - | Information Commissioner |
| (ii) | Shri Yashvardhan Kumar Sinha | - | Information Commissioner |
| (iii) | Shri Neeraj Kumar Gupta | - | Information Commissioner |
| (iv) | Shri Suresh Chandra | - | Information Commissioner |



(Arun Jaitley)
Minister of Finance
& Corporate Affairs



(Mallikarjun Kharge)
Leader of Indian National
Congress, the single largest
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Lok Sabha



(Narendra Modi)
Prime Minister

PROFILES OF INFORMATION COMMISSIONERS

Name & Service	Eminence	Knowledge	Experience
Vanaja N. Sarna, I.R.S. (Retd.) (1980)	Retired as Special Secretary to Government of India, and Chairman CBEC, Government of India. She has served in various capacities such as Chairman/Member, CBEC; Director General Vigilance; Chief Commissioner, Central Excise and Service Tax; Additional DG, DRI; etc.	She possesses B.A., LLB, Diploma in Journalism and Mass Communication, Diploma in Public Administration	She has more than 37 years of experience in the field of Tax Administration and Governance.
Yashvardhan Kumar Sinha, I.F.S. (Retd.) (1981)	Retired as High Commissioner of India in United Kingdom. He has served in various capacities in the Ministry of External Affairs such as High Commissioner, Ambassador, Consul General, Counselor	He possesses M.A. (History)	He has more than 36 years of experience in the field of Administration and External Affairs.
Neeraj Kumar Gupta IAS (Retd.) (1982)	Retired as Finance Secretary and Secretary to Government of India, Department of Investment and Public Asset Management. He has served in various capacities in the State of Uttar Pradesh and at the Central Government level	He possesses B.E. in Electronics	He has more than 35 years of experience in the field of Administration and Governance. He has experience in the sectors of Finance, Public Enterprises and Industries, Commerce and Trade, Urban Development, Public Works, Tourism, Revenue Administration etc.
Suresh Chandra, I.L.S. (1989)	Retired as Secretary to Government of India, Department of Legal Affairs. He has served in various capacities in the Law Ministry at the level of Assistant Legal Adviser, Additional Legal Adviser, Legal Adviser, Joint Secretary, Additional Secretary and Secretary	He possesses B.Sc., LLB, Diploma in Management, LLM	He has more than 35 years of experience in the field of Law and Governance. He has experience in the sectors of Railways, Defence, Labour, CBI, Civil Aviation. He has acted as Arbitrator and has also presided over a special Tribunal.

Bharat Lal
Joint Secretary to the President



RASHTRAPATI BHAVAN
New Delhi - 110004

No.F.53-CA(I)/2018

29 December, 2018

Sir,

This has reference to the proposal of the Department of Personnel & Training regarding appointment of Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission.

2. I write to convey that the President has desired that the newly appointed Information Commissioners may make and subscribe Oath or Affirmation before the Chief Information Commissioner as provided under Section 13(3) of the Right to Information Act, 2005.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,


(Bharat Lal)

Dr. C. Chandramouli, IAS
Secretary,
Department of Personnel and Training,
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions,
North Block,
New Delhi.

- (4) A notice given under sub-section (3) shall include a statement that the third party to whom the notice is given is entitled to prefer an appeal under section 19 against the decision.

CHAPTER III

The Central Information Commission

12. (1) The Central Government shall, by notification in the Official Gazette, constitute a body to be known as the Central Information Commission to exercise the powers conferred on, and to perform the functions assigned to, it under this Act.

Constitution
of Central
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(2) The Central Information Commission shall consist of—

- (a) the Chief Information Commissioner; and
- (b) such number of Central Information Commissioners, not exceeding ten, as may be deemed necessary.

(3) The Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners shall be appointed by the President on the recommendation of a committee consisting of—

- (i) the Prime Minister, who shall be the Chairperson of the committee;
- (ii) the Leader of Opposition in the Lok Sabha; and
- (iii) a Union Cabinet Minister to be nominated by the Prime Minister.

