

Online RTI Request Form Details

RTI Request Details :-

RTI Request Registration number	ECOIL/R/2019/50022
Public Authority	Electronics Corporation of India Ltd.

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Request Details :-

Citizenship	Indian
Is the Requester Below Poverty Line ?	No

(Description of Information sought (upto 500 characters))

Description of Information Sought
<p>Apropos of the August 2018 publication of the Election Commission of India bearing the title: Status Paper on Electronic Voting Machine (EVM), Edition-3, I would like to obtain the following information from your public authority under the RTI Act, 2005:</p> <p>i) A clear photocopy of all reports of the Technical Evaluation Committees received since 1990 till date regarding EVMs and VVPATs, along with annexures, if any,</p> <p>ii) A clear photocopy of the report of the forensic examination of EVMs conducted by the Central Forensic Science Laboratory (CFSL) pursuant to the direction of the Bombay High Court in EP No. 15 of 2014 along with annexures, if any, and</p> <p>iii) The complete list of manufacturers of micro-controllers used in the latest generation (M3) EVMs and VVPAT units along with their postal addresses,</p> <p>iv) The list of names and designations of engineers who have developed the M3 EVM software in your company,</p> <p>v) The list of names and designations of members of the independent testing group which carried out testing and evaluation of the software of the M3 EVMs and VVPAT units,</p> <p>vi) A clear photocopy of the report along with annexures, if any submitted by the independent testing group after testing and evaluating the software of the M3 EVMs and VVPAT units,</p> <p>vii) A clear photocopy of the software requirement specifications used by the independent testing group which tested and evaluated the software of M3 EVMs and VVPAT units,</p> <p>viii) A clear photocopy of the Quality plan and document containing performance test procedures for M3 EVMs and VVPAT units,</p> <p>ix) A clear photocopy of the report of the Quality Assurance Group in your company which has checked the functionality of the M3 EVMs and VVPAT units,</p> <p>x) The duration of the life of the battery that powers an M3 EVM and the VVPAT unit,</p>

- xi) The total number of M3 EVMs and VVPAT units supplied to the Election Commission of India for use in the Lok Sabha and State Legislative Assembly Elections of 2019,
- xii) The sale price of an M3 EVM and VVPAT unit supplied to the Election Commission of India,
- xiii) The total payment received from the Election Commission of India towards the purchase of M3 EVM and VVPAT units, as on date.

Concerned CPIO	Nodal Officer
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RTI Appeal Details :-

RTI Appeal Registration number	ECOIL/A/2019/60009
Public Authority	Electronics Corporation of India Ltd.

Personal Details of Appellant:-

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Appeal Details :-

Citizenship	Indian
Is the Requester Below Poverty Line ?	No
Ground For Appeal	No Response Within the Time Limit
CPIO of Public Authority approached	SRI RAMA SARAN PRASAD
CPIO's Order/Decision Number	Details not provided
CPIO's Order/Decision Date	

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<p>Prayer or Relief Sought</p> <p>Prayers:</p> <p>This Honourable Appellate Authority may be pleased to:</p> <p>1) admit this appeal and inquire into the matters raised herein,</p> <p>2) direct the Central Public Information Officer (CPIO) to disclose all the information described in the instant RTI application free of charge as is the right of this Appellant, under Section 7(6) of the RTI Act, 2005.</p> <p>Grounds:</p> <p>1)The instant RTI application was submitted online to this Public Authority on 28/03/2019. The 30-day deadline for the CPIO to send a reply specified in Section 7(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 lapsed on 29/04/2019. This first appeal is being submitted on the 8th day of the lapse of the said deadline which is well</p>
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within the time limit for submitting a first appeal as specified in Section 19(1) of the RTI Act,

2) According to Section 7(1) of the RTI Act, upon receiving a request for information that is held by his public authority a CPIO has only two courses of action open to him. He is required to either furnish the requested information on payment of the additional fee as per the rates prescribed in the RTI Rules, 2012 notified by the Government of India or reject the request for any of the reasons specified in Sections 8 or 9 of the Act. The CPIO cannot sit endlessly on an RTI application without sending any response to the RTI applicant for 30 days. The CPIO of this Public Authority has not sent any response within the said time limit,

3) According to Section 7(2) of the RTI Act where a CPIO fails to send a response to an RTI application within the time limit specified in Section 7(1) of the Act, it shall be deemed that the information sought has been refused. According to Section 19(1) of the RTI Act, a citizen may submit a first appeal to the Public Authority even where a CPIO fails to give any decision on his RTI application. These grounds are also attracted in the case of the instant RTI application,

4) According to Section 7(6) of the RTI Act, where a CPIO fails to furnish the requested information within the time limit of 30 days specified in Section 7(1) of the RTI Act, the RTI applicant is entitled to receive such information free of charge.

Hence the submission of this appeal to this Honourable Appellate Authority.

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Date: 08/05/2019

Sub: Information under the R.T.I. Act, 2005 - Reg.

This has reference to your RTI Application dated. 28.03.2019. The following is our reply:


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1. A clear photocopy of all reports of the Technical Evaluation Committees received since 1990 till date regarding EVMs and VVPATs, along with manicores, if any,	Classified information. Hence, exemption is sought under the provisions of 8(1)(a) of the RTI Act,2005.
2. A clear photocopy of the report of the forensic examination of EVMs conducted by the Central Forensic Science Laboratory (CFSL) pursuant to the direction of the Bombay High Court in EP No. 15 of 2014 along with annexure, if any, and	ECIL is not the custodian of EVMs
3. The complete list of manufacturers of micro-controllers used in the latest generation (M3) EVMs and VVPAT units along with their postal addresses,	Classified information. Hence, exemption is sought under the provisions of 8(1)(a) of the RTI Act,2005.
4. The list of names and designations of engineers who have developed the M3 EVM software in your company,	Classified information Hence, exemption is sought under the provisions of 8(1)(a) of the RTI Act,2005.
5. The list of names and designations of members of the independent testing group which carried out testing and evaluation of the software of he M3 EVMs and VVPAT units.	Standardization Testing and Quality Certification (STQC) team carried independent third party testing.
6. A clear photocopy of the report along with annexure if any submitted by the independent testing group after testing and evaluating the software of the M3 EVMs and VVPAT units,	Voluminous information, the applicant may visit ECIL on accepted date to very the information personally,
7. A clear photocopy of the software requirement specifications used by the independent testing group which tested and evaluated the software of M3 EVMs and VVPAT units,	Classified information. Hence, exemption is sought under the provisions of 8(1)(a) of the RTI Act,2005.
8. A clear photocopy of he Quality plan and document containing performance test procedures for M3 EVMs and VVPAT units,	Classified information. Hence, exemption is sought under the provisions of 8(1)(a) of the RTI Act,2005.
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10. The duration of the life of the battery that powers an M3 EVM and the VVPAT unit,	Two year

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11. The total number of M3 EVMs and VVPAT units supplied to the Election Commission of India for use in the Lok Sabha and State Legislative Assembly Elections of 2019.	The Lok Sabha and State Legislative Assembly Election of 2019 is under execution the dispatch data may be provided after completion of election.
12. The sale price of an M3 EVM and VVPAT unit supplied to the Election Commission of India,	Classified information. Hence, exemption is sought under the provisions of 8(1)(a) of the RTI Act, 2005.
13. The total payment received from the Election Commission of India towards the purchase of M3 EVM and VVPAT units, as on date.	Classified information. Hence, exemption is sought under the provisions of 8(1)(a) of the RTI Act, 2005.



Yours faithfully,


(M. Srirama Saran Prasad)
CPIO & DGM (CS & Law)