

	<p>माल और सेवा कर एवं केन्द्रीय उत्पाद शुल्क प्रधान मुख्य आयुक्त कार्यालय OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF GST & CENTRAL EXCISE केन्द्रीय माल और सेवा कर एवं केन्द्रीय उत्पाद शुल्क अंचल : तमिलनाडु एवं पुदुच्चेरी CENTRAL GST & CENTRAL EXCISE ZONE : TAMILNADU & PUDUCHERRY जी एस टी भवन, सं. 26/1, महात्मा गांधी रोड, चेन्नई - 600 034 GST BHAWAN, No. 26/1, MAHATHMA GANDHI ROAD, CHENNAI - 600 034 ई - मेल / E-mail: rti.prcco.chennai@gmail.com दूरभाष / Ph. No.: 044-28331007 फैक्स / Fax No.: 044-28331015</p>	
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GCCO/RTI/APP/1310/2022- CCAESTT

Dated : 12/2022

To,
Shri Asokaraj S
Plot No. 11, 4th Cross Street,
Anjal Nagar, Madurai,
Tamilnadu – 625 018.

Gentleman,

Sub: Information under Right to Information Act, 2005 - reg.

Please refer to your online RTI application bearing Registration No. CEXCH/R/E/22/00069 dated 17.11.2022 filed under the RTI Act, 2005.

The reply for your RTI application

- With respect to point No.1:** CBI's letter dated 20.09.2017 cannot be shared as the same is exempt under Section 8(h) of RTI Act 2005.
- With respect to Point No. 2:** Copies of Note Sheet recordings which dealt with the revocation of suspension of Shri. S.Asokaraj cannot be given as the same is exempt under Section 8(h) of RTI Act 2005.
- With respect to Point No.3:** In terms of Rule 10(1) of Central Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1965, "The appointing authority or any authority to which it is subordinate or the disciplinary authority or any other authority empowered in that behalf by the President, by general or special order, may place a Government servant under suspension..." Hence, Commissioner, being the disciplinary authority, can suspend a Government Servant, irrespective of promotion granted by Chief Commissioner.

Hence, Principal Commissioner/Commissioner of a Commissionerate is the Disciplinary Authority for Group B officers working in the Commissionerate as per the F.No. C-11016/2/2007-Ad.V dated 13.7.2010 (Copy enclosed)

- With respect to Point No. 6:** The Chief Commissioner or Principal Chief Commissioner in any posting and transfer matter, judiciously takes the decision

with regard to all officers keeping in view the Transfer Policy for the cadres and other administrative requirements. However, he is free to consult other related agencies as the case may be with respect to the posting and transfer, suspension and revocation of suspension in respect of any officer and act on relevant recommendations, as has happened in the case of Shri.S.Asokaraj, Superintendent.

5. **With respect to Point No.7:** The information sought by the applicant pertains to information about third party, which is confidential in nature and the same is exempt from disclosure by the Public Authority under Section 8(j) of RTI Act 2005 in as much as the same relates to personal information the disclosure of which has no relationship to any public activity or interest or which would cause unwarranted invasion of the privacy of the individual.

If you are not satisfied with the reply, you may file an appeal within thirty days from the date of receipt of this letter, before the Appellate Authority, whose designation and address is given below:

Shri.R.Gopalsamy,
Additional Commissioner,
O/o The Principal Chief Commissioner of GST & Central Excise,
26/1, Mahatma Gandhi Road,
Nungambakkam, Chennai – 600 034.

Yours faithfully

(RAJNI MENON)
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER
CENTRAL PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER

