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Type of Receipt :	Electronically Transferred from Other Public Authority  Language of Request:	English
Name:	Shubham Gender:	Male
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Information Sought :	I want to know what are the contentions the Permanent members of UNSC put behind the Admission of India into United Nations Security Council and what are the qualifications for any country to enter UNSC please provide detailed information	
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## Government of India Ministry of External Affairs (United Nations Political Division)

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No. U.II/551/33/2016

Dated: 13th October 2016

To.

Shri Shubham Tilak Nagar, Bilaspur.

Sir,

Please refer to your RTI application received in this Division on 30.09.2016. The response to your RTI application is as follows:

2. India is actively engaged in the ongoing Inter-Governmental Negotiations on United Nations Security Council (UNSC) reform at the United Nations (UN). Further, we are working alongside other reform-oriented countries through the G-4 (India, Japan, Brazil and Germany) and the L.69 Group (cross regional grouping of developing countries) for UNSC reforms.

However, the question of India's permanent membership of the Security Council would be considered only after an agreement on the nature and extent of expansion of the UNSC is arrived at in accordance with the provisions of the UN Charter which requires approval by 2/3rd of the Members of the United Nations.

Article 23 of the Charter of the United Nations states that "the Security Council shall consist of fifteen Members of the United Nations. The Republic of China, France, the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and the United States of America shall be permanent members of the Security Council. The General Assembly shall elect ten other Members of the United Nations to be non-permanent members of the Security Council."

Further, Article 108 of the Charter of UN states that "amendments to the present Charter shall come into force for all Members of the United Nations when they have been adopted by a vote of two thirds of the members of the General Assembly and ratified in accordance with their respective constitutional processes by two thirds of the Members of the United Nations, including all permanent members of the Security Council."

3. If you are aggrieved with this reply, you may file an appeal with Shri Vishwesh Negi, Director(UNP) and Appellate Authority, UNP Division, Ministry of External Affairs, Room No. 0102, 'C' Wing, Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan, 23-D, Janpath, New Delhi-110011, Ph.: 011-49018413 within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

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1. Under Secretary (RTI), MEA, New Delhi

2. Shri Praveen Kumar, CPIO, PMO with their Ref. No. PMOIN/R/2016/52908