

ACTION HISTORY OF RTI REQUEST No.FSOID/R/P/25/00009

Applicant Name kumar kalbande
Text of Application please find attachment
Reply of Application कृपया एटेचमेंट को देखे।

SN.	Action Taken	Date of Action	Action Taken By	Remarks
1	RTI REQUEST RECEIVED	16/07/2025	Sugandha Srivastava-(CPIO)	
2	REQUEST DISPOSED OF	06/08/2025	Sugandha Srivastava-(CPIO)	

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भारतीय वन विभाग, दिल्ली
Forest Survey of India, Delhi
To: Genl / Secy FSI, 397
16/07/25

DG FSI

Order of the First Appellate Authority (FAA) in Appeal Application No. MOENF/A/E/25/00124 dated 26.06.2025.

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From : ABHAY BHASKAR BARAPATRE <abhay.78@gov.in>
Subject : Order of the First Appellate Authority (FAA) in Appeal Application No. MOENF/A/E/25/00124 dated 26.06.2025.

Thu, Jun 26, 2025 10:38 AM

3 attachments

DD (P&A)

To : Birbal RaM <birbalmeena.69@gov.in>, DG FSI <dgfsi@fsi.nic.in>, Deputy Director Personnel and Administration <ddpna@fsi.nic.in>, kumarkalbande@gmail.com

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Sir,

Kindly find enclosed herewith the Order of the First Appellate Authority (FAA) in Appeal Application No. MOENF/A/E/25/00124 dated 26.06.2025.

It is requested to take necessary action in accordance with the directions contained in the said Order of the FAA.

Submitted for kind consideration, please.

(B. Abhay Bhaskar)
DIGF (FE) & FAA
Forest Establishment Division

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फा.सं. File No.: 17-25/2024-FE
भारत सरकार / Government of India
पर्यावरण, वन और जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change
(वन स्थापना प्रभाग / Forest Establishment Division)

MoEFCC, 4th Floor, Block-3,
Old CBI Building, CGO Complex,
नई दिल्ली / New Delhi -110003
दिनांक : 26.05.2025

ORDER

Subject: An Appeal Application MOENF/A/E/25/00124 under RTI Act - 2005 received from Kumar Bhaskar Kalbande, C/o Mrs A B Kalbande Balaji Appt Flat No 15-3, Atrey Lay Out Pratap Nagar, Nagpur, Pin:440022, (m) +91-9356009568, email: kumarkalbande@gmail.com- reg.

The RTI was received on MOENF/R/E/25/00711 dated 19.05.2025 for requesting information on "*Respected CPIO FE Division MOEFCC You have transferred the RTI application to FSI. Ie MOENF/R/E/25/00655 to FSOID/R/T/25/00014. Despite I submitted that the email is marked to Secretary but you again transferred it to FSI ie MOENF/R/E/25/00695 to FSOID/R/T/25/00016 find the attachment. Since the information pertains to Secretary MOEFCC too you are therefore requested to following. 1. Certified copies of further correspondence initited on the email dated 21st November 2024. 2. Certified copies of all the related documents including Notesheet.*"

The CPIO, Forest Establishment Division, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, New Delhi had disposed of the RTI with a reply vide letter no. 17-25/2024-FE dated 22.05.2025.

The RTI Applicant had filed an Appeal on MOENF/A/E/25/00124 dated 13.06.2025 on the ground that "*The CPIO has transferred information to FSI. I have submitted the same in my RTI that it is already forwarded twice. Yet again 3rd time CPIO transferred it to FSI. The contempt proceedings are underway in CAT as DG FSI Dehradun has submitted false affidavit in CAT regarding non receipt of said email. You may provide the information related email marked to Secretary MOEFCC so that petitioner can submit the same at Court.*"

The matter was examined on the above facts, in the spirt / provisions of Central Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1965 and Order of FAA, Forest Establishment Division, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, New Delhi is as follows:

1. The reply of the CPIO was found in the time frame prescribed by the Act and the reply submitted by the CPIO is found satisfactory.
2. The CPIO/s (Forest Establishment Division-MoEFCC and Forest Survey of India-Dehradun) requested to kindly go through the RTI application and available information may be provided to the RTI Applicant.

