

File No. SFAC/1-2/42/2024-GA.RTI Information.

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Subject: Request for seeking information under RTI Act, 2005 –reg.

Sir,

The undersigned being the CPIO refer to your RTI Appeal Registration No. SFABC/R/E/26/00001 dated 10/01/2026 on the subject mentioned above. In so far SFAC is concerned, the information is as under: -

	RTI Query	Information under RTI
1	State-wise distribution of Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs) reported to have been formed under SFAC till 30 June 2025	The desired information is available in SFAC website for which URL https://sfacindia.com/FPOS.aspx may please be referred to.
2	Year-wise (financial year-wise or Calendar year wise) breakup of those FPOs, indicating the number of FPOs formed in each financial year or Calendar year wise.	

Further, it is informed that the Central Information Commissioner in its Order No.CIC/AT/A/2006/00045 dated 21.04.2006 has conveyed that "the RTI Act does not cast on the public authority any obligation to answer queries in which a petitioner attempts to elicit answers to his questions with prefixes, such as, why, what, when and whether. The petitioner's right extends only to seeking information as defined in Section 2(f) either by pinpointing the file, document, paper or record etc., or by mentioning the type of information as may be available with the specified public authority."

As per Government of India office memorandum no 1/4/2009- IR dated 05.10.2009 pertaining to Right to Information Act, 2005 published by Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions, Department of Personnel & Training "The Public Information Officer is not supposed to create information; or to interpret information; or to solve the problems raised by the applicants; or to furnish replies to hypothetical questions." It is in form that answering a question or proffering advice or making suggestion to an applicant is beyond the purview of the RTI act.

First Appellate Authority

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Yours faithfully,

(Sandeep Kumar)

Dy. Director (PDF)

Central Public Information Officer