Explanation.—For the purposes of removal of doubts, it is hereby declared that where the Leader of Opposition in the House of the People has not been recognised as such, the Leader of the single largest group in opposition of the Government in the House of the People shall be deemed to be the Leader of Opposition.

(4) The general superintendence, direction and management of the affairs of the Central Information Commission shall vest in the Chief Information Commissioner who shall be assisted by the Information Commissioners and may exercise all such powers and do all such acts and things which may be exercised or done by the Central Information Commission autonomously without being subjected to directions by any other authority under this Act.

(5) The Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners shall be persons of eminence in public life with wide knowledge and experience in law, science and technology, social service, management, journalism, mass media or administration and governance.

(6) The Chief Information Commissioner or an Information Commissioner shall not be a Member of Parliament or Member of the Legislature of any State or Union territory, as the case may be, or hold any other office of profit or connected with any political party or carrying on any business or pursuing any profession.

(7) The headquarters of the Central Information Commission shall be at Delhi and the Central Information Commission may, with the previous approval of the Central Government, establish offices at other places in India.

13. (1) The Chief Information Commissioner shall hold office for a term of five years from the date on which he enters upon his office and shall not be eligible for reappointment:

Term of
office and
conditions
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Provided that no Chief Information Commissioner shall hold office as such after he has attained the age of sixty-five years.

(2) Every Information Commissioner shall hold office for a term of five years from the date on which he enters upon his office or till he attains the age of sixty-five years, whichever is earlier, and shall not be eligible for reappointment as such Information Commissioner:

Provided that every Information Commissioner shall, on vacating his office under this sub-section be eligible for appointment as the Chief Information Commissioner in the manner specified in sub-section (3) of section 12:

Provided further that where the Information Commissioner is appointed as the Chief Information Commissioner, his term of office shall not be more than five years in aggregate as the Information Commissioner and the Chief Information Commissioner.

(3) The Chief Information Commissioner or an Information Commissioner shall before he enters upon his office make and subscribe before the President or some other person appointed by him in that behalf, an oath or affirmation according to the form set out for the purpose in the First Schedule.

(4) The Chief Information Commissioner or an Information Commissioner may, at any time, by writing under his hand addressed to the President, resign from his office:

Provided that the Chief Information Commissioner or an Information Commissioner may be removed in the manner specified under section 14.

(5) The salaries and allowances payable to and other terms and conditions of service of-

(a) the Chief Information Commissioner shall be the same as that of the Chief Election Commissioner;

(b) an Information Commissioner shall be the same as that of an Election Commissioner:

Provided that if the Chief Information Commissioner or an Information Commissioner, at the time of his appointment is, in receipt of a pension, other than a disability or wound pension, in respect of any previous service under the Government of India or under the Government of a State, his salary in respect of the service as the Chief Information Commissioner or an Information Commissioner shall be reduced by the amount of that pension including any portion of pension which was commuted and pension equivalent of other forms of retirement benefits excluding pension equivalent of retirement gratuity:

Provided further that if the Chief Information Commissioner or an Information Commissioner if, at the time of his appointment is, in receipt of retirement benefits in respect of any previous service rendered in a Corporation established by or under any Central Act or State Act or a Government company owned or controlled by the Central Government or the State Government, his salary in respect of the service as the Chief Information Commissioner or an Information Commissioner shall be reduced by the amount of pension equivalent to the retirement benefits:

Provided also that the salaries, allowances and other conditions of service of the Chief Information Commissioner and the Information Commissioners shall not be varied to their disadvantage after their appointment.

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4. Please accept our best wishes in your new assignment.

Yours sincerely,
Sd-

(Lok Ranjan)

Shri Yashvardhan Kumar Sinha
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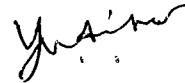
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(Yashvardhan Kumar Sinha)

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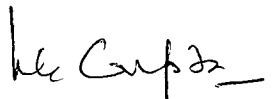
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To

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3. You may please take necessary action accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

Sd-

(Lok Ranjan)

Additional Secretary to the Govt. of India

Tel:-23094398

Copy to Sh. S.P. Beck, Joint Secretary, Central Information Commission for information and necessary action.

