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Date : 27.03.2015

Shri Narendra Mohan
Director & First Appellate Authority
Government of India
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution
Department of Food & public Distribution,
Kanpur - 208017

Sub: Appeal under RTI Act, 2005

Dear Sir,

Please refer letter F. No. 25(52)/2015/RTI/3/490 dated 09.03.2015 in response to my online RTI request vide Regn. No. NSIKP/R/2015/60001 (copy enclosed).

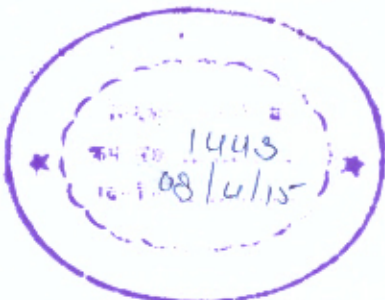
The information asked by me is not provided and told to refer some book and IS:1151:2003, my purpose of asking information is not for the setting up of sugar industry. It is just to get aware about the chemicals being used in the sugar refining which causes serious health problem to general public. In the recent past it was published in the some newspapers (copies enclosed).

Therefore it requested to provide the information in a way which is understood to general public. Soft copies can also be forwarded to puruchavi@gmail.com.

Yours faithfully,


Purushottam

Enclosures: As above



RTI MATTER/BY SPEED POST

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07/5/15

Subject : First Appeal - Online RTI Request vide Regn.No. NSIKP/R/2015/60001.

Sir,

With reference to your first appeal, I am of the view that the CPIO had already provided the information available with this Institute. However, in the light of the appeal and considering the matter in entirety, in addition to the information already provided, the following is also furnished :-

For producing refined sugar, two processes, namely phosphatation and carbonation are in vogue worldwide. In case of Phosphatation Process, lime and phosphoric acid are basic clarificants used, whereas, in case of Carbonation Process, lime and CO₂ gas are the principle clarificants. On the basis of information, the quantity of such chemicals may be considered as follows :-

- (i) In Phosphatation Process, the lime and phosphoric acid consumption remains around 0.2-0.3% and 0.08-0.12% on raw sugar respectively;
- (ii) In case of Carbonation Process, CO₂ required is drawn from the flue gases from the boiler, whereas, lime consumption remains around 0.4-0.5% on raw sugar.

No study on its impact on health has been carried out by this Institute and on such aspects, it has already been informed that Food Safety and Standards Authority of India / Ministry of Health / Public Health Department may be contacted.

control of the public authority. The Public Information Officer is not supposed to create information that is not a part of the record of the public authority. The Public Information Officer is also not required to furnish information which require drawing of inference and/or making of assumptions; or to interpret information; or to solve the problems raised by the applicants."

Accordingly, your First Appeal is disposed off.

In case you are not satisfied with this Order, you may prefer the second appeal to the Central Information Commission at the following address within ninety days from the date on which the decision is made or actually received, :-

Central Information Commissioner
Central Information Commission
Room No. 326, 2nd Floor, August Kranti Bhawan,
Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi-110066.

O/c

Yours faithfully,

N. Mohan
(Narendra Mohan) 8/6/15

Director & First Appellate Authority