



No. A60011/07/2018/Pen.Cell/RTI – Part (III) 932

By Speed Post  
22 November, 2024

To

Subject: Information sought under RTI Act, 2005 – Sh. [REDACTED]

Sir,

Reference is invited to online RTI application No. AAOIN/R/E/24/02717 dated 08/11/2024 of Sh. [REDACTED]

2. In this regard, the point-wise reply of the information sought in the above said RTI is as under:

S. No.	Information Sought	Reply
1	Total amount deducted from my salary @1.16% as administrative charges towards employee's share in my Pension Fund under Employees' Pension Scheme, 1995. [Period from 01 September 2014 to 01 September 2024]	GM (Finance)-Pension Cell/ CPIO being the custodian of the information, the RTI application is being forwarded for reply to the applicant directly.
2	The relevant office noting containing approval of the competent authority to deduct @1.16% as administrative charges from the salary of the employees towards employee's share in Pension Fund from those who have opted for Option "A" under Employee's Pension Scheme, 1995.	Copies are attached.
3	The relevant office noting containing approval of the competent authority for stoppage of such deduction of 1.16% as administrative charges from employee's salary w.e.f. 01.09.2014, as per the Gazette of India Notification dated 03.05.2023 and EPFO Circular dated 04.05.2023	Copies are attached.
4	The relevant office noting containing approval of the competent authority for increase of employer's share from 8.33% to 9.49% by stopping deduction of 1.16% from employee's salary towards Pension Fund as per Govt of India Gazette Notification dated 03.05.2023 and EPFO Circular dated 04.05.2023.	
5.	Copy of approval of the competent authority for continuing the deduction @1.16% from salary of employees even after clear-cut instructions in Govt of India Gazette Notification dated 03.05.2023 and EPFO Circular dated 04.05.2023.	GM (Finance)-Pension Cell/ CPIO being the custodian of the information, the RTI application is being forwarded for reply to the applicant directly.
6	As the deduction @1.16% from my salary is still being made, please provide the copy of approval of the competent authority or related document mentioning the cause of delay in implementing Govt of India Gazette Notification dated 03.05.2023 and EPFO Circular dated 04.05.2023.	

7	Copy of office noting/ION or any other document/communication sent by HR Directorate to Finance Directorate for implementing the Govt of India Gazette Notification dated 03.05.2023 and EPFO Circular dated 04.05.2023.	Copy of Pension Cell (HR) ION dated 19.01.2024 attached.
8	Copy of office noting/ION or any other document/communication received by HR Directorate from Finance Dte stating the reason for not implementing the Govt of India Gazette Notification dated 03.05.2023 and EPFO Circular dated 04.05.2023.	No such recorded information is available.
9	Copy of approval of the competent authority/office noting if any stating the modus-operandi for adjustment/refund of administrative charges @ 1.16% deducted from the salary of the employees who have opted for Option "A" under Employee's Pension Scheme,1995, as the same is to be borne by the employer (AAI) since 01.09.2024.	GM (Finance)-Pension Cell/ CPIO being the custodian of the information, the RTI application is being forwarded for reply to the applicant directly.

3. In case you are not satisfied with above reply an appeal against this lies with ED (Admin) and First Appellate Authority, AAI, CHQ, A Block, Rajiv Gandhi Bhawan, Safdarjung Airport, New Delhi 110 003 within 30 days from the date of receipt of this letter.

Yours sincerely,

  
(Girish Kumar) 22/11/24  
General Manager (HR)/CPIO

Encl.: As Above

Copy to:

- **GM (Finance) – Pension Cell/ CPIO** – with a request to provide reply to Point Nos. 1, 5, 6 and 9 of the RTI Application directly to the applicant.