(Lok Ranjan)

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North Block, New Delhi
 28th December 2018

To

Secretary
 Central Information Commission
 CID Brawan,
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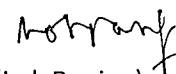
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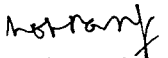
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NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 1st January, 2019

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[F.No. 4/9/2018-IR]


(Lok Ranjan)

Additional Secretary to the Government of India

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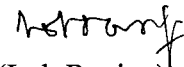
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NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 1st January, 2019

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[F.No. 4/9/2018-IR]


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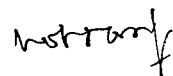
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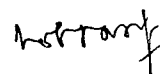
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NOTIFICATION

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[F.No. 4/9/2018-IR]


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नई दिल्ली, 1 जनवरी, 2019

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(Department of Personnel & Training)
IR Division

New Delhi, 1st January, 2019

To

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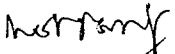
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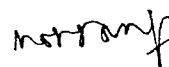
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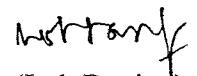
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[फा.सं. 4/9/2018 -आईआर]

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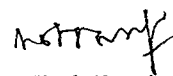
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NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 1st January, 2019

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[F.No. 4/9/2018-IR]


(Lok Ranjan)

Additional Secretary to the Government of India

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नई दिल्ली, 1 जनवरी, 2019

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लोक रंजन, अपर सचिव

MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS

(Department of Personnel and Training)

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 1st January, 2019

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[F. No. 4/9/2018-IR]

LOK RANJAN, Addl. Secy.

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नई दिल्ली, 1 जनवरी, 2019

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लोक रंजन, अपर सचिव

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 1st January, 2019

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[F. No. 4/9/2018-IR]

LOK RANJAN, Addl. Secy.

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नई दिल्ली, 1 जनवरी, 2019

का.आ. 04(अ).—राष्ट्रपति, सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम, 2005 (2005 का 22) की धारा 12 की उप-धारा (3) के अधीन समिति की सिफारिश पर, 1 जनवरी, 2019 दोपहर से केन्द्रीय सूचना आयोग में श्री नीरज कुमार गुप्ता को केन्द्रीय सूचना आयुक्त के रूप में नियुक्त करते हैं।

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New Delhi, the 1st January, 2019

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[F. No. 4/9/2018-IR]

LOK RANJAN, Addl. Secy.

अधिसूचना

नई दिल्ली, 1 जनवरी, 2019

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LOK RANJAN, Addl. Secy.

ITEM NO.4

COURT NO.3

SECTION PIL-W

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Writ Petition(s)(Civil) No(s). 436/2018

ANJALI BHARDWAJ & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

Date : 13-12-2018 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.K. SIKRI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S. ABDUL NAZEER
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE R. SUBHASH REDDY

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Prashant Bhushan, AOR

For Respondent(s)

State of A.P. Mr. Guntur Prabhakar, AOR
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Ms. Vishakha, Adv.

Mr. G. Prakash, AOR

State of Karnataka Mr. V. N. Raghupathy, AOR
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State of Odisha Mr. Ravi Prakash Mehrotra, AOR
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State of Maharashtra Ms. Deepa M. Kulkarni, Adv.
 Mr. Nishant Ramakantrao Katneshwarkar, AOR

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

Union of India has filed affidavit dated 12.12.2018 mentioning the status of the appointments to the post of Chief Information Commissioner as well as Information Commissioners.

It is stated by learned Additional Solicitor General that insofar as the post of Chief Information Commissioner is concerned, pursuant to the advertisement, 64 applications were received. It is further informed that insofar as the posts of Information Commissioners are concerned, 4 posts are advertised and 280 applications were received. It is mentioned that advertisement was uploaded on the Department of Personnel and Training (DoPT) website.

Learned Additional Solicitor General also submits that the Selection Committee, as per Section 12 of the Right to Information Act, 2005, held a meeting on 11.12.2018 on which date the recommendation in respect of appointment of Chief Information Commissioner has been finalised and it is expected that the person shall be appointed soon. Insofar as post of Information Commissioners are concerned, having regard to a large number of applications, process could not be completed on that day. It is further stated at the Bar that this shall also be accomplished soon.