Further, your kind attention is invited to Ho'ble CIC order dates 19.02.2024 in CIC/MOENF/A/2023/608903, CIC/MOENF/A/2023/603459, CIC/FSOID/A/2023/609550, CIC/FSOID/A/2023/611538, CIC/FSOID/A/2023/647520 (Kumar Kalbande vs CPIO - MoEFCC and FSI) which states ".....The Commission further observes that the Appellant with locomotor disability is filing such large number of RTI applications and the Commission fails to understand as to how he manages to file and maintain the records of such number of RTI applications/first appeals/second appeals. The Appellant has not been judicious in the use of RTI Act and has been using it as a tool to harass the Public Authority through hundreds of applications to settle his personal vendetta arising out of his transfer from Nagpur to Kolkata. The above advisory for disciplinary authority is reiterated in this case also. The Appellant is therefore, admonished and is cautioned to exercise his right to information in an informed and judicious manner. Further, he is advised to approach appropriate forum to redress his grievance."

With the above directions, the Appeal is disposed of.

The Appellate Authority in Central Information Commission, CIC Bhawan, Baba Gangnath Marg, Munirka, New Delhi – 110 067.


(B. Abhay Bhaskar)
DIGF(FE)

Email: abhay.78@gov.in

Copy to:

1. Kumar Kalbande, C/O Mrs S B Kalbande Balaji Appt Flat no 16 5 A, Atrey Lay Out Pratap Nagar, Nagpur, Pin:440022, (m) +91-9356009568, email: kumarkalbande@gmail.com.
2. CPIO, FSI, Dehradun: with a request to kindly look into the transferred RTI from the FE Division as states in the order and available information may kindly to submitted to the RTI Applicant. Email: dgfsi@fsi.nic.in.
3. File Copy/upload.

RTI APPEAL DETAILS (आरटीआई अपील विवरण)	
Appeal Registration Number (अपील पंजीकरण संख्या) : MOENF/A/ E/25/00124	RTI Appeal Received Date (आरटीआई अपील प्राप्त की तिथि) : 13/06/2025
RTI Request Registration No. (आरटीआई अनुरोध पंजीकरण संख्या) : MOENF/R/ E/25/00711	RTI Request Registration Date (आरटीआई अनुरोध पंजीकरण की तारीख) : 19/05/2025
Name (नाम) : Kumar Bhaskar Kalbande	Gender (लिंग) : Male
Address (पता) : C/o Mrs A B Kalbande Balaji Appt Flat No 15-3Atrey Lay Out Pratap NagarNagpur	
Pin code (पिन कोड) : 440022	
State (राज्य) : Maharashtra	Country (देश) : India
Phone Number (फोन नंबर) : +91-9356009568	Mobile Number (मोबाईल नंबर) : +91-9356009568
Email-ID (ईमेल-आईडी) : kumarkalbande@gmail.com	
Status (स्थिति) : Rural	Educational Status (शैक्षणिक स्थिति) : Above Graduate
Citizenship Status (नागरिकता) : Indian	Is Appellant Bellow Poverty Line ? (क्या अपील करनेवाला गरीबी रेखा से नीचे का है?) : No
CPIO Approached (संपर्क सीपीआईओ) : 3139	Date of Receipt of CPIO's Order/ Decision (सीपीआईओ के आदेश / निर्णय के रसीद की तारीख) : Details not provided
CPIO's Order/Decision No. (सीपीआईओ का आदेश / निर्णय संख्या) : Details not provided	
Ground for Appeal (अपील का आधार) : Any Other ground	
Text of RTI First Appeal (आरटीआई प्रथम अपील का पाठ) : The CPIO has transferred information to FSI. I have submitted the same in my RTI that it is already forwarded twice. Yet again 3rd time CPIO transferred it to FSI. The contempt proceedings are underway in CAT as DG FSI Dehradun has submitted false affidavit in CAT regarding non receipt of said email. You may provide the information related email marked to Secretary MOEFCC so that petitioner can submit the same at Court.	

