

**ACTION HISTORY OF RTI REQUEST No.FSOID/R/T/23/00024**

**Applicant Name** Siddharath Kumar

**Text of Application** Please provide following information in the MoEF & CC under RTI act 2005 1.Kindly provide the certified hard/soft copy of Approved Memorandum for Expenditure Finencial Committe (EFC) containing conversion of Pre Investment of Forest Resource (PISFR) into Forest Survey of India in which mentioned 170 posts for sanction in different categories in1981 as mentioned in order dated 29.04.1981 attached bellow. 2.Kindly provide the certified hard/soft copy of all Approved Memorandum for Expenditure Finencial Committe (EFC) issued for Forest Survey of India between 1981 to 2020. 3..Kindly provide the certified hard/soft copy of Finance division No. 1-2/79-Finance.I dated 23.03.1981. 4..Kindly provide the certified hard/soft copy of letter issued from ministry of finance vide their note no. 536/B-Finance-I dated 29.03.81 and note no. 1203/FA dated 31 .03.1981

**Reply of Application** sought information is not available at Forest Survey of India.

<b>SN.</b>	<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>Date of Action</b>	<b>Action Taken By</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
1	RTI REQUEST RECEIVED	09/05/2023	Nodal Officer	MOENF/R/E/23/00462
2	REQUEST FORWARDED TO CPIO	11/05/2023	Nodal Officer	Forwarded to CPIO(s) : (1) Kamal Pandey
3	REQUEST DISPOSED OF	07/06/2023	Kamal Pandey- (CPIO)	

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No. 6-119 W.P.II  
Government of India,  
Ministry of Agriculture,  
(Department of Agriculture & Cooperation),

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New Delhi, dt. 29.4.1981.

The Chief Coordinator,  
Reinvestment Survey of Forest Resources,  
25, Subhash Road,  
DELHI.

CENTRAL SECTOR SCHEME 'FOREST SURVEY OF INDIA - BREVING  
UP UNDER THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE - SANCTION FOR.

The Government of India have had under consideration the question of converting the existing Reinvestment Survey of Forest Resources into Forest Survey of India under the Ministry of Agriculture. After careful consideration and keeping in view the recommendations made by the National Commission on Agriculture, it has been decided that the organisation of Reinvestment Survey of Forest Resources should be converted into the Forest Survey of India.

Accordingly I am directed to convey the sanction of the President to the conversion of existing Reinvestment Survey of Forest Resources including three zones viz. Eastern, Western and Northern, into that of Forest Survey of India. With effect from 1st June, 1981 at an expenditure of Rs. 300 lakhs during the 5th Plan period. The objective of the Forest Survey of India is to map and present the data to focus attention on critical aspects for national planning and to serve the data needs of development planning in conservation and management of environmental resources, national parks and sanctuaries, utilization of forest resources in cottage, small, medium and large scale industries, and in formulation and implementation of social forestry projects in order to meet the small timber, fodder and fuel wood requirements of the local population. Broadly following activities would be taken up by the Forest Survey of India according to the phased programmes prescribed in the DPC copy.

- i) Forest Mapping
- ii) Forest inventory and re-inventory.
- iii) Data processing.
- iv) Training, consultancy and special studies.
- v) Administrative, financial and technical coordination.

3. The President is also pleased to sanction the creation of an additional zone viz. Southern zone with its headquarters at Bangalore.

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4. The President is pleased to sanction a post of Director in the scale of Rs. 2500-2750 to head the organization. The existing post of Chief Coordinator, Reinvestment Survey of Forest Resources in the scale of Rs. 2000-2250 will be abolished.
5. The existing remaining 37 posts as contained in annexure I will be re-designated as shown against each which will continue in the existing scales of pay.
6. The President is further pleased to sanction 175 posts of different categories as detailed in annexure II in a phased manner, over a period of 4 years as contained in LFO memo.
7. As approved vide Finance Division No. 1-2/79-Fin. 1 dt. 23.3.80 the existing posts of Assistant Commissioner (Forests) and Research Assistant grade I in the Forest Division of the Department of Agriculture and Cooperation with Headquarters at New Delhi, for monitoring and attending to day to day coordination work pertaining to Forest Survey of India, will be continued.
8. Expenditure involved is to be met from within the sanctioned budget of the particular year under the following head of account.  
 Demand No. 5.  
 Major Head '313'  
 B - Forest  
 B.5 Survey of Forest Resources.  
 B.5(I)-Reinvestment Survey of Forest Resources.
9. This issues with the concurrence of the Ministry of Finance and Integrated Finance vide their note 536/B-Finance I dated 29.3.81 and note No. 1203/FA dated 31.3.1981.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

( H.P. Kowshal )

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Copy to:-

1. S.A. to Minister (A. & RR)/IS to Minister of State (A&RR).
2. P.S. To Secretary/IGF/Addl. IGF/J.S. (F&SC)/DIGF(G)/DIGF(M)/DIGF(D).
3. All Officers and Section Officers.
4. Pay & Accounts Officer, Department of Agri. & Coop., Akbar Road, Patparganj, New Delhi.
5. All Attached Subordinate Offices, Department of Agri. & Coop.
6. All Chief Conservator of Forests.
7. All Managing Directors of the Forest Dev. Corporation.

Copy forwarded to:-

IFS Sec./Forest Estt. I Sec. for information & necessary action

Sd/-

( H.P. Kowshal )

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