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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2019/191622/214666

Dated: 11 February, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 21 January, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 21 January, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 16 December, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 14 January, 2020.

You have now preferred for first appeal stated that you have not received RTI reply from Public Information Officer. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and it is observed that reply of your RTI application was sent by Public Information Officer on 14 January, 2020 by speed post at the address provided in the RTI application. But the same has been received back in IIT Delhi with comment written as "Addressee left without instruction" by Posts Department and no other communication details like Phone No, Email id etc. could be located in the RTI application. Hence, no further action could be taken. Now, the reply of Public Information Officer is again attached herewith.(Page No. 01 to 24)

Kindly acknowledge the receipt of the RTI reply.

Hope all the queries raised in your appeal have been answered.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Dated: 11 February, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 09 January, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 09 January, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 15 November, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 13 December, 2019.

You have now preferred for first appeal, against details not provided for some question at that time. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and it is observed that reply of your RTI application was sent by Public Information Officer is correct and no information available for Question 1a, 1c, 2a and 2c. Copy of reply received from Academic Section is attached herewith. The Academic Section stated that the original reply furnished earlier (which was already communicated by the PIO) stands.

Hope all the queries raised in your appeal have been answered.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2019/198659/216562

Dated: 21 February, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 02 January, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 02 January, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 19 November, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 31 December, 2019.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to Assistant Registrar, Establishment Section for further clarification. The reply received from Establishment Section along with relevant documents is enclosed at Annexure – A. (Page Nos. 01- 03).

Hope all the queries raised in your appeal have been answered.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2019/200285/215250

Dated: 27 February, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 18 January, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 18 January, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 12 December, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 08 January, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Pointwise reply of your appeal as under:

1,2 and 3: RTI application dated 12 December 2019 was sent to The Department of Textile Technology instead of Public Information Officer. The application was received by the Textile Technology Department (Which is not the actual address of Public Information Officer) on 23 December, 2019. RTI application was received in RTI Cell on 07 January, 2020. RTI application was transferred to Department of Revenue on 08 January, 2020 and a copy of the same was also sent to you. The RTI Office transferred the application to the Public Authority, more clearly related to the matter, within one day of the receipt of the RTI application. Therefore there is no delay.

4,5 and 6: It may be seen that under section 8 (1) (h) of RTI Act, the Public Authority is not under obligation to provide “information which would impede the process of investigation or apprehension or prosecution of offenders”. The Public Information Officer has already indicated that the status of investigation in the matter is not known to the Institute. Further the CIC in its decision in case of Shankar Sharma & Ors. Vs. DGIT (CIC/AT/A/2007/0007, 10 &11) has indicated as follows:

“ the term investigation used in Section 8(1)(h), in the context of this Act should be interpreted broadly and liberally. We cannot import into RTI Act the technical definition of investigation one finds in Criminal Law. Here, investigation would mean all actions of law enforcement, disciplinary proceedings, enquiries, adjudications and so on. Logically, no investigation could be said to be complete unless it has reached a point where the final decision on the basis of that investigation is taken. In that sense, an investigation can be an extended investigation. The respondents are, therefore, right in holding that it would be a misnomer to hold that investigation in matters such as this, the moment the Investigating Officer submits his report to the competent authority spells the end of investigation.”

In view of the above, the FAA concurs in the decision of the Public Information Officer to transferred the application to Department of Revenue Intelligence under Section 6(3) of RTI Act because the Institute is not aware of the status of the Investigation, therefore while the impact of disclosure of requested information on the process of investigation

cannot be fathomed, the likelihood of an adverse impact and consequent applicability of Section 8(1)(h) of the RTI Act cannot be adequately judged by this Institute. The Directorate of Revenue Intelligence, to which the matter more closely belongs, can take a more informed decision.

Hope all the queries raised in your appeal have been answered.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Copy To:-

Sh. T. S. Nagpal,
Assistant Director & CPIO,
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213, Rani Jhansi Road,
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Civil Lines, Ludhiana, Punjab-141001

(Copy of appeal is attached with this letter)



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Dated: 21 February, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 09 February, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 09 February, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 02 January, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 29 January, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to Establishment Section for further clarification. The reply received from Establishment Section along with relevant documents is enclosed at Annexure – A. (Page No. 01).

Hope all the queries raised in your appeal have been answered.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2019/186868/212667

Dated: 24 February, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 01 February, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 01 February, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 02 December, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 01 January, 2020.

Some questions reply not provided due to selection for the Junior Assistant (Accounts) was under process, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and reply of Public Information Officer is correct. However, selection process of Junior Assistant (Accounts) is now over. Reply of your questions is as under:

Sr. No.	Points raised	Reply
3.	Name of the candidates appeared in written exam with category and Gender wise on 30.11.2019.	Copy attached as Annexure A. (Page No. 01 to 02)
4.	Name of the candidates with category, gender wise and number scored in the written exam i.e result of all the candidates who has attempted the written exam	Marks obtained by selected candidate and panel candidate is available on website at following link: http://rti.iitd.ac.in/sites/default/files/non-academics/Result%20J.A.%20%28A%29.pdf Marks of not qualified candidate is personal information to those candidate and cannot provide under Section 8(1)(j) of the RTI Act.
5	Name of the candidates with category, gender wise and Score achieved in written exam i.e who has selected in written exam.	Please refer to reply at question No. 4.
6.	Kindly arrange to provide the merit list of candidates passed the written exam.	Please refer to reply at question No. 4.
7.	Is there any wait listed candidates list who has passed the written exam.	No waiting list exists for Written Test.
10.	Is there any departmental candidates i.e already working in IIT Delhi, selected in written and Computer exam. If yes name of same may pls. be provided.	Sh. Utkarsh Bansal has been selected selected, who was working as Junior Assistant in Accounts Section.
11.	Number of the candidates selected or passes in written exam from LH-308 and LH-310 on 30.11.2019.	Room-wise list of qualified candidates in Written Test are as under:

		<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Room No. 308</td> <td>Room No. 310</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Shivam Narang Utkarsh Bansal Manish Kumar Bhawana Sharma Swati Sharma Mohit Kumar</td> <td>Ashwary Bansal</td> </tr> </table>	Room No. 308	Room No. 310	Shivam Narang Utkarsh Bansal Manish Kumar Bhawana Sharma Swati Sharma Mohit Kumar	Ashwary Bansal
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12.	Attendance sheet of candidates appeared in written and computer exam held on 30.11.19.	Copy attached as Annexure B. (Page No. 03 to 14)				
13.	Name of the candidates with category and Gender wise passed the Computer exam with their number and score.	Please refer to reply at question No. 4.				
14.	Name of the candidates with category wise, Gender wise finally selected for the post of Jr. Assistant (Accounts).					
15.	Is any of the selected candidates parents working in IIT Delhi. Pls. mention the name of candidate with their parents name from your system or database.	Such information is not in the records of Recruitment Cell.				

