

File No. SFAC/RTI/1-3/2/2024
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Dated: 16.10.2024

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

Sir,

The undersigned being the CPIO refer to your online RTI Registration No. SFABC/R/E/24/00441 dated 04/09/2024 on the subject mentioned above. In so far SFAC is concerned, the information is as under:-

S. No	RTI Query	Information under RTI						
1	The Government of India has launched the Central Sector Scheme for Formation and Promotion of 10,000 Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs), how many such FPOs are formed under the Scheme and what is the investment made to them through different CBBOs. In public interest and as a measure of mutual coordination and establishment of contact with them for mutual benefits of farmers can you share the list of such FPOs along with their contract details and phone number so that any person working on development of farmers associate with such FPOs and work jointly for the better and improve interest of farmers as well as the FPOs and the Govt. scheme can give fruitful results for the people of India by providing theme a market linkage.	<p>As on date, Total 9180 FPOs have been registered under the Central Sector Scheme for Formation and Promotion of 10,000 FPO. In term of cost released to the FPOs formed under 10,000 FPOs scheme is as below:-</p> <table><tr><th>Total Equity Grant released to FPOs (Rs. In Crore)</th><th>Total FPO Management Cost released to FPOs (Rs. In Crore)</th><th>Total CBBO Cost released to FPOs (Rs. In Crore)</th></tr><tr><td>230.00</td><td>515.50</td><td>377.20</td></tr></table>	Total Equity Grant released to FPOs (Rs. In Crore)	Total FPO Management Cost released to FPOs (Rs. In Crore)	Total CBBO Cost released to FPOs (Rs. In Crore)	230.00	515.50	377.20
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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 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.” Accordingly, you’re above application stands disposed of at this end.

In case, you are not satisfied with the reply you may prefer an Appeal with the first Appellate Authority as under:


(Prasanth Chnader N)

Dy. Director (Admin.) &

First Appellate Authority,

Small Farmers' Agri-Business Consortium, NCUI Auditorium Building, 5th Floor,
August Kranti Marg, Hauz Khas, New Delhi- 110 016.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. Ranjeet Singh Rajpoot)

Dy. Director (PDF)/CPIO

RTI Reply:

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