We are informed that three more posts of Information

Commissioners are lying vacant. It would be appropriate to initiate the process of filling up these posts as well by issuing an advertisement at the earliest.

Mr. Prashant Bhushan, learned counsel appearing for the petitioners, submits that Paragraph 5 of the advertisement for the post of Chief Information Commissioner reads as under:

"The salary, allowances and other terms and conditions of service of the Chief Information Commissioner shall be as may be specified at the time of appointment of the selected candidate."

His submission is that the RTI Act mentions salary, allowances and other terms of the Chief Information Commissioner to be appointed and the stipulation could not have been in vague terms as stated there. This is the aspect that shall be considered on the next date of hearing.

He further submits that similar clause is put in the advertisement pertaining to Information Commissioners. This aspect also will be considered on the next date of hearing.

However, we may take on record the statement of learned Additional Solicitor General that the RTI Act itself mentions the terms and conditions on which appointments of Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission are to be made.

The respondents shall put on the website the names of the Search Committee, the names of the candidates who have been shortlisted as well as the criteria which is followed for selection. We may again record the statement of learned Additional Solicitor General that the selection criteria is prescribed in the

RTI Act itself which is being followed. Still, that can be put on the website.

STATE OF KARNATAKA:

In the affidavit filed on behalf of the State of Karnataka it is mentioned that there is only one vacancy of the State Information Commissioner ("SIO") which has been advertised. However, in the meantime, the High Court of Karnataka has stayed the appointment process.

STATE OF MAHARASHTRA:

In the affidavit filed on behalf of the State of Maharashtra it is mentioned that the post of State Chief Information Commissioner ("SCIC") has already been filled. It is also stated that steps have been taken for filling up the post of one State Information Commissioner ("SIC") and that would happen soon. It is further stated that there are two post of SIC which have been fallen vacant now and in respect of these two posts process for filling up the posts through advertisement will be initiated positively within four weeks.

They shall also disclose on the website the particulars on the same lines as directed in the case of Union of India.

STATE OF WEST BENGAL:

Learned counsel appearing for the State of West Bengal submits that SCIC has already been appointed. She further states that one SIC is already in place and one more SIC has been appointed. In

this way, as of now, one SCIC and two SICs are holding the office. As per the RTI Act up to ten SICs can be appointed. We are not sure as to whether the entire work can be dealt with by only one SCIC and two SICs.

The State of West Bengal shall file an affidavit stating the requirement of SICs. The information shall also be provided in respect of the applications under the RTI Act which are being filed, the applications which are pending as well as the appeals which are pending before the SICs and for how long they are pending. The pendency shall also be disclosed. An affidavit in this behalf shall be filed within two weeks.

STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH:

Learned counsel for the State of Andhra Pradesh has handed over affidavit dated 12.12.2018. As per this affidavit, three persons are appointed as SIC. It is also stated that though the post of SCIC was also advertised but nobody could be appointed and it is not decided to issue fresh advertisement in this behalf. Insofar as SCIC is concerned, he has mentioned that advertisement was issued on 24.08.2018 and the last date for receiving the applications was extended up to 10.10.2018. Thirty one applications have been received and it is proposed to hold Selection Committee's meeting soon. We expect that such meeting shall take place as soon as possible and within one month the SCIC shall also be appointed.

It is also stated that, in the meantime, Mr. M. Ravi Kumar, who is working as SIC, is placed as In-charge for the post of SCIC so that the Commission may function.

An affidavit shall also be filed on the same lines as directed in the case of State of West Bengal before the next date of listing. They shall also disclose on the website the particulars on the same lines as directed in the case of Union of India.

STATE OF TELANGANA:

Insofar as State of Telangana is concerned, affidavit has not been filed in compliance with the directions given by this Court on the last date of hearing. Learned counsel states that it was because of the reason that there were elections of the Legislative Assembly which concluded and results came only on 11.12.2018. He, therefore, seeks, and is granted, two weeks' time to file an affidavit.

