

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 Registration No. SFABC/R/E/26/00005 dated 18/02/2026 on the subject mentioned above. In so far SFAC is concerned, the information is as under: -

S.No.	RTI Query	Information under RTI
	I had submitted a complaint to your office on 17/01/2024 through email at amitpundir256@gmail.com. Kindly provide the following information in relation to the said complaint: What action has been taken so far by your office on my complaint? Kindly provide the daily progress report of the action taken. As per the rules of your office, within how many days should action be taken on such complaints? Has the prescribed time limit been followed in my case! Please provide the names and designations of the officers who were responsible for taking action on my complaint. Since no action has been taken so far, will any action be initiated against such officers? By when will the action on my complaint be completed? Kindly provide the information. The following information is submitted for your consideration: As per Section 8(1)(c) of the RTI Act, 2005, any information which cannot be denied to Parliament or a State Legislature cannot be denied to any person. Information cannot be refused by terming it as third party information. If the requested information does not pertain to your department or office, kindly transfer my application to the concerned Public Information Officer within five days under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005.	SFAC is one of the implementing agencies, has formed and promoted 3711 FPOs under the 10,000 FPO Scheme. The Vallabhdham Jaivik Farmer Producer company limited has not been formed and promoted by SFAC, therefore, the complaint is not related to SFAC. As per the complaint letter enclosed with the RTI application, the said FPO appears to have been formed and promoted by UPDASP. The complaint has been forwarded to UPDASP for appropriate action.

As per Section 7(8)(iii) of the RTI Act, 2005, while providing the information, kindly mention the name, designation, and address of the First Appellate Authority. Under Section 7(9) of the RTI Act, 2005, I request that the information be provided in the form in which it has been sought. per Section 7(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, I request that the requested information be provided within 30 days.	
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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 Office Cvr 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 inform that answering a question or proffering advice or making suggestion to an applicant is beyond the purview of the RTI act.

First Appellate Authority

(Prasanth Chander N.)

Deputy Director (Admin.)

First Appellate Authority,

Baba Ganganath Marg, Munirka Vihar, Munirka, New Delhi Pin code is 110067

Yours faithfully,

(Sandeep Kumar)
Dy. Director (PDF)

Central Public Information Officer