Qualifications Of Information Commissioners

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Chapter III

Section 12: Constitution of Central Information Commission

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- (6) The Chief Information Commissioner or an Information Commissioner shall not be a Member of Parliament or Member of the Legislature of any State or Union territory, as the case may be, or hold any other office or profit or connected with any political party or carrying on any business or pursuing any profession.

Chapter IV

Section 15: Constitution of State Information Commission

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- (6) The State Chief Information Commissioner or a State Information Commissioner shall not be a Member of Parliament or Member of the Legislature of any State or Union territory, as the case may be, or hold any other office or profit or connected with any political party or carrying on any business or pursuing any profession.