

# THE COCHIN PORT STAFF ASSOCIATION

Regn. No. 388/81, Regn. No. 43 dt (11-4-49)



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No. CPSA/F.38/2021

To

Dr. Cyril C George,  
Dy. Chairman,  
Appellate Authority under RTI Act,  
Cochin Port Trust  
Cochin - 682 009

Sir,

Sub : - Information sought under the RTI Act, 2005 -  
regarding the payment of Cafeteria Allowance to  
Officers on deputation -- reg:-

- 8135/2021
- Ref:- 1. CPSA's application dated 26.02.2021 to the Central  
Public Information Officer, Cochin Port Trust  
2. CPIO, CPT's letter No. GAD/RTI Cell/1378/KJS/2021  
- S dated 19.03.2021  
3. CPSA's clarification letter dated 22.03.2021.

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We would rather request your kind attention to the subject matter  
and the CPIO's reply in this regard.

Our letter No. CPSA/F.38/2021 dated 26.02.2021 is very specific  
on the subject that the information sought is for any "additional allowances,  
if any, applicable exclusively to the Officers of Cochin Port Trust, which is  
not in vogue in other Port Trusts, other than what is contemplated in the  
Wage Revision Orders of the Officers". We have not sought for any  
documents than a mere information of 'Yes' or 'No'.

It is therefore, requested that action may be taken to get the  
information sought vide our letter dated 26.02.2021 at the earliest as per the  
RTI Act.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

(K.J. STEPHEN)  
SECRETARY

08.07.2021



RTI Cell  
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No. RTI Cell/Appeal/KJS/249/2021-S

Dated: 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2021

Sub:- Information under the RTI Act, 2005- reg.  
Ref: - Your appeal dated 08.07.2021

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I have considered your RTI appeal dated 08.07.2021 and observed that the applicant has made a query without clearly specifying the documents sought for, as stipulated under section 2(f) of the RTI Act.

As per the decision of CIC vide F.No. CIC/BS/A/2012/00512/2409 dated 06.05.2013-*"the RTI Act does not cast on the public authority any obligation to answer queries in which a petitioner attempts to elicit answers to his questions. The petitioner's right extends only to seek information as defined in Section 2(f) of the RTI Act either by pinpointing the file, document, paper or record etc. or by mentioning the type of information as may be available with the specified public authority."*

As the applicant has not clearly specified the document as per Section 2(f) of RTI Act, 2005. The concerned office was unable to provide the information as already conveyed by CPIO.

The appeal is disposed off as above.

It is also informed that a Second Appeal, if any, against the above decision shall lie within ninety days from the date of receipt of this communication, with the Chief Information Commissioner. The name and address of the Chief Information Commissioner are given below:

Shri. Y.K. Sinha  
Chief Information Commissioner  
Room No. 401, IVth Floor, CIC Bhawan  
Baba Gangnath Marg  
Munirka, New Delhi – 110 067

Yours faithfully,

  
By Chairman &  
First Appellate Authority

To

Shri. K.J. Stephen  
Secretary  
Cochin Port Staff Association  
W/Island, Cochin-682003





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To

The Secretary,  
Central Public Information Officer,  
Cochin Port Trust

Sir,

**Sub:- Information under RTI Act – reg:-**

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With reference to the subject matter, it is requested that the details of the additional allowances, if any, applicable exclusively to the Officers of the Cochin Port Trust, which is not in vogue in other Port Trust, other than what is contemplated in the Wage Revision Orders of the Officers.

We are enclosing a Postal Order of Rs. 10/- drawn in favour of Secretary, Cochin Port Trust towards the charges of RTI document. Any charges required other than the Postal Order of Rs. 10/- will be paid by us on hearing from you.

Thanking you,

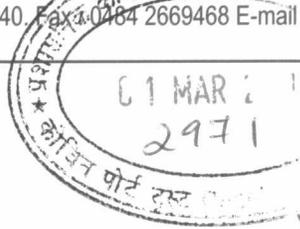
Yours faithfully,

(K.J.STEPHEN)  
SECRETARY

Encl. No RTI cell/1378/KJS/2021-8 Dated 04-03-2021

Copy of request is forwarded to <sup>CPIO/HRDs COPT</sup> DPIO 'A' Sec. HR Section, <sup>DPIO 'D' Sec. HR</sup> COPT for furnishing the details sought for by the applicant subject to the provisions under RTI Act, 2015 to the RTI cell on or before 10/03/2021 A.

*[Signature]*  
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No. GAD/RTI Cell/1378/KJS/2021-S

Dated: 19.03.2021

To

Shri. K.J. Stephen  
Secretary  
Cochin Port Staff Association  
W/Island, Cochin - 09

Sir,

Sub: Information under the RTI Act, 2005- reg.  
Ref: Your application dated 26.02.2021

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With reference to the above, it is informed that as the applicant has not specified the document sought for as per Section 2(f) of the RTI Act, the concerned office is unable to provide the information.

Hence, the applicant is requested to clearly specify the document, so that the concerned office can make it available at least cost as per the provision of the RTI Act, 2005.

The details of the Appellate Authority under the RTI Act for Cochin Port Trust are given below:

Dr. Cyril C. George  
Dy Chairman,  
Cochin Port Trust,  
Cochin - 682 009.

Yours faithfully,

(Jijo Thomas)  
Central Public Information Officer  
General Administration Department