## Central Information Commission 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, 'B' Wing, August Kranti Bhavan Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi-110066

File No. CICOM/R/2016/01133/KY

To

Shri P.S. Sawhney 13C, Sector 45-A, Chandigarh-160047

Sub: Seeking information under the RTI Act, 2005

Sir,

This is with reference to your RTI application dated 17.08.2016 diarised vide no. 166481 dated 22.08.2016 in this Commission. It was received through online on 26.08.2016 from CPIO (RTI). The point-wise reply is as under:-

## Point No.1, 3 to 5

No information sought.

## Point No.2

In perusance to decision dated 17.09.2014 of Hon'ble High Court of Madras, which is reproduced below, document submitted by the Appellant cannot be provided.

"24. Insofar as query (iv) is concerned, we fail to understand as to how the second respondent is entitled to justify his claim for seeking the copies of his own complaints and appeals. It is needless to say that they are not the information available within the knowledge of the petitioner; on the other hand, admittedly, they are the documents of the second respondent himself, and therefore, if he does not have copies of the same, he has to blame himself and he cannot seek those details as a matter of right, thinking that the High Court will preserve his frivolous applications as treasures/valuable assets. Further, those documents cannot be brought under the definition "information" as defined under Section 2(f) of the RTI Act. Therefore, we reject the contention of the second respondent in this aspect."

In addition to the documents submitted by the Appellant, there are 08 (eight) number of other pages pertaing to this Commisssion available in the file. Attested copy of it can be obtained by remtting fee of Rs. 16 (@ Rs. 2/- per page) by DD/IPO in favour of "PAO, CAT, New Delhi"

Appeal, if any, against this reply will lie to Smt. Achla Sinha, Additional Secretary & FAA, CIC, Room No 296, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, August Kranti Bhawan, New Delhi-110067 within 30 days of receipt of reply of CPIO. Her Telephone no. is 011-26162290 and Email Id is: as-cic@nic.in

(Krishan Avtar Talwar)

Deputy Secretary & CPIO Tele: 011-26717353 Email Id: ka.talwar@gov.in

Dated: 09.09.2016

Copy to: The CPIO (RTI Cell), CIC, New Delhi.

(Krishan Avtar Talwar)

Deputy Secretary & CPIO