In the affidavit to be filed not only it would be indicated as to how many SICs are functioning, the affidavit shall also disclose the steps which are taken to fill up the posts and how many posts are required to be filled. In case the State of Telangana has taken a decision not to fill ten posts of SIO, justification thereof shall be provided in the form of an affidavit by disclosing the information in the same manner in which it has been directed in respect of State of West Bengal.

STATE OF ODISHA:

As per the earlier affidavit filed on behalf of the State of Odisha, the State has decided to function the Information Commission with one SCIC and three SIC. It is stated that SCIC and two SICs are already working and there is one post of SIC for which

advertisement shall be issued very shortly.

Mr. Prashant Bhushan, learned counsel, submits that there are huge arrears before the Information Commission in the State of Odisha and there is no justification to have only three Information Commissioners.

The State of Odisha shall also file an affidavit on the same lines as directed in the case of State of West Bengal before the next date of listing. They shall also disclose on the website the particulars of selection etc. on the same lines as directed in the case of Union of India.

STATE OF GUJARAT:

Learned counsel for the State of Gujarat states that she has received information from the State only two days ago and she shall be filing the affidavit within one week. However, she orally informs that as per the information received, in the State of Gujarat, the Information Commission consists of one SCIC and four SIC. She further submits that the SCIC and one SIC are functioning. Three vacancies for the post of SIC have already been advertised and the process is on. According to her, applications have been received and are pending before the Selection Committee.

We expect the Selection Committee to complete the process at the earliest, preferably before the next date of hearing.

They shall also disclose on the website the particulars of selection etc. on the same lines as directed in the case of Union of India.

STATE OF KERALA:

Learned counsel for the State of Kerala states that one SCIC and four SIC are functioning. Five posts of SICs could not be filled because of pendency of some writ petition(s) in the Kerala High Court.

List the matter on 22.01.2019.

(SUSHIL KUMAR RAKHEJA)
AR-CUM-PS

(RAJINDER KAUR)
BRANCH OFFICER



Subject: Copy of Gazette of India notifying the appointment of Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners in Central Information Commission.

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Sir,

Please find enclosed copies of Gazette of India Extra-ordinary notifications regarding the appointment of Shri Sudhir Bhargava as Chief Information Commissioner in Central Information Commission and appointment of four Information Commissioners in Central Information Commission for further necessary action.

Regards

US-RTI
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Tel. 23092759

F.No. 4/9/2018-IR (Pt)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
Department of Personnel and Training
IR Division

North Block, New Delhi
Dated: 3rd January, 2019

OFFICE MEMORANDM

Subject: Oath to the newly appointed Information Commissioners

The undersigned is directed to refer to President Secretariat's DO No F.53-CA(I)/2018 dated 29.12.2018 and to say that oath of office of the Information Commissioner was administered by Sudhir Bhargava, Chief Information Commissioner to Shri Yashvardhan Kumar Sinha, Smt. Vanaja N Sarna, Shri Neeraj Kumar Gupta and Shri Suresh Chandra in Central information Commission on 1st January, 2019 at 1700 hrs.

2. A copy each of the oath taken by four Information Commissioners are sent herewith for information and necessary action.

Sanjay Kumar,
(Sanjay Kumar)
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India
Tel: 23092759

To

Shri Pawan Kumar Sain
Deputy Director(P), President Secretariat
Rashtrapati Bhawan
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To

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Deputy Director(P), President Secretariat
Rashtrapati Bhawan
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D.O.No.2/14/2018/CIC/Admn.

Dated: 1st January, 2019

To

The Secretary (P)
Department of Personnel & Training
North Block, New Delhi

Sub: Oath to the newly appointed Information Commissioners.

Ref: DoPT's letter No.4/9/2018(IR) dated 29.12.2018.

Sir,

As per the instructions contained in the letter under reference, it is informed that oath of office of the Information Commissioner was administered by Shri Sudhir Bhargava, Chief Information Commissioner to Shri Yashvardhan Kumar Sinha, Smt. Vanaja N Sarna, Shri Neeraj Kumar Gupta and Shri Suresh Chandra in Central Information Commission on 1st January, 2019 at 1700 hrs.

