

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 Application No. SFABC/R/T/25/00041 dated 11/12/2025 on the subject mentioned above. In so far SFAC is concerned, the information is as under: -

	RTI Query	Information under RTI
1	Share the current office or residential address of the following officers to issue legal notices:- 1. Ms. Neelkamal Darbari-then Managing Director, SFAC 2. Mr. Bharamar Jyoti Brahma, Then-Director 3. Dr. Sumathi Vashist, then Dy. Dir.	 Ms. Neelkamal Darbari< IAS was on central deputation with SFAC as Managing Director. After completion of central deputation she was posted to the National Authority for Chemical Weapons Convention (NACWC) 1st Floor, Chanakya Bhawan, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi - 110021 as Chairperson. Mr. Bharamar Jyoti Brahma was on deputation with SFAC and after completion of tenure, he was repatriated to his parent office i.e. Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Krishi Bhawan, Dr. Sumathi Vashist was on deputation with SFAC and after completion of tenure, she was repatriated to her parent office i.e. Govt. of Karnatka, Cooperation Audit Deptt., Bangalore. The information in respect of home address are denied as per RTI Act, 2005 Section 8(1)(j).



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 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.)

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Yours faithfully,

 07/01

(Ratnesh Kumar Choudhary)

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Central Public Information Officer