

RTI Applications received and responded by the Public Authority INCOIS during April 2023 – March 2024

Sl. NO .	RTI Application Number	Status of the Application	Information Sought	Response by the Public Authority
1.	INCIS/R/E/23/00003	Request Disposed	This request is about the recruitment against Advt. No. INCOIS/RMT/03/2022	
			1. Total number of applications received.	1. 136
			2. Total number of candidates having the essential qualifications as per the advt.	2. 60
			3. Total number of candidates having the desirable qualification as per the advt.	3. 20
			4. List of candidates (Name, highest qualification, desirable qualifications (Yes/ No), having CFTI degree(Yes / No), Experience in years and Shortlisted / not shortlisted) having more than three years of exp and/ Having the desirable qualifications as per the advertisement.	4. As per the section 8(i)(j) of RTI Act, this information involves personal information and is exempted from disclosure.
5. Since the vacancy is 01 for postcode no: 04. Kindly specify the no. of candidates to be shortlisted for personal interview/ written test for this position.	5. The question does not qualify and/ or does not lead to any category as specified under the definition of information 'defined under 2(f) of RTI ACT 2005. SI.No.4 & 5 of the "General Conditions "of the Advt. No. INCOIS/RMT/03/2022 is the relevant information available. For the sake of immediate reference, the relevant content of the general conditions specified above is reproduced below. QUOTE: "4. INCOIS will have full discretion to fix separate minimum criteria for shortlisting and criteria for interview for each category of candidates. 5. The prescribed essential qualifications are minimum requirements and the mere possession of the same does not entitle candidates to be called for interview. If the			

				<p>number of applications received in response to advertisement are large, it will not be convenient or possible to call all candidates for interview. Accordingly, centre may restrict the number of candidates to be called for interview to a reasonable limit of desirable qualification and / or on the record of academic performance and / or relevant experience for the post prescribed in the advertisement as per the specific requirement of the Centre and /or any other benchmark decided by a committee constituted to screen the applications. The final selection of the candidate will be based on the candidate's performance in the Interview and based on the selection committee's recommendations. No correspondence will be entertained with candidates who are not called for Interview / not selected for appointment." UNQUOTE</p>
			<p>6. Reason for not mentioning the shortlisting candidate ratio against each post in the advertisement.</p>	<p>6. The question doesn't qualify and/or doesn't lead to any category as specified under the definition of 'information' defined under 2(f) of RTI ACT 2005. The available information is already provided in the above reply at Sl.No.1(5).</p>
			<p>7. Reason for short listing only 20 candidates for the interview since there is no ratio mentioned in the advertisement. Under which Govt. order/guidelines are followed by INCOIS for shortlisting the total number of candidates i.e., 20 as per the List of Screened-IN Candidates published on the INCOIS website. Is the 1:20 ratio followed on the other posts advertised in the same advertisement?</p>	<p>7. The question doesn't qualify and/or doesn't lead to any category as specified under the definition of 'information' defined under 2(f) of RTI ACT 2005. The available information is already provided in the above reply at Sl.No.1(5).</p>

2.	Received by Post vide LDA/RTI/9	Request Disposed	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Kindly provide me the value of proprietary and OEM single offer purchase made by your Ministry, its Departments and CPSE 's for the financial year 2019 – 2020, 2020 – 21, 2021 – 22 & 2022 – 23 2. Kindly provide me the list of orders placed on proprietary and OEM single offer basis by your ministry, its Departments and CPSE' s for the financial year 2019 – 2020, 2020 – 21, 2021 – 22 & 2022 – 23 3. Please advise me as how the requirements of establishing “reasonableness of prices “ as required as per GFR has been met while making such purchases by the Ministry / Departments / CPSE's attached to your Ministry. 	No information was provided due to non-payment of prescribed fees towards photocopying.
3.	INCIS/R/E/23/ 00005	Request Disposed	<p>Kindly confirm how much budget do you have for each particular mentioned below and how much amount you spent in last year on each particular:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Social Media Campaigning /Marketing / Tools ii. Website Development / Revamping / Designing / Re-designing. iii. Scanning & Digitization iv. IT Manpower Supply v. Document Management System vi. Learning Management System vii. Market Research & Survey viii. Lidar Base Survey ix. Skill & Training Programs 	<p>NIL</p> <p>NIL</p> <p>NIL</p> <p>Rs. 1,12,56,969.00</p> <p>NIL</p> <p>NIL</p> <p>NIL</p> <p>NIL</p> <p>NIL</p>