ACTION HISTORY OF RTI REQUEST No.MOENF/R/E/25/00711

Applicant Name Kumar Bhaskar Kalbande

Text of Application Respected CPIO FE Division MOEFCC You have transferred the RTI application to FSI. ie MOENF/R/E/25/00655 to FSOID/R/T/25/00014 . Despite I submitted that the email is marked to Secretary but you again transferred it to FSI ie MOENF/R/E/25/00695 to FSOID/R/T/25/00016 find the attachment. Since the information pertains to Secretary MOEFCC too you are therefore requested to following. 1. Certified copies of further correspondence initited on the email dated 21st November 2024. 2. Certified copies of all the related documents including Notesheet

Reply of Application The RTI matter pertain related to FSI, Dehradun. It is transferred to FSI under rule 6(3) of RTI Act 2005. May be requested to you the take appropriate necessary action as per rule and reply send directly to the applicant.

SN.	Action Taken	Date of Action	Action Taken By	Remarks
1	RTI REQUEST RECEIVED	19/05/2025	Nodal Officer	
2	REQUEST FORWARDED TO CPIO	20/05/2025	Nodal Officer	Forwarded To : B.R Meena (FE)
3	REQUEST DISPOSED OF	22/05/2025	B.R Meena (FE)-(CPIO)	

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Compliance

1 message

Kumar Kalbande <kumarkalbande@gmail.com>

To: secy-moef@nic.in

Thu, 21 Nov, 2024 at 23:59

To,

Secretary

MOEFCC

IP Bhavan

New Delhi

Subject: Compliance as per Orders of Hon'ble CAT for OA NO 949/2024

Respected Mam,

Please find the trailing mail. I have not given any channel to submit my application. Please refer to Annexure 1. I was not only denied the entry but Peon and Assistant Director Humiliated for requesting them to submit my application. I was told that I am trespasser and my application are not entertained in this office.

Today is 8th day since the order and I am out of time. The affidavit submitted by DG FSI Dehradun doesn't have approval of you and Joint Secretary I. Whereas it is stated that no recovery was imposed on me in CAT OA 657/2024 but total 7 lak recovery is imposed in LPC and LPC doesn't have date of handing over charge which means LPC issued is unauthorised. Please refer to Karnataka High Court Decision for The Controller of State Accounts Vs Smt Nagaratgamma 5th December 2002. Where it is stated that person can not be given LPC without physically handing over the charge.

My account has nil money and CAT has also ordered to pay salary and medical bills within 1 month which is by 13th of December 2024. Since transfer grant of Rs 91,000 is refused by office, I have money for my stay in Kolkatta. So by the 13th office will provide my own money which will enable my stay at Kolkatta.

Hence, I am requesting you that you may provide me flight ticket on 13th December 2024 by Air India Flight 628-776 after providing money.

Since reliving order is provided now ie 13th November 2024, may kindly pay me the salary till 13th November 2024 or till office provide me ticket to Kolkata.

I shall be obliged if you do the needful earliest.

Thanking you

Yours Faithfully

Kumar Bhaskar Kalbande

JTA FSI CZ MOEFCC Nagpur

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Copy to

1. DG FSI Dehradun
2. RD FSI Nagpur
3. RD FSI Kolkata

संख्या-13-4/2025-RTI-1734
भारत सरकार
भारतीय वन सर्वेक्षण
पो0ऑ0-आई0पी0ई0, कौलागढ़ मार्ग
देहरादून-248195

दिनांक: 6 अगस्त, 2025

सेवा में,

Shri Kumar Bhaskar kalbande C/o Mrs A B Kalbande,
Balaji Appt, Flat No-15-3,
Atrey Layout, Pratap Nagar,
Nagpur-440022,
Maharashtra.
Mobile No-9356009568.

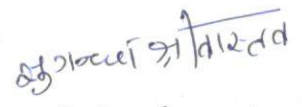
Sub:- Information under RTI Act, 2005.

महोदय,

उपरोक्त विषय के संदर्भ में यह सूचित किया जाता है कि आपके आर.टी.आई. आवेदन संख्या MOENF/R/E/25/00711 दिनांक 26.06.2025 के द्वारा मांगी गई सूचना के संबंध में यह कहना है कि आपके पत्रों के द्वारा मांगी गयी सूचना इस पत्र के साथ संलग्न की जा रही है।

2. यदि आप इस उत्तर से संतुष्ट नहीं हैं तो इस पत्र की प्राप्ति की तिथि से तीस दिनों के भीतर आप निम्नांकित प्रथम अपीलीय प्राधिकारी के समक्ष अपील दायर कर सकते हैं।