A copy of the oath taken by four Information Commissioners are sent herewith for information and necessary action.

It is requested that a copy of the notification of the appointment of the Information Commissioners may be sent to this Commission.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: As above.

S.P. Beck

(S.P. Beck)
Joint Secretary (Admn)
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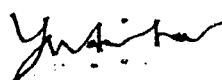
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[Sections 13(3) and 16(3) of the RTI Act, 2005]
FORM OF OATH OR AFFIRMATION TO BE MADE BY
THE INFORMATION COMMISSIONER


"I, Yashvardhan Kumar Sinha,

having been appointed Information Commissioner, swear in the name of God that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of India as by law established, that I will uphold the sovereignty and integrity of India, that I will duly and faithfully and to the best of my ability, knowledge and judgement perform the duties of my office without fear or favour, affection or ill-will and that I will uphold the Constitution and the laws."


(Yashvardhan Kumar Sinha)

01.01.2019

In my presence


(Sudhir Bhargava)
Chief Information Commissioner

01.01.2019

पहली अनुसूची
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(यशवर्धन कुमार सिन्हा)

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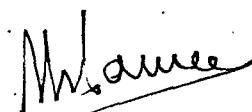
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THE FIRST SCHEDULE
[Sections 13(3) and 16(3) of the RTI Act, 2005]
FORM OF OATH OR AFFIRMATION TO BE MADE BY
THE INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

"I, **Vanaja N Sarna,**

having been appointed Information Commissioner, swear in the name of God that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of India as by law established, that I will uphold the sovereignty and integrity of India, that I will duly and faithfully and to the best of my ability, knowledge and judgement perform the duties of my office without fear or favour, affection or ill-will and that I will uphold the Constitution and the laws."



(Vanaja N Sarna)

01.01.2019

In my presence



(Sudhir Bhargava)

Chief Information Commissioner

01.01.2019

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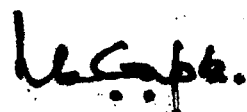
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THE INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

I, Neeraj Kumar Gupta,

having been appointed Information Commissioner, swear in the name of God that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of India as by law established, that I will uphold the sovereignty and integrity of India, that I will duly and faithfully and to the best of my ability, knowledge and judgement perform the duties of my office without fear or favour, affection or ill-will and that I will uphold the Constitution and the laws."



(Neeraj Kumar Gupta)

01.01.2019

In my presence



(Sudhir Bhargava)


Chief Information Commissioner

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मैं, नीरज कुमार गुप्ता जो

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 (नीरज कुमार गुप्ता)
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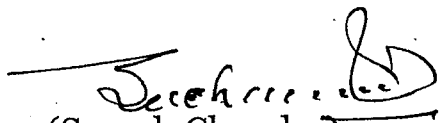

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THE FIRST SCHEDULE
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FORM OF OATH OR AFFIRMATION TO BE MADE BY
THE INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

I, Suresh Chandra,

having been appointed Information Commissioner, swear in the name of God that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of India as by law established, that I will uphold the sovereignty and integrity of India, that I will duly and faithfully and to the best of my ability, knowledge and judgement perform the duties of my office without fear or favour, affection or ill-will and that I will uphold the Constitution and the laws."


(Suresh Chandra)

01.01.2019

In my presence


(Sudhir Bhargava)

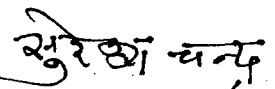
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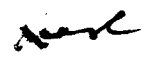
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(सुरेश चन्द्रा)

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 Subject: **Copy of Gazette of India notifying the appointment of Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners in Central Information Commission.**
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Sir,

Please find enclosed copies of Gazette of India Extra-ordinary notifications regarding the appointment of Shri Sudhir Bhargava as Chief Information Commissioner in Central Information Commission and appointment of four Information Commissioners in Central Information Commission for further necessary action.