Hope all the queries raised in your appeal have been answered.

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Dated: 25 February, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 10 January, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 10 January, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 30 November, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 10 January, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO for question No. 3 and 7, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Reply of Question No. 3 and 7 is as under:

Sr. No.	Points Raised	Reply
3.	Provide details about under what conditions provided housing facilities to married PhD students and researchers without going through the application process where they were provided serial number to issue housing units	The allotment of married accomodaton is always done in accordance with the guidelines already established.
7.	How many housing units are lying vacant inside the campus	Information is attached as Annexure A. (Page 01)

Hope all the queries raised in your appeal have been answered.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2019/163192/221740

Dated: 27 February, 2019

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal Registration No. IITDL/A/E/00004 dated 24 January, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 24 January, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 13 December, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 24 January, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal. In your appeal, you have mentioned that “No response within the Time Limit”. On verification of the same, it has been found that additional time for collecting the information has been taken by email on 10 January, 2020 (within the time limit) upto 24 January 2020. The RTI application reply was furnished by Public Information Officer on 24 January 2020. The Reply given by Public Information Officer once again attached herewith. (Page No. 01 to 02)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Dated: 02 March, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 28 January, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 28 January, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 23 December, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 07 January, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Reply of your appeal is as under:

Sr. No.	Points Raised	Reply
1.	No receipt has been sent for fee paid Rs. 10/-	Since, the payment was received by IIT Delhi, the RTI reply was processed and provided to the applicant.
2.	The order of Appointment of Shri Prof. R. K. Shevgaonkar has not been sent to me by CPIO. Kindly direct him to send. Annexure B is not appointment letter.	The order of appointment of Prof. Shevgaonkar has already been provided to the applicant and no other document is available in this regard.
3.	The appointment letter does not contain total amount paid to Director, which is on record, may kindly be intimated and not Rs. 80,000/- of Total amount paid be intimated on which TDS is deducted for any one month along with Powers given to him.	The total amount paid to Director per month is a new information sought. It was not sought in original RTI application and hence cannot be answered in this appeal. For this information, a fresh RTI can be filed. However the following link of RTI website, which shows the gross salary paid to the individual staff and faculty members of the Institute:- http://rti.iitd.ac.in/monthly/remuneration
4.	Please allow me personal hearing of Appeal.	Information sought has been provided to the RTI applicant as per the records available.
5.	I may be allowed damages for not sending appointment letter of Sh. R. K. Shevgaonkar, Ex. Director.	Since the appointment letter of Prof. Shevgaonkar has been provided to the applicant, the question of payment of damages does not arise.

Hope all the queries raised in your appeal have been answered.

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Dated: 02 March, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 19 February, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 19 February, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 21 January, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 18 February, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and reply is as under:

I am satisfied with the information provided by the Public Information Officer, who has shared the relevant rule provision on the RTI.

The RTI applicant sought advise “can an IIT Delhi regular Group B staff contest the election of Delhi Sikh Gurudwara Management Committee, if yes please state the conditions.”

As per RTI norms, there is no provision to advise on any subject unless the information sought is in record. Hence, information provided by Public Information Officer is complete and self sufficient.

Hope all the queries raised in your appeal have been answered.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2019/186208/222394

Dated: 06 March, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 30 January, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 30 January, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 29 November, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 13 January, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO for question No. 1 and 2, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Pointwise reply of appeal is as under:

1. The applicant has asked for various information including consultancy works amount shared among faculty in the last five years undertaken by Civil Engg. Department. All information was provided except fund sharing. Public Information Officer did not provide the fund sharing on the grounds, that it will adversely affect competitive position of a third party under section 8(1)(d) of the RTI Act. Also that no public interest was involved.

I perused the matter and agree with the decision of Public Information Officer.

Now the applicant has brought to notice some corruption case (alleged by him) pertaining to one faculty of IIT Delhi and claimed that there is public interest in disclosure of information. Since, the applicant has brought to notice this factor and claimed public interest after the reply of Public Information Officer, therefore there seems no reason to interfere with the decision by Public Information Officer as it is correct in applying the Section 8(1)(d) of the RTI Act, in view of these circumstances.

Nonetheless, even now, the applicant has referred to a corruption allegation, against one faculty. This does not dissolve the rights of other faculty members as protected by the Section 8(1)(d). Therefore, fund sharing data involving such faculty cannot be provided. It may be noted that Public Information Officer has already shared the required data (except fund sharing) with the applicant.

2. No information/objection raised by applicant on the reply submitted.
3. No information/objection raised by applicant on the reply submitted.

4. CAG audit is undertaken for the Institute as a whole and not for specific Department or Centres. Reply of CAG report is already provided by Public Information Officer and once again the link of information available in IIT Delhi website is given below:

<http://rti.iitd.ac.in/institute/manuals/AB>

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Dated: 13 March, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 27 January, 2020, which is received on 11 February, 2020 in IIT Delhi.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 27 January, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 31 July, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 02 September, 2019.

You have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and reply is as under:

I am satisfied with the information provided by the Public Information Officer, who has shared the available information at that stage.

Your appeal was forwarded to the concerned section and reply received is attached as Annexure A (Page No. 01 to 02) along with reply submitted by Prof. A.K. Gosain.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2019/197251/228255

Dated: 13 March, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your three First appeals vide Registration No. IITDL/A/E/20/00010 dated 04 February, 2020, IITDL/A/E/20/0007 dated 03 February, 2020 and IITDL/A/E/20/00008 dated 03 February, 2020.

This has reference to your three first appeal dated 03 February, 2020 and 04 February, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 30 December, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 29 January, 2020, 17 February, 2020 and 27 February, 2020.

You have now preferred for first appeal, against details not provided for some question at that time. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and it is observed that reply of your RTI application was sent by Public Information Officer on 29 January, 2020 and additional time has sought for some questions as reply of some questions is pending from concerned Sections. After complying the information reply of those questions sent by speed post.

Reply given by Public Information Officer is again attached herewith. (Page No. 01 to 10)

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Dated: 13 March, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal vide Registration No. IITDL/A/E/20/00008 dated 03 February, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 03 February, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 31 December, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 29 January, 2020, 17 February, 2020 and 27 February, 2020.

