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NO.RS/2(578)/2012-RTI

Dated the 17th December, 2012

From

M.K. Khan
Director & CPIO

To

Shri Anil Bairwal,
Association for Democratic Reforms,
Table No. - 04,
B1/6, Hauz Khas,
New Delhi - 110 016.

Subject: Request for information under the RTI Act.

Sir,

I am to refer to your letter No. ADR04/RTI-ROI/02 dated 30th November, 2012 (received on 5th December, 2012) wherein you had provided undertaking that you are aware of prohibitions on obtaining or use of information contained in the register of Member's interest. In this context, it is stated that the information sought in you application dated 19th October, 2012 is now available with the undersigned and a copy of the same is enclosed herewith for your information (contained in 1 page). This information is based on the assistance sought/received from the Committee Section (Ethics) of the Secretariat.

2. Annexures, as mentioned in the enclosed reply of Committee Section (Ethics) (contained in 296 pages), can be had on payment of Rs. 592/- (@ Rs.2/- per page). The payment can be made by Banker's Cheque/Demand Draft/Indian Postal Order/Money Order drawn in favour of "The Drawing and Disbursing Officer, Rajya Sabha Secretariat". Alternatively, cash can be deposited with the undersigned in Room No. 145, First Floor, Parliament House Annexe, New Delhi - 110001 between 10.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. on any working day.

3. The Appellate Authority under the RTI Act for the Secretariat is Shri Deepak Goyal, Joint Secretary, Rajya Sabha Secretariat, Room No. 517, Parliament House Annexe, New Delhi (Tel. 2303 4057).

Yours faithfully,


(M.K. KHAN)
Tel: 23034047

COMMITTEE SECTION (ETHICS)

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Subject: Application filed by Shri Anil Bairwal, R/o B1/6, Hauz Khas, New Delhi seeking information regarding declaration of Pecuniary Interests by Members of Rajya Sabha and photocopies of the information contained in the Register of Members' Interests.

RTI Cell may kindly refer to their note No.RS./2(578)/2012-RTI dated 29th October, 2012 on the subject cited above and reply dated 21st November, 2012 of this Section. RTI Cell is further requested to refer to their note dated 6th December, 2012 whereby compliance of provisions laid down in the Sixth Report regarding obtaining and use of information contained in the Register of Members' Interests by the RTI applicant, was intimated.

2.0 In this connection, it is informed that out of current membership of 244 Members of Rajya Sabha, requisite declaration of Pecuniary Interests have been received from 233 Members of Rajya Sabha and not received from 11 Members of Rajya Sabha. Photocopies of the declarations as contained in the Register of Declaration of Members' Interests in respect of 233 Members, running to approximately 295 pages (including list of 233 Members) and one page list of the 11 Members of Rajya Sabha from whom requisite declaration has not been received, could be made available to the applicant.

3.0 Photocopies of the declarations of 233 Members as contained in the Register of Members' Interests and a list of 11 Members, will be supplied on hearing from the CPIO after the statutory requirement in this regard, under the RTI Act, is complied by the applicant



(VINAY SHANKAR SINGH)
JOINT DIRECTOR
13.12.2012

RTI Cell