			x. Software / Application development Call Centre services	NIL
			xi. Vehicle Tracking System	NIL
			xii. Cloud Telephony	NIL
			xiii. Digital Transformation	NIL
			xiv. Human Resource Management System (HRMS)	Rs. 20,49,276.00
			xv. AI Based Projects	NIL
4.	INCIS/R/E/3/0004	Request Disposed	Respected Sir/ Mam I want to know how many Candidates applied for the post of junior Hindi translator (post code 08) throw the advertisement No.- INCOIS/RMT/02/2023, Please consider my humble request, I will be highly obelized to you.	210 applications were received.
5.	INCIS/R/T/23/00003	Request Disposed	1(a) List of all the welfare schemes and concessions provided by Ministry of Earth Sciences and its departments for the physically disabled persons having more than 40% degree of disability (Divyanjan), if any	This public authority doesn't undertake any specific welfare schemes. The applicable concessions to persons with disability (Divyanjan) are being followed by this public authority as per the rules/guidelines issued by Department of Personnel and Training (DoPT), Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions from time to time
			1(b) If so, please provide me the relevant Government Orders (GOs) in the form of Office Memorandum (OM)/ Notifications / Circulars along with amendments thereon (Preferably in the form of soft copies).	This public authority has not issued any such OMs / Notifications / Circulars. However, the relevant orders issued by DoPT are available at the link https://doptcirculars.nic.in/Default.aspx?URL=4CgfWNj9rzbdARCH%20 .
6.	INCIS/R/E/23/00006	Request rejected	I seek information on Data published on public domain titled Coastal vulnerability Atlas of India for State of Maharashtra. Kindly provide the detailed report on public domain titled	No information was provided due to its rejection

			Coastal vulnerability Atlas of India for State of Maharashtra.	
7.	Transfer from MoES by Post vide MOOCD/R/E/23/00051	Request Disposed	<p>1. Details of employment (regular jobs) provided by your Ministry/Department during Rozgar Mela organized so far. I need this information as per date and place of Rozgar Mela/total number of employment granted (separately for group-A, B,C,D and Safai Karmcharis)</p> <p>2. Please provide total employment among above para-1 granted to SC, ST, OBC, EWS, Minority and Differently Abled candidates</p> <p>3. Please provide total employment among above para-1 granted to woman candidates</p> <p>4. Details of employment (contractual jobs) provided by your Ministry/Department during Rozgar Mela organized so far. I need this information as per date and place of Rozgar Mela/total number of employments granted (separately for group-A, B, C, D and Safai Karmcharis)</p> <p>5. Please provide total employment among above para-4 granted to SC, ST, OBC, EWS, Minority and Differently Abled candidates</p> <p>6. Please provide total employment among above para-4 granted to woman candidates</p> <p>7. Total number of MTS employed among the above para-1 and para-4. Please tell the list male and female separately</p>	INCOIS has not organized Rozgar Mela for any employment. Hence the required information pertains to this public authority is NIL.
8.	Transfer from MoES by Post vide	Request Disposed	<p>1. Name of the ministry / department / PSU</p> <p>2. Duration of the internship program</p>	<p>Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services (INCOIS), Ministry of Earth Sciences, Govt. of India</p> <p>1-3 months</p>