You have now preferred for first appeal, against details not provided for some question at that time. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and it is observed that reply of your RTI application was sent by Public Information Officer on 29 January, 2020 and additional time has sought for some questions as reply of some questions is pending from concerned Sections. After compiling the information reply of those questions sent by speed post.

Reply given by Public Information Officer is again attached herewith. (Page No. 01 to 11)

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Dated: 17 March, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 08 February, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 08 February, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 17 January, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 07 February, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal. The additional information sought from Recruitment Cell has been received and the same is attached herewith as Annexure A. (Page 01 to 10)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Attachment: Annexure A (Page 01 to 10)



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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2019/123481/224722

Dated: 17 March, 2020

Sub: Reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your email dated 25 February, 2020.

This has reference to your email dated 25 February, 2020 in connection with the RTI application dated 20 June, 2019 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 19 July, 2019.

In this connection I have noted that the RTI reply was furnished by Public Information Officer on 19 July 2019 and again on 22 July 2019 through Speed Post and also vide its Email dated 22 July 2019 (Copy attached Page No. 01). The Reply given by Public Information Officer is once again forwarded to you. (Page No. 02 to 23)

In view of above, the query raised by you is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

(Dr. Kalyan Kr. Bhattacharjee)
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Enclosure: Page No. 01 to 23



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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/206665/

Dated: 18 March, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 13 February, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 13 February, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 22 January, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 31 January, 2020.

You have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and reply is as under:

I am satisfied with the information provided by the Public Information Officer, who has shared the available information. No further information is available in this regard. Hence, the original reply furnished earlier (which was already communicated by the PIO) stands.

Hope all the queries raised in your appeal have been answered.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/204301/

Dated: 18 March, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal vide Registration No. IITDL/A/E/20/00013 dated 20 February, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 20 February, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 17 January, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 04 March, 2020.

You have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and it is observed that reply of your RTI application was pending from concerned Sections and additional time was sought twice from applicant through email dated 14 February, 2020 and 26 February, 2020. After compiling the information RTI reply of PIO provided to you on 04 March, 2020.

Reply given by Public Information Officer is again attached herewith. (Page No. 01 to 04)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/220763/

Dated: 11 June, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 14 May, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 14 May, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 25 February, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 09 May, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to the Establishment Section for further clarification. The Establishment Section stated that the original reply furnished earlier (which was already communicated by the PIO) stands.

Hope all the queries raised in your appeal have been answered.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2019/216838/

Dated: 11 June, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 14 March, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 14 March, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 16 February, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 02 March, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal. The additional information sought from UG Section has been received and the same is attached herewith as Annexure A. (Page 01)

It has been noted that the appeal queries were different from the original RTI application. In order to obtain fresh reply from Academic Section during the lockdown period, substantial time have been passed. Hence, the delay in reply was inevitable.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Attachment: Annexure A (Page 01)



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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2019/216971/

Dated: 12 June, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 16 March, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 16 March, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 17 February, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 13 March, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal. The additional information received from Establishment Section is as follow:

"MHRD has directed IIT Delhi to follow the UGC guidelines as mentioned. As per Recruitment rules of IIT, there is no such provision to incorporate automatic movement of Deputy Librarian from pay level 13A to pay level 14. Hence the reply sent in the RTI application earlier stands. Also on further examination, it has been observed that two such cases are being processed by the institute where the incumbent has requested for movement from pay level 13A to pay level 14, but the same is under process and no decision has been taken yet."

There has been delay in submission of reply due to lockdown of Academic Institutions.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/

Dated: 12 June, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 13 May, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 13 May, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 18 March, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 05 May, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and it is noted that you have not raised any objection/query on the RTI reply sent by Public information Officer. You have sought new information and it was not sought in original RTI application and hence cannot be answered in this appeal. For this information, a fresh RTI can be filed. However the following link of RTI website, which shows the selected candidates list:

<http://rti.iitd.ac.in/sites/default/files/non-academics/Result-%20J.A..pdf>

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/

Dated: 24 June, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 25 May, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 25 May, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 25 April, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 26 May, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and shment Section is as follow:

"MHRD has directed IIT Delhi to follow the UGC guidelines as mentioned. As per Recruitment rules of IIT, there is no such provision to incorporate automatic movement of Deputy Librarian from pay level 13A to pay level 14. Hence the reply sent in the RTI application earlier stands. Also on further examination, it has been observed that two such cases are being processed by the institute where the incumbent has requested for movement from pay level 13A to pay level 14, but the same is under process and no decision has been taken yet."

There has been delay in submission of reply due to lockdown of Academic Institutions.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/

Dated: 26 June, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 05 June, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 05 June, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 16 March, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 28 May, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and it is noted that you have not raised any objection/query on the RTI reply sent by Public information Officer. You have sought new information and it was not sought in original RTI application and hence cannot be answered in this appeal. For this information, a fresh RTI can be filed.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/

Dated: 26 June, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 10 June, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 10 June, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 19 March, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 21 May, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and it is noted that you have not raised any objection/query on the RTI reply sent by Public information Officer. Hence, no further action could be taken. Now, the reply of Public Information Officer is once again attached herewith.(Page No. 01)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2019/222743/

Dated: 26 June, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 19 June, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 19 June, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 28 February, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 23 June, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and it is noted that there has been delay in submission of RTI reply due to lockdown of Academic Institutions. Now, the reply of Public Information Officer is once again attached herewith.(Page No. 01 to 03)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/219942/

Dated: 26 June, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 17 May, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 17 May, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 24 February, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 23 June, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and it is noted that there has been delay in submission of RTI reply due to the nation wide lockdown. Now, the reply of Public Information Officer is once again attached herewith.(Page No. 01 to 29)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/219945/

Dated: 26 June, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 17 May, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 17 May, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 24 February, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 23 June, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and it is noted that there has been delay in submission of RTI reply due to the nation wide lockdown. Now, the reply of Public Information Officer is once again attached herewith.(Page No. 01 to 18)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/236424/

Dated: 29 June, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 25 June, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 25 June, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 28 May, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 24 June, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and it is noted that you have not raised any objection/query on the RTI reply sent by Public information Officer. You have sought new information and it was not sought in original RTI application and hence cannot be answered in this appeal. For this information, a fresh RTI can be filed.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/236508/

Dated: 02 July, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 09 June, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 09 June, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 08 April, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 09 June, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and you sought some additional information. The additional information sought from Recruitment Cell has been received and the same is attached herewith as Annexure A. (Page 01)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Dated: 06 July, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 15 March, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 15 March, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 16 February, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 26 February, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to the Recruitment Cell for further clarification. Information received from Recruitment Cell is attached herewith as Annexure A. (Page 01)

There has been delay in submission of reply due to nationwide lockdown.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/216973/

Dated: 06 July, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 13 March, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 13 March, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 14 February, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 12 March, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to the Academic Section for further clarification. Information received from Academic Section is attached herewith as Annexure A. (Page 01)

There has been delay in submission of reply due to lockdown of Academic Institutions.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/236415/

Dated: 06 July, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your email on 24 June, 2020.