श्रीमती मीरा अय्यर (प्रथम अपीलीय अधिकारी),
भारतीय वन सर्वेक्षण,
कौलागढ़ मार्ग, देहरादून-248195
फोन नं०.- 01352755037

भवदीया,

(सुगंधा श्रीवास्तव) • 1C
लोक सूचना अधिकारी

प्रतिलिपि:- DIGF (FE Division) & FAA, पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय के कार्यालय ई-मेल दिनांक 26.06.2025 के संदर्भ में।


6/8/2025

संख्या-13-7/2025-प्रशा0-1512
भारत सरकार
भारतीय वन सर्वेक्षण
डाकघर-आई0पी0ई0, कौलागढ मार्ग
देहरादून-248195

दिनांक 28 जुलाई, 2025

सेवा में,

लोक सूचना अधिकारी
भारतीय वन सर्वेक्षण
कौलागढ मार्ग, देहरादून।

विषय:- RTI under the Right to information Act, 2005.

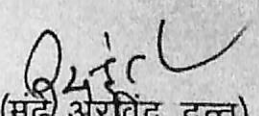
संदर्भ:- पत्र संख्या:-13-4/2025-आर0टी0आई0-1395 दिनांक 17.07.2025.

महोदया,

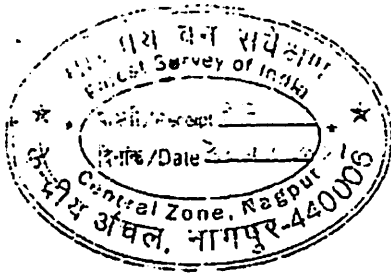
उपरोक्त विषय के संदर्भ में यह सूचित किया जाता है कि Shri Kumar Kalbande, Maharashtra के निम्नलिखित आर0टी0आई0 आवेदन पत्र के द्वारा मांगी गई संबंधित सूचना उपलब्ध रूप में प्रशासन अनुभाग से प्रेषित की जा रही है:-

1. Registration No. MOENF/R/E/25/00711 दिनांक 19.05.2025

भवदीय,


(मुद्रित अरविंद दत्त)
उप निदेशक (का0 एवं प्रशा0)

संलग्नक:-उपरोक्तानुसार



Annexure - A

No 7-4/2018-Adm 1224
Forest Survey of India,
P.O. IPE, Kaulaguri Road
Dehradun - 248195

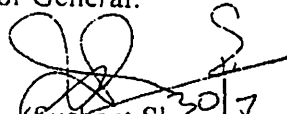
Dated the 30 July, 2021

Office Order

The following officials working in the organization are transferred in public interest as per the detail given below with immediate effect:-

Sl.No.	Name and designation of the official.	Present office where working.	Name of office where transferred.
1.	Sh. Siddharth Kumar, STA	FSI, CZ, Nagpur	FSI, NZ, Shimla
2.	Sh. Pradeep Kushwaha, STA	FSI, EZ, Kolkata.	FSI, CZ, Nagpur
3.	Sh. R. D. Patil, JTA	FSI, SZ, Bangalore	FSI, CZ, Nagpur.
4.	Sh. Kumar B. Kalhande, JTA	FSI, CZ, Nagpur	FSI, EZ, Kolkata
5.	Sh. K. P. Singh, JTA	FSI, CZ, Nagpur	FSI, SZ, Bangalore

These orders are being issued with the approval of Director General.


(Sushant Sharma)
Joint Director (P&A)

Distribution:-

- 1- PA to DG, FSI for information.
- 2- The Regional Director, FSI, R.O., Central/North/East/South Region, Nagpur/Shimla/ Kolkata/Bangalore for information and necessary action.
- 3- Officials concerned.
- 4- Smt. Sumitra Massey, FSI, Hqrs. Office, Dehradun.
- 5- F.No.3-13/2018-Adm.
- 6- Office Order file.

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
NAGPUR BENCH, NAGPUR.**

WRIT PETITION NO. 3967 OF 2021

Kumar s/o Bhaskar Kalbande
Vs.
Union of India, New Delhi and others

Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders of directions
and Registrar's Orders.

Court's or Judge's orders.

Shri Saurabh S. Bhende, Advocate for petitioner.
Mrs. Suhasini N. Deshpande, Advocate for respondent No.1.

**CORAM : SUNIL B. SHUKRE AND
ANIL L. PANSARE JJ**

DATE : 27th OCTOBER, 2021.