	DOHED/R/E/2 3/04051/1		3. Eligibility criteria (if any), such as minimum academic requirements or specific skills / experience	Students who are enrolled for BE/B. Tech/ME/M. Tech. in civil/electronics & communication/mechanical/computer engineering or Masters in any branch of science or M. Tech in any branch of earth sciences/marine sciences
			4. Application process and deadline	No specific deadline. Applications are received throughout the year. Students will be offered internship if the specific research interest matches with the scientists of INCOIS on first-come-first basis
			5. Stipend or compensation offered to interns	No remuneration is paid to the interns
			6. Possibility of full-time job offer after the internship is completed	Mere completion of internship at INCOIS will not entitle anyone to be absorbed in INCOIS in any regular/temporary positions. INCOIS advertises its vacant positions from time to time with required eligibility criteria and the selection will be based on personal interview/written test only. Interns, if they meet the qualification criteria required for any specific position advertised by INCOIS, they can apply and go through the regular selection process.
			7. Contact information (email address and phone number) of the concerned person or department responsible for handling internship applications	Dr. Francis P. A. Manager, Academic Programs, INCOIS. Email: francis@incois.gov.in Ph: 040-23886032
9.	INCIS/R/E/23/ 00007	Request Transferred to other public Authority	How old Ram Setu according to the carbon dating process.	Transferred to other public Authority (Archaeological Survey of India)
10.	INCIS/R/E/23/ 00008	Request Disposed	1. The Total number of candidates who appeared for the examination of Junior Hindi Translator held on 09.08.2023.	23 No.

			2. The marks obtained by me in the written exam for the Junior Hindi Translator held on 09.08.2023	48.25marks
			3. Kindly share my rank in the above said examination	No ranks were assigned to the examinees and hence no information is available.
			4. The higher marks obtained by any candidate in the above said examination.	Highest marks scored in the said examination is: 80.50.
			5. The selection process for the post of JHT at INCOIS.	The information sought is already available at Sl. No. 24 of the General Conditions of the Advertisement No. INCOIS/RMT/02/2023.
			6. Kindly share my answer sheet of the above said examination.	You may inspect the answer sheet by visiting INCOIS, Hyderabad at a mutually convenient date. The fee for inspection of records is Rs. 5/- per hour. No fee for the first hour. If you would like to have a certified copy of the answer sheet, you may please pay Rs.48/- (24 pages x Rs.2/- per page) towards the same. The fees may be paid either by way of cash against proper receipt or by demand draft or banker's cheque or Indian Postal Order payable to the Director, INCOIS.
			7. Please share the marks obtained by all candidates for the above-mentioned examination.	The information sought by you is categorized as 'personal information' and related to a third party, the disclosure of which has no relationship to any public activity or interest. Hence, the disclosure of such information is exempted under Section 8(1)(j) of the RTI Act.
11.	INCIS/R/E/23/00009	Request Disposed	1. Is there any data/information related to the rate of sea level rise during the period from 01/01/2022 to 16-08-2023 in India? If yes, please provide the month-wise data of the top 6 regions, which have recorded the highest sea level rise in India during the aforementioned period.	There is no such data on record with this office. However, as per the latest MoES climate change assessment report 2020, the rate of north Indian Ocean Sea level rise is 1.06–1.75 mm year ⁻¹ from 1874 to 2004 and is 3.3 mm year ⁻¹ in the recent decades (1993–2015). This office has no information on the data requested by you on sea level rise.

			<p>2. Is there any data/information regarding the projected rate of sea level rise in the coastal region of Kerala, West Bengal, Odisha, and Andhra Pradesh? If yes, Please provide data/information of the projected rate of sea level rise for the next one year from 1st September 2023 to 31st August 2024. If data is not available for the requested period, kindly provide data, for the period available, on projected rate of sea level rise in the coastal region of Kerala, West Bengal, Odisha, and Andhra Pradesh</p>	<p>There is no such data on projected rate of sea level on records with this office. This office has only tide gauge data that can be requested as per data policy and on a chargeable basis. You may please refer to https://incois.gov.in/portal/rti_3.5.2.jsp for more details. The data request form can be obtained from https://incois.gov.in/portal/datainfo/drform.jsp.</p>
12.	INCIS/R/E/23/00010	Request Transferred to Other Public Authority	<p>I would like to know certain information regarding the advertisement published by MoES with the Advt No. MoES/A-12024/1/2023-Estt for recruitment of scientists.</p> <p>1. Kindly provide a breakup of the total number of applications received against each of the posts .</p> <p>2. For the post of Scientist – C (Post code MoES-2023/14) in information technology discipline , kindly provide the category wise breakup of the total number of applications received.</p> <p>3. For the post of Scientist – C (Post code MoESv-2023/14) in information technology discipline , kindly provide the total number of applications received from graduating degree other than computer science.</p>	<p>Transferred to other public Authority (Ministry of Earth Sciences)</p>
13.	INCIS/R/E/23/000011	Request Disposed of	<p>1. Provide the copy of mandatory Disclosure under section 4(a)(b) of right to Information Act 2005 Failure to furnish the above information, you are liable to for the penalties U/s. 20 of the Right to Information 2005 .</p>	<p>Dear Applicant,</p> <p>The required information sought by you is already made available at the web page https://incois.gov.in/portal/rti.jsp and the pdf version of the same is also made available at</p>