This has reference to your email dated 24 June, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 31 May, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 24 June, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and reply is as under:

I am satisfied with the information provided by the Public Information Officer, who has shared the relevant information. The information is already available at the following link on Institute website:

<http://www.iitd.ac.in/brochure/information-brochure.pdf>

The relevant paper copy of the above pdf file is attached herewith.(Page No. 01 to 03)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/237301/

Dated: 14 July, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your email on 30 June, 2020.

This has reference to your email dated 30 June, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 04 June, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 29 June, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and pointwise reply is as under:

1. As per the information received from Civil Engineering Department, the selection process for 2nd Cycle is still not over. Hence the information cannot be provided at this stage. This answers your query No. 1 and 2.
2. I have also seen that Public Information Officer has already provided all relevant documents as obtained from the Civil Engineering Department.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/241014

Dated: 15 July, 2020

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 28 May, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 28 May, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 24 April, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 27 May, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and I am satisfied with the information provided by the Public Information Officer.

Please refer CIC Decision No.CIC/CPCOI/A/2018/137114/02218 Siddharth Kumar Nim vs Competition Commission of India on 27 November 2019 in which it has been mentioned that “the information related to marks obtained by other candidates other than the appellant is purely a third party information exempted under section 8(1)(j) of the RTI Act”.

Hence, the reply sent by Public Information Officer, stands.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/239922/

Dated: 15 July, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 15 July, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 15 July, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 16 June, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 30 June, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and it is noted that you have not raised any objection/query on the RTI reply sent by Public information Officer. I am satisfied with the information provided by the Public Information Officer, who has shared the relevant information. Hence, reply sent by Public Information Officer, stands.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2019/236493/

Dated: 15 July, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 27 June, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 27 June, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 25 May, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 06 July, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and it is noted that there has been delay in submission of RTI reply due to lockdown of Academic Institutions. Now, the reply of Public Information Officer is once again attached herewith.(Page No. 01 to 03)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/241848

Dated: 28 July, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 16 June, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 16 June, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 01 March, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 19 May, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to the PG Section for further clarification. Information received from PG Section is attached herewith as Annexure A. (Page 01)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Dated: 28 July, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 16 June, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 16 June, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 01 March, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 26 May, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to the PG Section for further clarification. Information received from PG Section is attached herewith as Annexure A. (Page 01)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/158053/

Dated: 30 July, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 25 June, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 25 June, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 17 September, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer (PIO) on 16 October, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and it is noted that most of the question asked by the RTI applicant are for seeking opinion of the PIO. As per the judgement of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the matter of Central Board of Secondary Education & Anr. vs Aditya Bandopadhyay & Ors. (Civil Appeal No. 6454 of 2011) and CIC decision No. CIC/80/A/2006/000045 dated 21.04.2006 in the Case of Dr. D. V. Rao, Dept. of Legal Affairs vs. CPIO, Dept. of Legal Affairs reproduced as under:

“A public authority is not required to provide ‘advice’ or ‘opinion’ in the definition of Information in section 2(f) of the RTI Act, only refers to such material available in the records of the Public Authority.”

However, PIO has provided two website links which provides all relevant information on academic regulations of IIT Delhi.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/240168/

Dated: 31 July, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 15 July, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 15 July, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 17 June, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 14 July, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and found that you have sought new information which was not sought in original RTI application. However, your appeal was forwarded to the GATE Office for further clarification. Information received from GATE Office is attached herewith as Annexure A. (Page 01)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/237603/

Dated: 14 August, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 15 July, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 15 July, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 07 June, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 14 July, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and pointwise reply is as under:

1. Pointwise reply has already been provided by Public Information Officer.
2. As per ICC Clause No. 16, the identity of the complainant and the Charged Officer can not be disclosed. The inquiry case has been processed under ICC as per the Institute approved norms. The outcome of the inquiry can not influence the ICC process. Hence for information which cannot be provided under ICC that status quo remains.
3. The RTI applicant is residing inside the IIT Campus and she can access those Website links through Internet or Intranet. So no information is hidden from the RTI applicant. If RTI applicant, still wants prints out of those links then he has to submit amount of Rs. 2 per page in IIT Delhi as per RTI Act. Please send confirmation by email at faa@admin.iitd.ac.in and applicant will be informed how much additional fee will have to submit in IIT Delhi Account.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/236413/241874

Dated: 13 August, 2019

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 25 June, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 25 June 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 30 May, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 25 June, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

I have gone through the reply provided by PIO. I am satisfied with the reply given by the PIO. All questions have been suitably replied. However, further comments/input of Department of Management Studies (DMS) and PG Section were sought and on the basis of the appeal. Further clarifications received on Question No. 4,5,6,7,8,10,11,12,14 and 15 have been provided by the Department (i.e. DMS), which is attached herewith at Annexure - A. Additional clarification received from PG Section on Question No. 2 and 3 are also attached herewith at Annexure- B.

It is also to be mentioned that the reason for your non-shortlisting is as under (which was also communicated to MHRD by the Registrar, IIT Delhi vide letter No. IITD/R/2020/AREG/243336 dated 14.07.2020 addressed to the Under Secretary(IITs)):

“Your application did not meet any of the following shortlisting criteria:

A GATE score ≥ 300

OR

Fellowship from any one of the following national exams: UGC(Lecturehip or Research Fellowship), CSIR, ICAR, ICMR, DST and INSPIRE.

OR

MBA degree from IITs or IISc where admission was through JMET.

For details kindly visit the URL:

<http://dms.iitd.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/Shortlisting-criteria-for-PhD-Admissions-of-national-candidates-in-Semester-I.pdf> “

Please note that interrogative queries viz. “How/why/when” do not come under ambit of RTI. In Dr. Celsa Pinto Vs. Goa State Information Commission (W.P.

No. 419 of 2007), the Hon'ble High Court of Bombay, in its order dated 03.04.2008, stated:-“The definition (of information) cannot include within its fold answers to the question “why” which would be the same thing as asking the reason for a justification for a particular thing. The Public Information Authorities cannot expect to communicate to the citizen the reason why a certain thing was done or not done in the sense of a justification because the citizen makes a requisition about information. Justifications are matter within the domain of adjudicating authorities and cannot properly be classified as information.”

