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By Speed Post  
Dated: 07.05.2025

To,

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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

**Sub: RTI Application of Sh. [REDACTED] - Information sought under RTI Act 2005**

Sir,

Reference is invited to RTI Application of Sh. [REDACTED] received online on RTI Portal vide Registration No.AAOIN/R/E/25/00639 dated 27/04/2025 on the above subject.

2. In this regard, the point-wise reply to the information sought is as under:

S.No.	INDEX	Reply
1.	Reference: AAI CPGRAMS Response No. MOCAV/E/2025/0000802 dated 21.03.2025	
(a)	Regarding Para 2(I) stating "AAI has repeatedly provided details of canteen employees to MoCA and DGCA", please provide copies of all letters/emails/correspondence sent during the last 3 years (from April 2022 to date) through which these details were provided to MoCA and DGCA regarding pensionary matters of canteen employees.	The copies of letters sent to MoCA and DGCA are enclosed.
(b)	Please provide copies of any substantive responses, directions, or acknowledgements received from MoCA or DGCA concerning the information shared as per point 4(a) above.	No such response has been received from MoCA or DGCA.
(c)	Regarding Para 2(II) & 2(III) citing the sub-judice nature of the matter due to WPC 12122-23/2005, please provide copies of relevant order(s), communications (with MoCA & DGCA), internal file notings, or legal opinions based on which AAI concluded that the entire issue of granting government pension benefits to these employees is sub-judice and the decision must await the outcome of this specific court case (which primarily concerns the date of absorption).	Copy of DGCA e-mail dated 01.08.2024 is enclosed, however further information may be available with DGCA Hqrs which is a separate Public Authority. Therefore, your request is hereby transferred to DGCA Hqrs to that extent for furnishing information directly.
2.	Reference: AAI CPGRAMS Response No. MOCAV/E/2025/0001112 dated 21.04.2025.	No recorded information available with this section.
(a)	Given that the primary dispute in WPC 2122-23/2005 appears to be the date of absorption (02.10.1991 vs 26.04.1999) and potentially not the right to choose between Government and PSU pension rules as per original absorption terms, please provide copies of any internal circulars, orders, or file notings where AAI decided to mandatorily settle the pensionary benefits of these CAD canteen employees under PSU Rules (EPF	



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	Scheme) without offering/respecting an option for Government Pension Rules.	
(b)	If the date of absorption is sub-judice (under WPC 12122-23/2005), how has AAI proceeded to settle pensionary benefits under PSU rules (like EPF) by seemingly accepting the 02.10.1991 date for calculating PSU service commencement, while simultaneously claiming the matter is sub-judice? Please provide copies of any legal opinion, court direction, communication with DGCA/MoCA, or file noting that authorises AAI to adopt the 02.10.1991 date for PSU benefit calculation despite the ongoing litigation regarding this date.	Copy of DGCA order No.35018/3/99-EW dated 13.12.2001 is enclosed, however further information may be available with DGCA Hqrs which is a separate Public Authority. Therefore, your request is hereby transferred to DGCA Hqrs to that extent for furnishing information directly.
(c)	Regarding the statement "The matter is also being examined in consultation with Ministry of Civil Aviation", please provide copies of recent (last 1 year) communications sent to/received from MoCA, any Minutes of Meetings (MoM) held with MoCA on this subject, and relevant internal file notings documenting this examination process.	Reply is same as furnished in Point 1(a).

3. In case you are not satisfied with the above reply, an appeal against this lies with ED (Admn.) and FAA, AAI, CHQ, A, Block, Rajiv Gandhi Bhawan, Safdarjung Airport, New Delhi-110003 within 30 days from the date of receipt of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

[Girish Kumar]

General Manager (HR)/CPIO

**Copy to**

- Dy. Director (Admin)/CPIO, E-I Section, DGCA Hqrs with a request to provide reply to Point No. 1(C) and 2(b) of the RTI Application directly to the applicant.