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Government of India
Ministry of External Affairs
New Delhi

07 December 2020

No. E/551/1/2020-RTI

To:



Subject: Information sought under Right to Information Act, 2005

Sir,

Please refer to your RTI application bearing Registration No. MOEAF/R/T/20/00776 addressed to Ministry to RTI cell, Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, received by this Division on 10 November 2020.

2. It may be noted that under the provisions of RTI Act, 2005, a CPIO/ Public Authority is under obligation to provide an applicant only that information which exists in the records and that which is held by or under the control of that authority.
3. This Ministry has already answered a Parliamentary Question on Indian territory under the occupation of China, which is available in public domain. A copy of the same is enclosed for your information.
4. Further, the application is being transferred to Ministry of Defence as per the provision of article 6 (3) of the RTI Act, 2005 for sharing information that may be available with them with regard to point no. 1-4 in your query.
5. If you are aggrieved with this reply, you may file an appeal to Shri Satish K. Sivan, Director (East Asia) & Appellate Authority, Ministry of External Affairs, South Block, New Delhi -110001, within a month from the date of receipt of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

(Karthik G. Iyer)

DS (China) & CPIO

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New Delhi - 110001

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CC to:

1. Ms. Deepa Jain, Under Secretary (RTI), MEA, New Delhi
2. Under Secretary (RTI Cell), Room Number-4, Ministry of Defence, South Block, New Delhi

RTI REQUEST DETAILS (आरटीआई अनुरोध विवरण)

Registration Number (पंजीकरण संख्या) :	MOEAF/R/T/20/00776	Date of Receipt (प्राप्ति की तारीख) :	10/11/2020
Transferred From (से स्थानांतरित):	Ministry of Home Affairs on 10/11/2020 With Reference Number : MHOME/R/P/20/01181		
Remarks(टिप्पणी) :	Please provide requisite information.		
Type of Receipt (रसीद का प्रकार) :	Electronically Transferred from Other Public Authority	Language of Request (अनुरोध की भाषा) :	English
Name (नाम) :			
Address (पता) :			
State (राज्य) :			
Phone Number (फोन नंबर) :			
Email-ID (ईमेल-आईडी) :			
Status (स्थिति)(Rural/Urban) :	Details not provided	Education Status :	Details not provided
Requester Letter Number(निवेदक पत्र संख्या) :	Details not provided	Letter Date :	Details not provided
Is Requester Below Poverty Line ? (क्या आवेदक गरीबी रेखा से नीचे का है?) :	No	Citizenship Status (नागरिकता)	
Amount Paid (राशि का भुगतान) :	0 (Received by Ministry of Home Affairs) (original recipient)	Mode of Payment (भुगतान का प्रकार)	Details not provided.
Does it concern the life or Liberty of a Person? (क्या यह किसी व्यक्ति के जीवन अथवा स्वतंत्रता से संबंधित है?) :	No(Normal)	Request Pertains to (अनुरोध निम्नलिखित संबंधित है) :	US (China)
Information Sought (जानकारी मांगी):	Rti application.		
Original RTI Text (मूल आरटीआई पाठ):	Rti application.		

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Sena Brawan, Gate No-4
IHQ of MoD (Army)
New Delhi -110011

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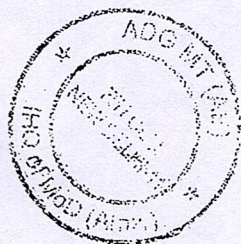
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28 Sep 2020

Dy Secretary & CPIO
Ministry of Home Affairs
North Block,
New Delhi-110001



1. Please find **enclosed copy** of RTI application No DMAND/R/T/20/01914 dated 21 Aug 2020 recd at this office on 21 Sep 2020 in r/o above mentioned applicant, seeking info under RTI Act 05.
2. Since the subject of information on **queries** of ibid RTI applications, pertains to/is more closely related to the functions of your office/office under your jurisdiction, the application, is therefore transferred to you under the provisions of Sub-section 6 (3) of Right to Information Act 05. You are requested to provide information on above **queries** to the applicant.
3. Requisite application processing fee has been paid through payment gateway.
4. While forwarding info/denial of info to the applicant, address of the First Appellate Authority must be specified/mentioned so that applicant is able to prefer an appeal, if he/she wishes to do so.
5. In case the subject matter does not pertain to your office, **please transfer the same to appropriate office.**



[Handwritten Signature]