In view of the above, no obligation can be cast on the respondents to provide any further information to you (i.e. the appellant) in the present case beyond what PIO has already given to you.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Dated: 21 August, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 29 July, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 29 July, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 21 April, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 28 July, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

I have gone through the reply provided by PIO. I am satisfied with the reply given by the PIO. All questions have been suitably replied. However, further comments/input of BRCA was sought on Question No. 1 (on the basis of the appeal). Further clarifications on Question No.1 has been provided by the BRCA, which is attached herewith at Annexure – A.

For point No. 4: Information sought is not available in record.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/238311/

Dated: 20 August, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 22 July, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 22 July, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 10 June, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 10 July, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO for Question No. 6, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

I have gone through the reply provided by PIO. I am satisfied with the reply given by the PIO. Information sought for Question No. 6 cannot be provided under Section 8(1)(d), as it will harm the competitive position. It has been categorically stated by the GATE office that such information is provided to the organisations with which GATE has signed MoU against specific payment terms. It comes under commercial confidence and intellectual property of Examination Paper Setters.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/251345

Dated: 01 September, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 29 July, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 29 July, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 02 July, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 21 July, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

I have gone through the reply provided by PIO. I am satisfied with the reply given by the PIO. Information sought at that time was not available because selection was in process.

However, further comments/input of Academic Section was sought on the basis of the appeal. Information received from Academic Section is attached herewith at Annexure – A.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/242777/

Dated: 14 September, 2020

Sub: Reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your email dated 08 August, 2020.

This has reference to your email dated 08 August, 2020 in connection with the RTI application dated 08 July, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 07 August, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

I have gone through the reply provided by PIO. I am satisfied with the reply given by the PIO, since he has provided the details of passout candidates.

Additional information sought by the RTI applicant is not a part of the original RTI query.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/240903/251356

Dated: 09 September, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 31 July, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 31 July, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 27 June, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 06 July, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

- a. I have gone through the reply provided by PIO. I am satisfied with the reply given by the PIO. Information sought is exempted under Section 8(1)(j) of the RTI Act. Kindly refer to the CIC decision No. CIC/SA/A/2016/000201 in the case of Balbir Singh Vs Sri GGS College of Commerce where it has been stated that leave is personal/private in character which cannot be given as per Section 8(1)(j) of the RTI Act.
- b. Further, in the CIC decision No. CIC/BSNLD/A/2018/613653 dated 26.06.2018, in the case of Love Gogia vs Central Public Information Officer, BSNL it has been noted that “leave record of employees cannot be declared unless the applicant shows the involvement of a larger public interest”.
- c. PIO vide its reply has also referred to two more CIC decisions (1). CIC/KVSAN/A/2018/105317 (2). CIC/SBIND/A/2017/158465. In those two cases as well the CIC has denied to provide the leave details.

In view of above, the reply furnished by Public Information Officer stands.

Hence, the appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/245571/

Dated: 16 September, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 24 August, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 24 August, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 23 July, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 20 August, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

I have gone through the reply provided by PIO and I am satisfied with the reply.

PIO never considered your RTI application as Anonymous. RTI reply was given as per RTI Act.

It is further stated that no action was initiated based on the email of Ms. Monika Agarwal dated 07.09.2019 addressed to the Director.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/242779/251353

Dated: 16 September, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 06 August, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 06 August, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 08 July, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 05 August, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

I agree with the decision of PIO and personally satisfied with the information provided.

The report of the fact-finding Committee can not be disclosed to the third party. Following CIC judgements supports the same:

1. CIC/KVSAN/A/2018/105317/00794
2. CIC/LS/A/2011/002615

Moreover, disclosure of fact finding report has no connection with research publications which are available online.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Dated: 30 September, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 18 September, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 18 September, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 17 August, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 21 September, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal. In your appeal, you have mentioned that “No response within the Time Limit”. On verification of the same, it has been found that PIO sought additional time for collecting the information through his email dated 16 September, 2020 (within the time limit) upto 25 September 2020. RTI application reply was furnished by Public Information Officer on 21 September 2020.

Reply given by Public Information Officer is once again attached herewith. (Page No. 01 to 03)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/250856/

Dated: 06 September, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 14 September, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 14 September, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 19 August, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 08 September, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

I have gone through the reply provided by PIO. I am satisfied with the reply given by the PIO, since he has provided the available information.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/252413/263866

Dated: 15 October, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 06 October, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 06 October, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 25 August, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 10 September, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

I have gone through the reply provided by PIO. I am satisfied with the reply given by the PIO, since he has provided the available information. Please note that the selection process is not over.

Information sought is not available at this stage, since shortlisting has not been completed and the concerned Department has not supplied the syllabus. No tentative date can be specified at this stage.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/260812/263868

Dated: 03 November, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 10 October, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 10 October, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 23 September, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 01 October, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

I have gone through the reply provided by PIO and I am satisfied with the reply since information as available, under RTI Act was already provided. Clarification, opinion or advice, which was not available in material form as per Section 2 (f) of the RTI Act, cannot be provided. In this regard, CIC decision in the Case No. CIC/IOVBK/A/2017/186064 dated 28.12.2017 indicated as “The CPIO is not supposed to interpret information; or to furnish replies to situational queries; or to furnish clarifications. The CPIO can only provide information available with him or held by him”.

Further, the qualification requirement for the post of SLA/Senior Mechanic has been categorically mentioned in the RTI reply. For diploma holders the specific requirement is as under:

“Three years Diploma in Engineering / Applied Science or equivalent in appropriate field (after 10+2) with a minimum of 55% marks in the qualifying degree from a recognized University/Institute with 03 years relevant experience in the Pay Level 3 as per 7th CPC (Grade Pay of Rs. 2000 as per 6th CPC) or equivalent.”

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Dated: 04 November, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 19 October, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 19 October, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 22 September, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 12 October, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

I have gone through the reply provided by PIO. I am satisfied with the reply given by the PIO, since he has provided the available information. Please note that the selection process is not over.