			<p>Note : It is requested to you to send the RTI reply by post , because this RTI portal is not working properly due to some technical glitches, thereby getting difficulty for me to download the reply of the RTI Application from the portal.</p>	<p>https://incois.gov.in/documents/RTI/INCOIS-RTI-Suomoto-Disclosure-Details-June2023.pdf</p> <p>If you wish to have a copy of the same by post in printed form, you may seek the same by raising another RTI Application and by paying Rs.112/- (56 pages x Rs.2/- per page) in addition to the RTI application fee.</p>
14.	INCIS/R/E/23/000012	Request Disposed	<p>Please share the following Information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The particulars of the organization, functions and duties. 2. The powers and duties of the officers and employees. 3. The procedure followed in the decision-making process, including channels of supervision and accountability. 4. The Norms set by it for the discharge of its functions. 5. The rules, regulations, instructions Manuals and records, held by it or under its control or used by its employees for discharging its functions. 6. A statement of the categories of Documents that are held by it or under its control. 7. The particulars of any arrangements that exist for consultation with or representation by the members of the public in relation to the formulation of its policy or implementation thereof. 8. A statement of the boards, councils, committees and other bodies consisting of two or more persons constituted as its part or for the purpose of its advice, and as to whether meetings of those boards, councils, committees and other bodies are open to 	<p>The required information sought by you is already made available at the web page https://incois.gov.in/portal/rTI.jsp and the pdf version of the same is also made available at https://incois.gov.in/documents/RTI/INCOIS-RTI-Suomoto-Disclosure-Details-June2023.pdf. As you sought printed copy of the information, the same is being sent by post to the address specified in your RTI Application.</p>

			<p>the public, or the minutes of such meetings are accessible for public.</p> <p>9. A directory of officers and employees.</p> <p>10. The monthly remuneration received by each of the officers and employees, including the system of compensation as provided in its regulations.</p> <p>11. The budget allocated to each of its agencies, indicating the particulars of all plans proposed expenditures and reports on disbursements made.</p> <p>12. The names, designations, and other particulars of the public Information Officers the aforesaid information should be latest i.e. as on 31.08.2023.</p>	
15.	INCIS/R/E/23/00013	Request Disposed	<p>1. What are the recruitment rules for Scientific Assistant – B, Scientist – B and Scientist C?</p>	<p>The approved Recruitment Rules forwarded by the Ministry of Earth Sciences for the posts of Scientific Assistant – B, Scientist – B and Scientist C are enclosed as Annexure -I, II & III (i.e. 9 pages).</p>
			<p>2. What are the recruitment rules for Project Scientific Assistant, Project Scientists-I and Project Scientist II?</p>	<p>Office Memorandum No. SR/S9/Z-05/2019 dated 10.07.2020 & 25.02.2021 (Annexure -IV i.e. 10 pages) of Department of Science and Technology (DST), Ministry of Science & Technology are being followed for recruitment of Project Scientific Assistant, Project Scientists-I and Project Scientist II.</p>
			<p>3. Why are the candidates not eligible for Scientific Assistant B / Project Scientific Assistant if they have the required qualification (i.e. Diploma Engineering / BSc.) and higher qualification?</p>	<p>The question doesn't qualify and/or doesn't lead to any category as specified under the definition of 'information' defined under 2(f) of RTI ACT 2005. For the sake of information and reference for the applicant, the eligibility criteria mentioned in the advertisement along with the relevant content of the "general conditions" specified in each and every advertisement will provide the necessary information sought by the applicant.</p>

