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All Regional.P.F.Commissioners(Regions)/Head Office
All Officer In-Charge(Sub-Regional Offices)
All Deputy Director(Vigilance)(Zones)
All Officer In-Charge(ZTIs)

Sub:- Transfer of application in terms of section 6(3) of the RTI Act,2005-regarding.

Sir,

The RTI Act casts obligation on the Public Authority to facilitate the citizens to have access to the information held under their control and to ensure that the rights of the citizens are met in right earnest.

Instances have been noticed where the CPIOs have returned RTI applications to the applicants/transferring CPIOs with the reason that the information sought does not relate to their jurisdiction.

Section 6(3) of the RTI Act specifically deals with occasions where the information sought may not relate to the jurisdiction of the CPIO concerned. In such cases, the right approach is to transfer the application in whole or in part, to the public authority having jurisdiction over the subject matter on which information is sought within the stipulated period. Returning the RTI applications to the applicants or transferring CPIO is an incorrect practice and in contravention of the RTI Act.

All public authorities/CPIOs are advised to take a note of this for strict compliance.

Yours faithfully

(A.Kulshrestha)

Addl. CPFC(Pension)/Transparency Officer

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