Information sought is not available at this stage, since shortlisting has not been completed and the concerned Department has not supplied the syllabus. No tentative date can be specified at this stage.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/254879/

Dated: 09 November 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 13 October, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 13 October, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 02 September, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 29 September, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to the Department of Management Studies and PG Section for further clarification. The additional information received from Department of Management Studies and PG Section is attached herewith as Annexure A. (Page 01 to 05)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/260815/

Dated: 10 November 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 26 November, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 26 November, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 24 September, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 29 October, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal. In your appeal, you have mentioned that "No response within the Time Limit". On verification of the same, it has been found that additional time for collecting the information has been taken. RTI reply was furnished by Public Information Officer on 29 October 2020. The Reply given by Public Information Officer once again attached herewith. (Page No. 01 to 05)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to the Recruitment Cell for further clarification. The additional information received from Recruitment Cell is attached herewith as Annexure 1. (Page 01 to 07)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Dated: 10 November, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 20 October, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 20 October, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 10 September, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 13 October, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined the case and my comments as FAA are as under:

I have gone through the reply provided by PIO and I am satisfied with the reply since information as available, under RTI Act was already provided.

Question paper for Mechanical Engg. is once again attached herewith. Answer key is not in record. Available answer key for DMSE has already been provided.

For list of selected candidates is available at Institute website at following link:

<http://rti.iitd.ac.in/non-academic/recruitment/result?page=1>

Marks of not selected candidates cannot be disclosed as per CIC decision No. CIC/CPCOI/A/2018/137114/02218 dated 21.11.2019 in the case of Siddarth Kumar Nim vs Competition Commission of India.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/267367/270507

Dated: 01 December, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 03 November, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 03 November, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 15 October, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 03 November, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to the IRD Unit for further clarification. The additional information received from IRD Unit is attached herewith as Annexure 1. (Page 01 to 02)

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/267366/

Dated: 01 December, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 17 November, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 17 November, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 21 October, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 25 November, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal. In your appeal, you mentioned that "No response within the Time Limit". On verification of the same, it has been found that the reply was furnished by Public Information Officer on 25 November, 2020 and sent by speed post. Reply given by Public Information Officer is once again attached herewith.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Dated: 03 December, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 13 October, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 13 October, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 08 September, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 13 October, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and reply is as under:

1. Available shortlisting criteria for Electrical Engineering, C.A.R.E, Physics Department for the year 2018-2020 is attached herewith. No shortlisting criteria available for Sense Department.
2. Information about not shortlisted applicant is personal information to those applicant who have not shortlisted and cannot be provided under Section 8(1)(j) of the RTI Act. In this connection CIC decision in the case of Subhash Chandra Tyagi vs CBSE decision No. CIC/SA/A/2016/001451 may be referred.
3. Reference to CIC decision in reply at Sr. No. 2, information for only selected candidates can be provided. For year 2020, selection is under process. Hence, information is not available at this stage.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/265380/275202

Dated: 08 December, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 09 November, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 09 November, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 13 October, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 09 November, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to the JEE(Advanced) office for further clarification. The additional information received from JEE(Advanced) is as under:

1. Total amount collected is Rs. 34,84,07,309/-
2. Total expense is Rs. 34,82,54,175/-

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/262766/

Dated: 15 December, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 06 November, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 06 November, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 04 October, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 16 October, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and pointwise reply is as under:

Sr. No.	Appeal Query	Appeal Reply
1.	Please refer to the reply dated 16.10.2020 sent by MR. SHIV PRAKASH YADAV, PIO, IIT DELHI.	No query/objection raised.
2.	It is pertinent to state that the RTI application dated 04.10.2020 was filed only in the language of English but to the utter shock and disappointment of the applicant, the PIO has replied in the Language of Hindi, a vernacular language wherein the applicant could not read and understand the content, thereby forcing him to seek assistance of third party to understand the content of the letter. Thus the applicant was subjected to mental agony and harassment by the PIO. This conduct of the PIO must be condemned and disciplinary action must be taken against him/her.	The original reply of RTI application was given in English. However, the forwarding was done as per Raj Bhasha norms, Delhi being in its region. Please find the forwarding letter in English which is attached herewith.
3.	The PIO has refused to provide information citing Sec. 8(1) (j) of the RTI Act, 2005 read with the decision of CIC in Decision no.: CIC/KVSAN/A/2018/105317/00794 (File no.: CIC/KVSAN/A/2018/	Please find attached the forwarding letter from E-2 Section of IIT Delhi. (Refer Annexure A) A decision of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the matter of Canara Bank Rep. by its Deputy Gen. Manager v. C.S. Shyam,

	<p>105317) in the matter of Ram Shabd Ram Vs. The CPIO, Kendriya Vidyalaya. This decision is not applicable in the present matter.</p>	<p>Civil Appeal No. 22 of 2009 dated 31.08.2017 reproduced as under:</p> <p>“The information was sought on 15 parameters with regard to various aspects of transfer of clerical staff and staff of the Bank with regard to individual employees. This information was in relation to the personal details of individual employee such as the date of his/her joining, designation, details of promotion earned, date of his/her joining to the Branch where he/she is posted, the authorities who issued the transfer orders etc. etc.</p> <p>In another case Girish Ramchandra Deshpande vs Central Information Commission & Ors. (2013) 1 SCC 212 and R. K Jain vs. Union of India & Anr. (2013) 14 SCC 794 the decision is reproduced as under:</p> <p>“we are in agreement with the CIC and the courts below that the details called for by the petitioner i.e. copies of all memos issued to the third respondent, show-cause notices and orders of censure/punishment, etc. are qualified to be personal information as defined in clause (j) of Section 8(1) of the RTI Act. The performance of an employee/officer in an organisation is primarily a matter between the employee and the employer and normally those aspects are governed by the service rules which fall under the expression “personal information”, the disclosure of which has no relationship to any public activity or public interest. On the other hand, the disclosure of which would cause unwarranted invasion of privacy of that individual. Hence, the actual application form of Sh. S. N. Tiwari (which includes his personal information like its qualification, family details, educational qualification) cannot be provided and I stand with the decision of PIO.</p>
4.	<p>However, MR. SHIV PRAKASH YADAV, PIO has failed to provide the copy of the decision as above with the reply though he had mentioned that the copy was enclosed. Please see the Answer against S. No. 1. in the Annexure –</p>	<p>CIC decisions are available on CIC website as well as Internet. Decision are available on CIC Website at following links https://dsscic.nic.in/cause-list-report-web/download and https://www.istm.gov.in/rti_portal/cms/89 . Another decision is available at</p>

