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R.T.I. CELL

No. AAM/RTI/DIRCA/R/T/21/00020/GM (E-E)/

Dated 09/08/2021

**RTI REPLY**

- Sub: 1. Online RTI Application dated 20/07/2021 of **Sh. R ACHUTHRAM** - Reg.  
2. Request for information under RTI Act,2005:  
1) The Madras Flying Club Limited (Founded 1930),  
2) Madras Flying Club (Registered 2017),  
3) Madras Flying Club Aviation Academy (Unregistered)

The information sought pertaining to Chennai Airport with respect to the online RTI Application filed by **Sh. R ACHUTHRAM** vide Reg. No. DIRCA/R/T/21/00020 dated 20/07/2021 is as under:

S.N	Query	Reply
1	Has AAI given any space to the Madras Flying Club Limited (MFC-L) in Chennai Airport? How much space has been given and on what terms?	Airports Authority of India had given an area of 649.71 sqmtrs of hangar space to Madras Flying Club at Chennai Airport to accommodate their aircraft temporarily till they shift them to Trichy Airport on payment terms.
2	Has AAI given any space to the Madras Flying Club Limited (MFC-L) in Tiruchi Airport? How much space has been given and on what terms?	Transferred to RHQ(SR) u/s 6(3) vide Reg. No.AAICH/R/T/21/00055 dated 23/07/2021
3	Are the above spaces given to the Madras Flying Club Limited founded under the companies Act in 1930? Or was it given to 'Madras Flying Club' under the Societies Act (MFC-S) and registered in 2017?	The hangar space had been given to Madras Flying Club-S (Regd. Under the Tamil Nadu Societies Registration Act 1975).
4	Has any approvals, licences or permissions been given to this two years old new company MFC-S? The directors and officers of the MFCL, unrecognized by the AGM, Capt D Balaraman, Capt Jacob Selvaraj, Mr K Umashankar, Mr Prem Ananth, Mr M N Jogani, and Mr Ameer Basha are also among the founders of the MFC-S	Madras Flying Club had produced a certificate showing that they had been registered under the Tamil Nadu Societies Registration Act 1975.
5	Has AAI conducted an inspection to verify who is using the MFC-L space at Chennai Airport? Has AAI conducted an inspection to verify who is using the Tiruchi facility? The address of the new MFC-S and the 'Madras Flying Club Aviation Academy' is shown as Tiruchi Airport.	The aircrafts of Madras Flying Club – S only are parked in the hangar space at Chennai Airport.

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6	Has the AAI given any approvals or facilities or permission to MFC-S and MFCAA to operate from these facilities? If so, what is the note on file for the change of name?	Madras Flying Club Limited (MFC – L) had produced a certificate for having been registered under the Tamil Nadu Societies Registration Act 1975 in the name of Madras Flying Club in this regard.
7	The Hindu, 20 January, 2020 reported that Mr K Gunasekaran, Director of Tiruchi Airport inaugurated the facility of the 'Madras Flying Club'. Which 'MFC' did Mr Gunasekaran inaugurate—the MFC-L or the MFC-S or the MFCAA? Has he filed any report about his inauguration?	Transferred to RHQ(SR) u/s 6(3) vide Reg. No.AAICH/R/T/21/00055 dated 23/07/2021
8	Is MFC-S or MFCAA authorized to use the facility given to MFC-L? Will AAI stop the MFC-S and MFCAA from abusing the MFC-L facility at Chennai and Trichy?	Madras Flying Club Limited (MFC-L) had produced a certificate for having been registered under the Tamil Nadu Societies Registration Act 1975 in the name of Madras Flying Club in this regard. The hangar space had been given to Madras Flying Club – S (Regd. Under the Tamil Nadu Societies Registration Act 1975).

2. In case, applicant is not satisfied with the information provided, he may file an appeal before the First Appellate Authority (FAA) as per Section 19(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 within 30 days from the receipt of this reply, whose name and address is given below:

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