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AIRPORTS AUTHORITY OF INDIA

Eoffice. No.AAI-15/88/2024-JVC

Dated: 10.11..2025

Mr. Simant Chaubey,

Subject: Information under Right to Information Act, 2005.

Sir,

Reference may kindly be made to your on-line RTI request with Registration no. AAOIN/R/T/25/00420 dated 15.10.2025, which has been transferred by Ministry of Civil Aviation (MoCA) with reference number MOCAV/R/E/25/00535, seeking information under Right to Information Act, 2005 ("Act").

The information sought by you and reply thereof is as under:

Sl. #	Information Sought	Reply
1	Copies of all communications, submissions, and documents received by MoCA from DIAL in relation to its claim of Force Majeure during the COVID-19 pandemic (March 2020 onwards).	It has been observed that the information sought pertains to or closely related to Ministry of Civil Aviation, which is a separate public authority. It is also observed that RTI request has already been transferred by Nodal officer to the concerned CPIO, AD section, MoCA.
2	Copies of internal notes, file notes, minutes of meetings, or reports prepared by MoCA while examining DIAL's claim that it earned 'zero revenue' during the COVID period.	
3	Copies of directions, approvals, or decisions issued by MoCA in response to DIAL's request for relief under the Force Majeure clause.	
4	Detailes of the methodology, audit, or verification exercise conducted by MoCA to ascertain whether DIAL's claim of 'zero revenue' was correct, including whether MoCA examined DIAL's revenue from non-aeronautical sources such as: a) Rentals from duty-free shops, retail outlets, and restaurants, b) Lease rentals from hotels and airlines (counters, offices, hangars), c) Cargo operations, d) Advertising contracts and billboards, e) COVID testing facilities operated at IGI Airport.	
5	Information on whether MoCA specifically sought details from DIAL regarding exemptions/waivers of	

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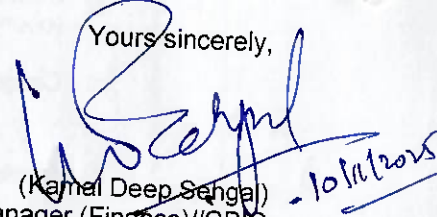


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	rentals given to concessionaires, airlines, or any other tenants during the COVID period. Please provide copies of such correspondence and the response received from DIAL.	
6	Copies of any reports or assessments by MoCA quantifying the actual loss suffered by DIAL during COVID and the basis for granting relief.	
7	Copies of any communications between AAI and the Ministry of Civil Aviation regarding DIAL's Force Majeure claims.	
8	The names and designations of MoCA officials who examined and approved the relief given to DIAL during COVID.	
9	Please provide certified copies of any audit Reports, Chartered Accountant (CA) certificates, financial statements, or verification documents submitted by DIAL to MoCA in support of its claim of Force Majeure during the COVID-19 period, and copies of any internal MoCA analysis based on these documents.	
10	Please inform us whether any case, arbitration, or legal proceeding is pending before any Court, OR Disposed off, by any Tribunal, or Arbitral Authority in respect of the revenue sharing dispute between MoCA and DIAL arising out of the COVID-19 period. If yes, kindly provide details including the case number, year, forum, and current status of such proceedings.	

In case, the applicant is not satisfied with the reply, he/she may file an appeal to the Mr. L Kuppulingam, Executive Director (PPP/JVC), First Appellate Authority, Airports Authority of India (AAI), Joint Venture Cell, C – Block, Rajiv Gandhi Bhawan, Safdarjung Airport, New Delhi-110003, under section 19(1) of the RTI Act within the time limit specified in the RTI Act.

Yours sincerely,


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