	A. Therefore, disciplinary action must be taken for PIO's laxity, gross negligence and dereliction of duty.	https://www.istm.gov.in/rti_portal/cms/89/3 and https://dsscic.nic.in/cause-list-report-web/download . Hard copy of these decisions are attached herewith as desired. (Annexure B)
5.	It is pertinent to state that the applicant herein had filed WP.No. 40425/2018 in Hon'ble High Court, Allahabad and the Hon'ble High Court issued writ of quo warranto and quashed the appointment of Mr. Bachchu Singh from the public statutory post of Registrar of the said University vide its decision dated 22.01.2020.	No query/objection raised. It has no linkage with the RTI application.
6.	The information sought was in larger public interest as Mr. S.N. Tiwari who had joined the services of Deputy Registrar on Deputation with the Gautam Buddha University and since January 2020 started functioning as the Registrar of the said University in officiating capacity due the reasons stated in the preceding paragraph, which is the public independent statutory post of the University. Therefore the information in regard to Mr. S.N. Tiwari cannot be denied to the applicant in larger public interest, institutional integrity, independence and transparency in accountability and governance of the said University.	<p>In your RTI application you sought:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> copies of forwarded application and No Objection Certificate provided to enable him to apply for the post of Deputy Registrar in Gautam Buddha University, Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh. Complete biodata detailing all his educational and work details. Posting details since his initial joining. Promotion or career advancements provided to him so far. Complaints, enquiry, investigation, criminal cases filed against him so far, if any, with complete details. <p>PIO has given sufficient justification and various decisions of the CIC, which categorise them as "Personal". Hence, I agree with the PIO that the information sought cannot be provided.</p>
7.	The person discharging such public statutory post must be a person of implacable integrity possessing desired administrative experience with necessary academic qualifications. Therefore, the information on Mr. S.N. Tiwari is absolutely serves larger public purpose and interest and such information cannot be denied to the Parliament or State Legislature if asked. Therefore, such information cannot be denied in the guise of	Information about educational and work details is personal information and cannot be provided under Section 8(1)(j) of the RTI Act. In this connection CIC decision CIC/BS/A/2016/000260 and CIC/IITDL/A/2019/152195 may be referred. Applicant has not indicated any public interest in original RTI application.

	personal information or even if it is voluminous to the applicant.	
8.	It is pertinent to state that the PIO has failed to adhere to Sec. 11 of the RTI Act.	Information sought is personal in nature and applicant has not indicated any public interest in original RTI application. However the comments of Sh. S. N. Tiwari was sought whether to disclose the information or not. Sh. S. N. Tiwari vide his email has categorically denied to disclose his personal information.
9.	It is pertinent to state that Mr. S.N. Tiwari has been accused of sexual harassment by two employees of the said University and on account of it, his academic and service credentials need to be analyzed in public interest.	Para 9 was not a part of the original RIT query.
10.	Please refer to decision of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in "The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India v. Shaunak H. Satya" (2011) 8 SCC 781 wherein it was held herein under: "Among the ten categories of information which are exempted from disclosure under section 8 of RTI Act, six categories which are described in clauses (a), (b), (c), (f), (g) and (h) carry absolute exemption. Information enumerated in clauses (d), (e) and (j) on the other hand get only conditional exemption, that is the exemption is subject to the overriding power of the competent authority under the RTI Act in larger public interest, to direct disclosure of such information." Therefore, PIO had erred in refusing information u/s. 8(1) (j) of the Act which exposes his non-application of mind.	No comments.
11.	It is pertinent to state that the Central Information Commission in Decision No. CIC/SA/A/2016/000591 in Mohd Naushaduddin v. PIO, CBSE, Ajmer had directed to disclose the educational details of Ms. Smriti Zubin Irani, Hon'ble Union Minister.	An Old decision of CIC has been referred by the RTI applicant. Applicant is requested to refer new CIC decisions CIC/BS/A/2016/000260 and CIC/IITDL/A/2019/152195 in this regard. which categorically denied similar information in the pretext of "Personal Information".

12.	<p>It is relevant to state that the Central Information Commission in Appeal No. CIC/WB/A/2007/01091-SM dated 06.08.2007 between Lt. Col. Pavinder Ahluwalia and DG (DC&W), Integrated HQ of MOD (Army), MOD, had directed the respondent to disclose the educational details as under: “The Educational qualification of a Government employee, especially if it is acquired in service, cannot be a purely personal matter. For jobs in the Government, clear educational qualifications are laid down. The number of degrees, diplomas and certificates that a Government employee possesses at the time of joining the Government service or later, in 3 service, are facts which are fully in the public domain. Therefore, we feel that denial of this information on the grounds that it is exempt under Section 8(1) (j) of the RTI Act is unjustified. We direct the public authority concerned to provide this information to the Appellant within 15 working days from the receipt of this order. The compliance of the order be communicated to the Commission forthwith.”</p>	
13.	<p>It is pertinent to state that disclosure of information as to the educational qualifications and experience of Mr. S.N. Tiwari is in public interest as he was beneficiary of public post on the basis thereof and the applicant and any member of the public at large are definitely entitled to know the qualifications and experience of the occupant of such public post and who is discharging the independent public statutory post in public interest, institutional autonomy, integrity, accountability, transparency and governance of the University.</p>	<p>Applicant is requested to refer to CIC decisions as under:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. CIC/BS/A/2016/000260 b. CIC/IITDL/A/2019/152195 <p>All public posts are filled up as per Govt. norms and applicants fulfilling the required qualification and experience can be considered for selection.</p>
14.	<p>It is necessary and essential to initiate appropriate disciplinary action against PIO for the averments</p>	<p>As FAA, I have observed that PIO has attempted to collect information from all</p>

	stated as above particularly in paragraph Nos. 2, 4, 8 & 10 and the action taken may please be communicated to the applicant herein.	forums and replied to the RTI applicant accordingly.
15.	The information may please be furnished with certified copies thereof at free of cost at the earliest.	Available information and CIC decisions have been provided.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/262764/

Dated: 22 December, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 09 December, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 09 December, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 03 October, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 19 October, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal. In your appeal, you have not raised any observation on the reply given by Public Information Officer. I have gone through the reply provided by PIO. Information available has already been provided by PIO based on the information received from the Recruitment Unit under Dean (Faculty). Hence, the original reply furnished earlier (which was already communicated by the PIO) stands.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Dated: 22 December, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 19 December, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 19 December, 2020 in reference to the RTI application dated 10 December, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 14 December, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal. Information available has already been provided by PIO. Please note that no exam date for the post of Junior Assisatnt (against Advt. No. Advt. No. E-II/16/2020 (DR)) has been identified till date (refer to Sr. No. 01 of the reply given by PIO). As per RTI Act information which is available under Section 2(f) can be provided. Information which is not available under Section 2(f) cannot be provided. In this connection various CIC decision CIC/BS/A/2012/001399/3005 and CIC/IOCLD/A/2018/107283-BJ may be referred.

