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Government of India
Ministry of External Affairs
Protocol Division

Room No.1062/B Wing,
Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan
23 D Janpath, New Delhi-110011
Dated 27.08.2015

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New Ranip – 382 470
Gujarat (Email Id:roshu74@rediffmail.com)

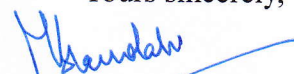
Subject:- Information sought under RTI Act 2005: RTI application no. MOEAF/R/2015/02487 dated 17.5.2015, received on transfer from Shri P.K. Sharma, Under Secretary and Central Public Information Officer, Prime Minister's Office, on 30.7.2015 – regarding Bhagvad Gita book reportedly presented to the President of the USA.

Sir,

Please refer to your above RTI application. In connection with reference to points (1) to (12) of the above RTI application, this is to state that no information exists in the records of the undermentioned CPIO.

2. In case you are not satisfied with the above reply, you may appeal within 30 days to the Appellate authority in this Ministry at the following address:-Joint Secretary (COP)/Appellate Authority Room No. 2151-A, Jawaharlal Nehru Bhavan, New Delhi- 110011.

Yours sincerely,



(Madan Singh Bhandari)

Deputy Chief of Protocol (Privileges) & CPIO

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RTI REQUEST DETAILS

Registration No. :	PMOIN/R /2015/61226	Date of Receipt :	17/05/2015
Type of Receipt :	Online Receipt	Language of Request :	English
Name :	Roshan Shah	Gender :	Male
Address :	B-503, Shukan Homes, Opp Bank of Baroda, New Ranip, Pin:382470		
State :	Gujarat	Country :	India
Phone No. :	Details not provided	Mobile No. :	+91-9227772121
Email :	roshu74@rediffmail.com		
Status(Rural/Urban) :	Urban	Education Status :	Graduate
Is Requester Below Poverty Line ? :	No	Citizenship Status	Indian
Amount Paid :	10)	Mode of Payment	Payment Gateway
Does it concern the life or Liberty of a Person ? :	No(Normal)	Request Pertains to	:

According to RTI Act 2005, I would like to have the following information

Information Sought :

- 1) Who was the Author of Bhagvad Gita book presented to Barack Obama by Narendra Modi
- 2) Who was the Publisher of this Bhagvad Gita book
- 3) Did Narendra Modi add any forward inside the book
- 4) Was the book title changed from its original title
- 5) Was the author or publishers permission taken by PMO before changing the title
- 6) Please provide copy of the bill used for purchase of the book
- 7) From which store/organization was the book purchased from
- 8) Who recommended to present the book to Obama
- 9) Who all approved to present the book to Obama
- 10) Who all read the book in PMO before it was offered as GIFT to Obama to ensure that there was no vulgar language in it
- 11) Did the book underwent security checks before it was presented to Obama
- At which locations
- 12) What is the ISBN of the book

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