Regards

US-RTI
DOPT
Tel. 23092759

ITEM NO.4

COURT NO.3

SECTION PIL-W

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Writ Petition(s)(Civil) No(s). 436/2018

ANJALI BHARDWAJ & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

Date : 13-12-2018 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.K. SIKRI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S. ABDUL NAZEER
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE R. SUBHASH REDDY

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Prashant Bhushan, AOR

For Respondent(s)

State of A.P. Mr. Guntur Prabhakar, AOR
Ms. Prerna Singh, Adv.

State of West Bengal Ms. Madhumita Bhattacharjee, AOR
Mr. P. Venkat Reddy, Adv.
Mr. Prashant Tyagi, Adv.
M/s Venkat Palwai Law Associates, AOR

State of Gujarat Ms. Hemantika Wahi, AOR
Ms. Jesal Wahi, Adv.
Ms. Vishakha, Adv.

Mr. G. Prakash, AOR

State of Karnataka Mr. V. N. Raghupathy, AOR
Mr. Prakash Jadhav, Adv.

State of Odisha Mr. Ravi Prakash Mehrotra, AOR
Mr. Ankit Agarwal, Adv.

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Mr. Arvind Kumar Sharma, AOR

State of Maharashtra Ms. Deepa M. Kulkarni, Adv.
 Mr. Nishant Ramakantrao Katneshwarkar, AOR

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

Union of India has filed affidavit dated 12.12.2018 mentioning the status of the appointments to the post of Chief Information Commissioner as well as Information Commissioners.

It is stated by learned Additional Solicitor General that insofar as the post of Chief Information Commissioner is concerned, pursuant to the advertisement, 64 applications were received. It is further informed that insofar as the posts of Information Commissioners are concerned, 4 posts are advertised and 280 applications were received. It is mentioned that advertisement was uploaded on the Department of Personnel and Training (DoPT) website.

Learned Additional Solicitor General also submits that the Selection Committee, as per Section 12 of the Right to Information Act, 2005, held a meeting on 11.12.2018 on which date the recommendation in respect of appointment of Chief Information Commissioner has been finalised and it is expected that the person shall be appointed soon. Insofar as post of Information Commissioners are concerned, having regard to a large number of applications, process could not be completed on that day. It is further stated at the Bar that this shall also be accomplished soon.

We are informed that three more posts of Information

Commissioners are lying vacant. It would be appropriate to initiate the process of filling up these posts as well by issuing an advertisement at the earliest.

Mr. Prashant Bhushan, learned counsel appearing for the petitioners, submits that Paragraph 5 of the advertisement for the post of Chief Information Commissioner reads as under:

"The salary, allowances and other terms and conditions of service of the Chief Information Commissioner shall be as may be specified at the time of appointment of the selected candidate."

His submission is that the RTI Act mentions salary, allowances and other terms of the Chief Information Commissioner to be appointed and the stipulation could not have been in vague terms as stated there. This is the aspect that shall be considered on the next date of hearing.

He further submits that similar clause is put in the advertisement pertaining to Information Commissioners. This aspect also will be considered on the next date of hearing.

However, we may take on record the statement of learned Additional Solicitor General that the RTI Act itself mentions the terms and conditions on which appointments of Chief Information Commissioner and Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission are to be made.

The respondents shall put on the website the names of the Search Committee, the names of the candidates who have been shortlisted as well as the criteria which is followed for selection. We may again record the statement of learned Additional Solicitor General that the selection criteria is prescribed in the

RTI Act itself which is being followed. Still, that can be put on the website.

STATE OF KARNATAKA:

In the affidavit filed on behalf of the State of Karnataka it is mentioned that there is only one vacancy of the State Information Commissioner ("SIO") which has been advertised. However, in the meantime, the High Court of Karnataka has stayed the appointment process.

STATE OF MAHARASHTRA:

In the affidavit filed on behalf of the State of Maharashtra it is mentioned that the post of State Chief Information Commissioner ("SCIC") has already been filled. It is also stated that steps have been taken for filling up the post of one State Information Commissioner ("SIC") and that would happen soon. It is further stated that there are two post of SIC which have been fallen vacant now and in respect of these two posts process for filling up the posts through advertisement will be initiated positively within four weeks.