Heard Shri Bhende, learned counsel for the
petitioner.

2. The petitioner has questioned his transfer order dated 30.07.2021 transferring him from Forest Survey of India, Central Zone Nagpur to Forest Survey of India, Eastern Zone Kolkata. The grievance of the petitioner is that his transfer order is actuated by malice as in the Communication dated 16.03.2021, the respondent No.4, levelling some allegations against the petitioner, requested the Director General of Forest Survey of India, to immediately transfer the petitioner to any other station and that just a day before issuance of the transfer order, the respondent No.2 had received a request application from Shri R.D. Patil, Junior Technical Assistant, for his transfer from Bangalore Zone

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to Central Zone at Nagpur, which was granted just a day after on 30.07.2021.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioner, however, admits that the petitioner has been posted to Nagpur, through-out since inception i.e. from the year 2009 and it is only now, for the first time, that the petitioner has been transferred from Nagpur to Kolkatta.

4. The learned counsel for the petitioner also admits that the post of the petitioner is transferable though, he submits, that there is no regulation fixing a minimum period of service at a particular station. But, he agrees that period of 13 years for a Government Officer to spend at one station continuously is very long period of time.

5. The object of transfer of Government Officers is to prevent creation of vested interests to promote transparency in the administration, and to ensure good governance. If a Government Officer remains posted for such a long period of 13 years in one go, the object and purpose of the transfer of a Government Servant gets frustrated. It, therefore, follows that a Government Servant like the petitioner, who has continuously remained fastened to Nagpur for 13 long years must not and cannot contend that he has a right to be at Nagpur and that he should not be transferred to a place like

Kolkata. In fact employer of the petitioner has been quite benign so far, as could be seen from the fact of posting of petitioner at Nagpur even after his promotion.

6. Keeping in mind, the object of the transfer of Government Officer and long continuous stay at Nagpur, we are of the view that now, the petitioner has lost his right to challenge his transfer from Nagpur to Kolkata.

7. About some allegations made in the letter dated 06.05.2021, we find that the transfer order dated 30.07.2021 makes no mention of these allegations, does not consider them at all and does not rely on them in any way. The transfer order dated 30.07.2021, rather, shows that it states the reason of "public interest". If this is the reason stated in the transfer order, which we find to be in consonance with the unduly long tenure of petitioner at Nagpur, and the object of the transfer of Government Servants, there would be no ground for us to question the wisdom of the authority in transferring the petitioner. This transfer order, at the cost of repetition, we say that it has not been influenced in any manner by what is stated in the communication dated 06.05.2021 addressed by respondent No.4 to respondent No.2. The transfer order, in our considered view, serves the object of transfer of the Government Officers and has been issued in public interest as stated

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earlier, and, therefore, there is no ground whatsoever available here to find any fault in the transfer order.

8. As regards the contention that one Mr. R.D. Patil had made a request for his transfer from Bangalore to Nagpur on 29.07.2021 and it was granted the next day, which showed malafides on the part of the respondent No.2, we must say that even this is not reflected in the order dated 30.07.2021 which is assailed here. Again, we would say that the order has been issued in public interest and it serves the object of the transfer of a Government Officer, as explained by us earlier.

9. The learned counsel for the petitioner, at this stage, has invited our attention to the notice dated 17.08.2021 in order to support his contention that the transfer in question here is by way of a punishment. We don't think that this argument deserves any acceptance by us. By the notice dated 17.08.2021, entry of the petitioner in the office has been prohibited and the reason for the same is also stated. The reason is that, it was found by the superior officers of the petitioner that in spite of his transfer from Nagpur to Kolkatta, the petitioner was visiting the office and creating some scenes, which have been described to be unruly. The learned counsel for the petitioner does not deny the fact that the petitioner, even after his transfer, was trying to

visit his office. Rather, he submits that the petitioner wanted to visit the office after his transfer order, in order to continue with his official work. If this is so, we are of the view that the petitioner is indulging in a behaviour unbecoming of a Government Officer and this submission made on instructions on behalf of the petitioner is no less than misconduct on the part of the petitioner. On this ground as well, this petition deserves to be rejected.

10. In view of above, the petition stands summarily rejected. No costs.

JUDGE

JUDGE

Prity