

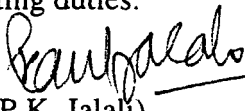
File No. 35-8/2005-O&M & PG Cell
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture
Department of Agriculture and Cooperation

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated 12/15 September, 2005

OFFICE ORDER

In pursuance of the provisions contained in sub-section (1) of section 5 of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the Department of Agriculture and Cooperation, being a public authority within the meaning of clause (h) of section 2 of the said Act, hereby designates Shri U.K.S. Chauhan, Director as Central Public Information Officer in the Department of Agriculture and Cooperation with immediate effect and until further orders.

2. Shri Chauhan shall perform the functions & duties of CPIO under the Right to Information Act, 2005, for the Department in addition to his existing duties.


(P.K. Jalali)

Joint Secretary to the Government of India

Distribution:

1. Shri U.K.S. Chauhan, Director, Department of Agriculture & Cooperation along with a copy of Right to Information Act, 2005, for information and further necessary action.
2. Shri Naved Masood, Joint Secretary (DM&IC) and Appellate Officer under Section 19 (1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 alongwith a copy of the Right to Information Act, 2005 for information.
3. PS to AM/MOS.
4. PPS to Secretary (A&C).
5. PPS to Special Secretary.
6. All Additional Secretaries & equivalent.
7. All Divisional Heads in DAC.
8. All officers and Sections in DAC.
9. RTI Act Cell.
10. Shri Hari Kumar, Director (Estt. B), Department of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension, North Block, New Delhi with reference to DOPT's D.O. letter No. 34012/4(s)/2005Estt(B) dated 15.07.2005.
11. Shri Vidhu Kashyap, Director (JCA), DoP&T, Room No. 215, North Block for information being nodal officer for Department of Agriculture & Cooperation in respect of the RTI Act, 2005.

12. Notice Board, DAC.
13. Sr. Technical Director, NIC with the request to place the office order on the official website of the Department. It is also requested that to facilitate general public to communicate with CPIO; a dedicated e-mail address for CPIO may be created (namely CPIO@krishi.nic.in) & shown along with particulars of CPIO of the Department.



(Ramesh Kumar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India