			4. When were the recruitment rules for Scientific Assistant B, Scientist B and Scientist C framed?	Recruitment Rules applicable for Scientific Assistant B, Scientist B and Scientist C are implemented w.e.f. October 8, 2012 at INCOIS.																									
			5. Kindly provide soft copy in PDF form about Recruitment Rules for Scientific Assistant B, Scientist B and Scientist C	The relevant extracts of the Recruitment rules for Scientific Assistant B, Scientist B and Scientist C are provided in PDF copy as mentioned at Sl.No.1 above.																									
			6. How many seats are vacant for category wise posts of Group A, Group B and Group C till 01 July 2023?	<p>The following posts are vacant as on 01 July 2023:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Particulars</th> <th>Name of the post</th> <th>No. of Vacant posts</th> <th>Category of the post</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td rowspan="5">Group – A</td> <td>Scientist – F</td> <td>1</td> <td>NA</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Scientist – E</td> <td>1</td> <td>NA</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Scientist – D</td> <td>3</td> <td>NA</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Scientist – C</td> <td>5</td> <td>NA</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Scientist – B</td> <td>1</td> <td>UR</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Group – B</td> <td>Technical Assistant</td> <td>1</td> <td>SC</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Group – C</td> <td colspan="3">There are no Group C posts at INCOIS</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>*NA – Not applicable The above vacant posts were advertised, and recruitment is under process.</p>	Particulars	Name of the post	No. of Vacant posts	Category of the post	Group – A	Scientist – F	1	NA	Scientist – E	1	NA	Scientist – D	3	NA	Scientist – C	5	NA	Scientist – B	1	UR	Group – B	Technical Assistant	1	SC	Group – C
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Group – C	There are no Group C posts at INCOIS																												
16.	Forwarded from MoES by Post vide MOOCD/R/23/00071	Request Disposed	1. Please provide the no. of candidates who joined any autonomous institution under the Department under your Ministry at level 9 and above after taking resignation from any Nationalised Bank (Including SBI and RBI) during the period Nov 2017 – Sep 2023 through Direct Recruitment process.	NIL																									
			2. Please provide the names of such candidates / officers as mentioned in point no.1	Not Applicable																									
			3. Please provide the complete file noting of all candidates at point no.2. Carrying approval of the competent authority for the fixation of their pay in	Not Applicable																									

			<p>the organisation as they came from the Nationalised Bank.</p> <p>4. Please provide a copy of OM/OO which mentions regarding the applicability / endorsement of the OM issued by DoPT-F. No.51212012-Esttt(pay-I) (Vol.III) dated 13.08.2020 in the autonomous body under the dept. under the Ministry. The DoPT OM dated 13.08.2020 subject line is Protection of pay in respect of candidates from PSUs, Universities, autonomous bodies, etc. on their appointment to Central Government posts on Direct Recruitment basis - reg</p>	Not Applicable
17.	Forwarded from MoES by post vide. LD/RTI/1906/P SPL	Request Rejected.	<p>1. Kindly provide me the present status of implementation of above referred order by your Ministry, its Departments, and CPSE s attached to the Ministry as on 1st April 2023 after issue of the said Order.</p> <p>2. Please provide me the contact details of the Nodal Officer looking after implementation of the Make in India Order referred above at Ministry / Concerned Departments and CPSEs .</p> <p>3. Kindly provide me the value of spares and components imported by your Ministry, its Departments and CPSEs for the financial year 2019 – 2020, 2020 – 2021, 2021 – 2022 & 2022 – 2023</p> <p>4. Kindly provide me the list of orders placed with value, Name of Foreign vendors for imported Spares and Components by your Ministry, Its Departments and CPSE s for the financial year 2019 – 2020, 2020 – 2021, 2021 – 2022 & 2022 – 2023. Details of items of spares and components imported may be provided.</p>	The Information sought is already communicated earlier and also made available on our website under the Suo – moto disclosure. As per the CVC guidelines, your RTI application is being rejected under the category of ‘Repetition’.