Hence, the original reply furnished earlier (which was already communicated by the PIO) stands.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2020/263832/276649

Dated: 31 December, 2020

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 27 November, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 27 November, 2020 in respect to the RTI application dated 07 October, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 26 October, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to the JEE(Advanced) office for further clarification. The additional information received from JEE(Advanced) office is attached herewith as Annexure A.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2021/283503/

Dated: 07 January, 2021

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 28 December, 2020.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 28 December, 2020 in connection to the RTI application dated 22 December, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 24 December, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal. In your appeal, you have not raised any observation on the reply given by Public Information Officer. It seems that you shared your thought in your First appeal. Hence, reply given by PIO stands.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2021/274563/

Dated: 28 January, 2021

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your email dated 09 January, 2021.

This has reference to email dated 09 January, 2021 in respect to the RTI application dated 23 November, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 16 December, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and my observations are as under:

1. Information about similarity in UG level and PG level is already provided by Public Information officer.
2. The software used is already provided by PIO.
3. Information about maternity leave/leaves is already provided by PIO. Information is available in Courses of Study at following link: https://home.iitd.ac.in/uploads/Courses-of-Study_2020-2021.pdf

The software used for checking is Turnitin Software. Mistakes are also manually checked by .

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Attachment: Annexure 1 (Page 01 to 15)



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Dated: 11 February, 2021

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 09 January, 2021.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 09 January, 2021 in respect to the RTI application dated 15 December, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 06 January, 2021.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal and it is noted that available Question Paper has already been provided to you and sent by speed post. However, Soft copy of question paper of Junior Engineer (as provided in RTI reply) is once again attached herewith as Annexure A.

Further, uploading of question paper on Institute Website is as per Institute norms.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Attachment:- Annexure A



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Dated: 11 February, 2021

Sub: Final reply given by First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 27 January, 2021.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 27 January, 2021 in reference to the RTI application dated 17 December, 2021 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 31 December, 2020.

As First Appellate Authority, I have gone through your appeal. In your appeal, you mentioned that "CPIO is not provided the desired information". On verification of the same, it has been found that the PIO informed you to submit additional amount of Rs. 52 for 26 pages in IIT Delhi Account under RTI Act and RTI reply was ready.

In this connection, please refer RTI Act rules, 2012 Sr. No. 4:

- 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;

Please submit amount of Rs. 52 for 26 pages or Rs. 50 for diskette or floppy as per your comfort. Reply will be sent by speed post after receipt of the payment.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2021/289491/294725

Dated: 19 February, 2021

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 28 January, 2021.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 28 January, 2021 in reference to the RTI application dated 12 January, 2021 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 28 January, 2021.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to the Establishment Section-II for further clarification. Additional clarification received from Establishment Section-II is attached herewith at Annexure-A.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Attach: Annexure-A.



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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2021/288149/

Dated: 19 February, 2021

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 16 February, 2021.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 16 February, 2021 in reference to the RTI application dated 07 January, 2021 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 21 January, 2021.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and it is noted that “inadvertently the advertisement reference number has been written as IITD/IRD/108/2020 in place of IITD/IRD/180/2020. However, the reply to the query is correct.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2021/274563/294722

Dated: 22 February, 2021

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 09 January, 2021.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 09 January, 2021 in reference to the RTI application dated 23 November, 2021 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 16 December, 2021.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and comments are as under:

1. It is once again informed you that the Turnitin software is compulsory for Ph.D. (Doctoral level) students whereas for other UG & PG level courses it is optional as per the discretion of the Supervisor.
2. Copy of details/rules about maternity leaves are attached as Annexure I (as per 'A'). Weblink for this document has already been provided in RTI reply.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2021/285194/296751

Dated: 22 February, 2021

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 03 February, 2021.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 03 February, 2021 in reference to the RTI application dated 30 December, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 19 January, 2021.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. Your appeal was forwarded to the Department of Management Studies for further clarification. Additional clarification received from Department of Management Studies is attached herewith at Annexure- A.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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Attach: Annexure-A.



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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2021/301275/304076

Dated: 05 March, 2021

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your email dated 22 February, 2021.

This has reference to your email dated 22 February, 2021 in reference to the RTI application dated 17 February, 2021 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 22 February, 2021.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. I am satisfied with the reply given by the PIO. Information as available were given to the RTI applicant. Other information as sought were not in the record of Office of Career Services.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2021/264436/

Dated: 15 March, 2021

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your email dated 08 February, 2021.

This has reference to your email dated 08 February, 2021 in reference to the RTI application dated 12 October, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 20 November, 2020.

Not satisfied with the information furnished by PIO, you have now preferred for first appeal. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal. I am satisfied with the reply given by the PIO. Additional time for collecting the information has been taken by email on 12 November, 2020.

Alumni Association is a Registered Society and other Public Authority. Hence, RTI application was partially transferred to Alumni Association and information pertains to IIT Delhi was provided. Please note that the Director, IIT Delhi's role as Chairman, Alumni Association is advisory in nature and he doesn't hold any executive position.

In this connection, please refer CIC decision No. CIC/RM/C/2014/000359 dated 23.01.2017 in the case of Pramod Kumar Singh vs PIO, Delhi Public School.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

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No: IITDL/RTI/FAA/2021/278266/303320

Dated: 19 March, 2021

Sub: Reply of First Appellate Authority in reference to your First appeal dated 07 February, 2021.

This has reference to your first appeal dated 07 February, 2021 in reference to the RTI application dated 05 December, 2020 which was replied by Public Information Officer on 08 January, 2021.

You have now preferred for first appeal, against not satisfied for reply of Question No. 1, 5, 6 and 9. As First Appellate Authority of the Institute, I have examined your appeal and my observation is as under:

1. Information sought in question no. 1 and 9: No such list exists in record. Information sought for 10 years requires manual processing of large number of individual files. It is time consuming and will disproportionately divert the resources of the Public Authority or would be detrimental to the safety or preservation of the record in question. Hence, Information sought cannot be provided under Section 7(9) in the sought format. However, applicant is requested to specify the name of employee/Month-Year etc. , so that information sought can be provided.
2. Information sought in question No. 5 and 6: As per records, when Prof. Hirani applied for the Director, CSIR position, no vigilance case or criminal proceedings were pending against him. For extension of deputation beyond 5 years, no vigilance clearance certificate is required from the Parent Institute.

In view of above, your appeal is treated as addressed and fulfilled.

(Dr. Kalyan Kr. Bhattacharjee)
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