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विषय— **अतिरिक्त शुल्क जमा करने के सम्बन्ध में।** महोदय,

कृपया अपने दिनांक 13—1—2021 के सूचना के अनुरोध पत्र का संदर्भ ग्रहण करें। आपके द्वारा मांगी गई सूचना सामग्री को एकत्रित करने और इच्छित रूप में उपलब्ध करने पर सरकार द्वारा निम्नलिखित दरों के आधार पर रू० 118.00 (रू० एक सौ अट्ठारह) अतिरिक्त शुल्क देय होता है।

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मांगी गई सूचना को उपलब्ध करने सम्बन्धी कार्यवाही उक्त अतिरिक्त शुल्क जमा करने के बाद ही प्रारम्भ होगी। इस पत्र की तिथि से अतिरिक्त शुल्क प्राप्त होने की तिथि तक का समय सूचना उपलब्ध कराने के लिए निर्धारित 30 दिनों में नहीं गिना जायेगा।

भवदीय

(बसन्त सिंह रावत)—25-1-7 अनुभाग अधिकारी एवं लोक सूचना अधिकारी।

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Letter No. ADR04/RTI/Uttarakhand CEO-Annual Reports-Unrecognized Parties/01

Date: 13-01-2021

To

Office of the Chief Electoral Officer,

Vishwakarama Bhawan, First Floor,

Secretariate Campus, 04-Subhash Road,

Dehradun 248001,

Uttarakhand

Sub: Application for information under Section 6(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 on the status of submission of annual audit reports and contribution reports filed by registered unrecognized political parties and the action taken by the State CEO against such political parties that defaulted on the submission of their annual reports.

Dear Sir,

The Election Commission of India issued guidelines (No.76/PPEMS/Transparency/2014/672 to 606) on "Transparency and Accountability in party funds and election expenditure – submission of reports by unrecognized political parties" which are applicable to all political parties w.e.f 1st October, 2014. As per these guidelines, all unrecognized parties are required to file all reports, namely (a) the contribution reports in Form 24A, (b) the audited annual accounts, with the auditor report, and (c) the Election Expenditure Statements with the office of the respective State Chief Electoral Officers (CEOs) in the prescribed time and manner.

On receipt of the reports from the state level unrecognized political parties, scanned copies of annual audited accounts, contribution reports and statements of election expenditure shall be uploaded on the websites of CEOs of the respective states, within 3 days of receipt of the same for viewing by public.

As per the aforesaid guidelines, in case of default in filing the reports/statements, it should be brought to the notice of the political parties concerned, by writing a letter to that effect and the letter should also be put on the website of CEO.

As per ADR analysis, for the state of Uttarakhand, no link is available on the State CEO website that provides access to the audited statements and contribution reports of the registered unrecognised parties. Hence, the information is not available in the public domain as mandated by the transparency guidelines.

Kindly provide the following information:

- 1. Provide a list of all registered unrecognized political parties of Uttarakhand that did not submit their audit reports since the FY 2014-15.
- Provide a list of all registered unrecognized political parties of Uttarakhand that did not submit their contribution reports since the FY 2014-15.

- Please upload and provide the website link to all the audit reports and contribution reports submitted by the registered unrecognised parties of Uttarakhand since the FY 2014-15.
- 4. Whether the State CEO is aware that several unrecognized political parties defaulted on submission of their audit and contribution reports during the last five years?
- 5. Whether the reminder letters were sent to the defaulting unrecognized political parties to bring to parties' notice their failure to submit annual audit and contribution reports on time?
- 6. How many times the reminder letters were sent to the defaulting unrecognized political parties by the State CEO's office? Kindly provide the complete details of such letters sent to such defaulting unrecognized political parties.
- 7. Did the State CEO's office receive any response to the reminder letters sent by them to the defaulting unrecognized political parties? If yes, kindly provide the complete details of such responses.
- Kindly provide the clear photocopies of all file notings/communication/documents (along with annexures, if any) between the State CEO and unrecognised political parties available on record, in paper or electronic form regarding the requested information for the period between FY 2014-15 to FY 2018-19.
- 9. What action has been taken by the ECI and the State CEO since FY 2014-15 against these parties for failure to submit their audit reports and contribution reports as required under the transparency guidelines? Kindly provide details of complete year-wise and party-wise action taken by the ECI and the State CEO against such defaulting parties.
- 10. Kindly provide the clear photocopies of all file notings/communication/documents (along with annexures, if any) between the ECI/State CEO and the defaulting political parties available on record, in paper or electronic form regarding the requested information for the period between FY 2014-15 to FY 2018-19.

I have made a payment of Rs 10/- application fee as prescribed. Kindly intimate me the additional fees payable, if any. The above information may kindly also be provided to me by e-mail on two email IDs: shellym@adrindia.org; adr@adrindia.org

Yours sincerely,

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