They shall also disclose on the website the particulars on the same lines as directed in the case of Union of India.

STATE OF WEST BENGAL:

Learned counsel appearing for the State of West Bengal submits that SCIC has already been appointed. She further states that one SIC is already in place and one more SIC has been appointed. In

this way, as of now, one SCIC and two SICs are holding the office. As per the RTI Act up to ten SICs can be appointed. We are not sure as to whether the entire work can be dealt with by only one SCIC and two SICs.

The State of West Bengal shall file an affidavit stating the requirement of SICs. The information shall also be provided in respect of the applications under the RTI Act which are being filed, the applications which are pending as well as the appeals which are pending before the SICs and for how long they are pending. The pendency shall also be disclosed. An affidavit in this behalf shall be filed within two weeks.

STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH:

Learned counsel for the State of Andhra Pradesh has handed over affidavit dated 12.12.2018. As per this affidavit, three persons are appointed as SIC. It is also stated that though the post of SCIC was also advertised but nobody could be appointed and it is not decided to issue fresh advertisement in this behalf. Insofar as SCIC is concerned, he has mentioned that advertisement was issued on 24.08.2018 and the last date for receiving the applications was extended up to 10.10.2018. Thirty one applications have been received and it is proposed to hold Selection Committee's meeting soon. We expect that such meeting shall take place as soon as possible and within one month the SCIC shall also be appointed.

It is also stated that, in the meantime, Mr. M. Ravi Kumar, who is working as SIC, is placed as In-charge for the post of SCIC so that the Commission may function.

An affidavit shall also be filed on the same lines as directed in the case of State of West Bengal before the next date of listing. They shall also disclose on the website the particulars on the same lines as directed in the case of Union of India.

STATE OF TELANGANA:

Insofar as State of Telangana is concerned, affidavit has not been filed in compliance with the directions given by this Court on the last date of hearing. Learned counsel states that it was because of the reason that there were elections of the Legislative Assembly which concluded and results came only on 11.12.2018. He, therefore, seeks, and is granted, two weeks' time to file an affidavit.

In the affidavit to be filed not only it would be indicated as to how many SICs are functioning, the affidavit shall also disclose the steps which are taken to fill up the posts and how many posts are required to be filled. In case the State of Telangana has taken a decision not to fill ten posts of SIO, justification thereof shall be provided in the form of an affidavit by disclosing the information in the same manner in which it has been directed in respect of State of West Bengal.

STATE OF ODISHA:

As per the earlier affidavit filed on behalf of the State of Odisha, the State has decided to function the Information Commission with one SCIC and three SIC. It is stated that SCIC and two SICs are already working and there is one post of SIC for which

advertisement shall be issued very shortly.

Mr. Prashant Bhushan, learned counsel, submits that there are huge arrears before the Information Commission in the State of Odisha and there is no justification to have only three Information Commissioners.

The State of Odisha shall also file an affidavit on the same lines as directed in the case of State of West Bengal before the next date of listing. They shall also disclose on the website the particulars of selection etc. on the same lines as directed in the case of Union of India.

STATE OF GUJARAT:

Learned counsel for the State of Gujarat states that she has received information from the State only two days ago and she shall be filing the affidavit within one week. However, she orally informs that as per the information received, in the State of Gujarat, the Information Commission consists of one SCIC and four SIC. She further submits that the SCIC and one SIC are functioning. Three vacancies for the post of SIC have already been advertised and the process is on. According to her, applications have been received and are pending before the Selection Committee.

We expect the Selection Committee to complete the process at the earliest, preferably before the next date of hearing.

They shall also disclose on the website the particulars of selection etc. on the same lines as directed in the case of Union of India.

STATE OF KERALA:

Learned counsel for the State of Kerala states that one SCIC and four SIC are functioning. Five posts of SICs could not be filled because of pendency of some writ petition(s) in the Kerala High Court.

List the matter on 22.01.2019.

(SUSHIL KUMAR RAKHEJA)
AR-CUM-PS

(RAJINDER KAUR)
BRANCH OFFICER