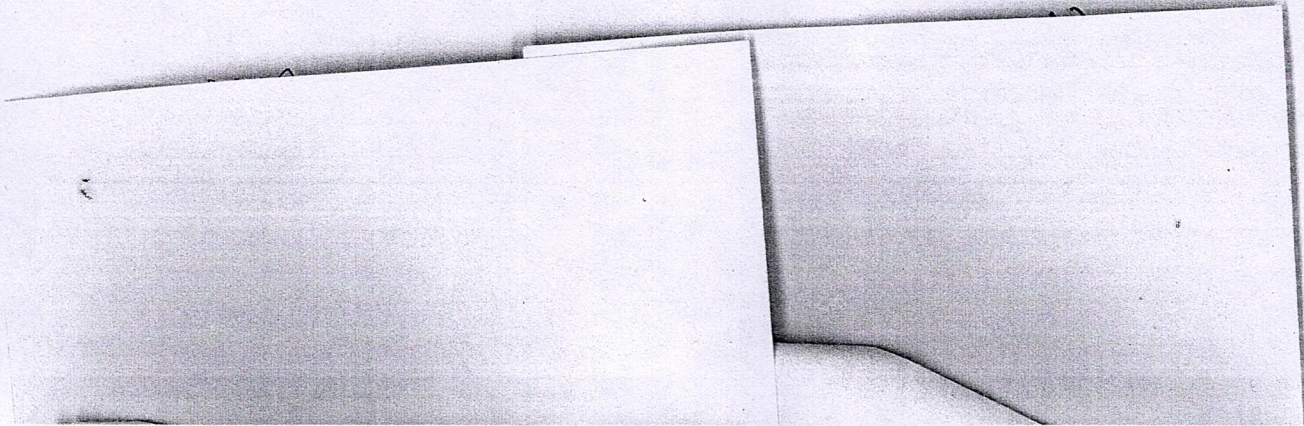
(VK Bhat)
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CPIO, IHQ of MoD (Army)

Enclosures : As above

Copy to :-



Your ibid RTI application has been transferred to above addressee(s) under **Section 6 (3)** of Right to Information Act 05 with respect to **queries**. You are therefore, requested to correspond with them directly with respect to **queries** of your ibid RTI application.



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Registration Number (पंजीकरण संख्या) :	DMAND/R/T/20/01914	Date of Receipt (प्राप्ति की तारीख) :	21/08/2020
Transferred From (से स्थानांतरित) :	Department of Defence on 21/08/2020 With Reference Number : MODEF/R/E/20/02698		
Remarks(टिप्पणी) :	As the information sought by the applicant is more closely related to your office.		
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Amount Paid (राशि का भुगतान) :	0 (Received by Department of Defence) (original recipient)	Citizenship Status (नागरिकता) :	Indian
Does it concern the life or Liberty of a Person? (क्या यह किसी व्यक्ति के जीवन अथवा स्वतंत्रता से संबंधित है?) :	No(Normal)	Mode of Payment (भुगतान का प्रकार) :	Payment Gateway
Information Sought (जानकारी मांगी) :	Kindly provide me following information	Request Pertains to (अनुरोध निम्नलिखित संबंधित है) :	Deepak Khatwani
	1) The total extent of territory of the Union Territory of Ladakh that was under the military occupation of the Peoples Republic of China as of 1 March 2020		
	2) The total extent of territory of the Union Territory of Ladakh that is presently under military occupation by the Peoples Republic		

of China as of 30 July 2020

3) Galwan Valley, Ladakh Under India Control or China as of 30 July 2020 (Provide me detailed information)

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आरटीआई पाठ):

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QUESTION No. 2923 BORDER DISPUTE WITH CHINA

March 11, 2020

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2923
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.03.2020

BORDER DISPUTE WITH CHINA

2923. DR. AMAR SINGH:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

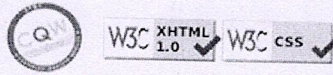
- (a) the details of border dispute with China including the present status of the areas under question;
- (b) whether we are holding them as per our claim or not; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the list of areas we are not holding as per our claims?

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
[SHRI V. MURALEEDHARAN]

(a) to (c) China disputes the international boundary between India and China. In the Eastern sector, China claims approximately 90,000 square kilometers of Indian Territory in the state of Arunachal Pradesh. Indian Territory under the occupation of China in the Union Territory of Ladakh is approximately 38,000 square kilometers. In addition, under the so-called China-Pakistan 'Boundary Agreement' signed between China and Pakistan on 2 March 1963, Pakistan illegally ceded 5,180 square kilometers of Indian territory in Pakistan Occupied Kashmir to China.

India's consistent and principled position is that Arunachal Pradesh and the entire Union Territories of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh have been, are and shall be an integral part of India. This fact has been clearly conveyed to the Chinese side on several occasions.

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