18.	Transferred from MoES by Post vide. MOOCD/R/E/23/00072	Request Disposed	<p>1. Which sub – departments offices, organizations, Institutions, Committees, Authorities, Commissions, tribunals etc. Units operating under the Ministry / Departments, provide a copy of their formation order along with the details of the present chief Administrative Officer.</p> <p>2. provide copy of the formation order of the Internal complaint Committee constituted as per the provisions of the sexual Harassment of Women at the Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act 2013 in the administrative unit operated as above .</p> <p>3. Provide Details of the efforts made by the administrative unit for public awareness in regard.</p>	No information was provided due to non-payment of prescribed fees towards photocopying.
19.	INCIS/R/E/23/00014	Request Disposed	How many RTI were filed in this Public Authority in the Calendar year 2022.	15 online RTI applications, 07 postal RTI applications and 01 Appeal was filed with this Public Authority either directly or through transfer by another public authority. A copy of this reply is being sent to your registered email for quick supply of information instead of postal.
20.	INCIS/R/E/23/00015	Request Disposed	<p>This has reference to your reply to my RTI application No. INCIS/R/T/22/00005 dated 27/05/2022 transferred by the Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES), New Delhi with reference number MOOCD/R/T/22/00008 to this office through RTI-MIS System wherein you have stated that The employees of INCOIS deputed for the collection of oceanographic data are being paid with Hard Duty Allowance as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Pay Level 7&8 – Rs.800 per day ➤ Pay Level 9 to 11 – Rs.900 per day 	

			<p>The above allowance will be paid in addition to the Accommodation and Travelling Allowance as per their eligibility.</p> <p>In this matter you are requested to kindly provide me the following details:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Kindly provide the rule/guidelines on the basis of which Hard duty allowance is being paid. 	
			<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Kindly also state whether the allowance is being paid to officers posted in Bay of Bengal. 	<p>The guidelines mentioned at point No. E(i) & (vi) of the order issued by Ministry of Finance, Dept. of Expenditure Office Memorandum dated 13th July 2017 specifies the rules on daily allowance while on journey on govt. ship, boards etc. The same is provided as Hard duty allowance at INCOIS. The soft copy of the guidelines sought by you is available at https://doe.gov.in/sites/default/files/TA%20English.pdf. If a printed copy of the same is required you may remit the photocopying fees of Rs.12/- (6 pages x Rs.2/- per page) towards either by way of cash against proper receipt or by demand draft or bankers' cheque or Indian Postal Order payable to the Director, INCOIS.</p> <p>This allowance will be paid to all staff of this Public Authority posted on official tour not only in Bay of Bengal but also on other Indian seas.</p>
21.	INCIS/R/E/23/00016	Request Disposed	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Kindly allow me to inspect the RTI Inward Register for the period from 1 Jan 2022 to 31 Dec 2022. 	<p>With reference to your request for inspection of RTI Inward register for the period from 1 Jan 2022 to 31 Dec 2022, you may visit INCOIS on any of the suitable dates and times given below.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) 22 Nov 2023 at 1500 Hrs (ii) 23 Nov 2023 at 1500 Hrs (iii) 24 Nov 2023 at 1500 Hrs. <p>In case, these dates are not convenient you may let us know by phone or email to the CPIO.</p>

				<p>The Inspection may require you to sign at the security for recording the entry and exit as well as sign the inspection slip/Register for inspection of documents.</p> <p>The contact details of CPIO for confirming the inspection date is as given below.</p> <p>M. Nagaraja Kumar Email: cpio@incois.gov.in Tel: 040-23886031 or 040-23886000 Ext. 6031</p> <p>On 20 Nov 2023, Syed Ahmed visited the Office.</p>
22.	INCIS/R/E/23/00017	Request Disposed	How many RTI were filed in this Public Authority in the Calendar year 2019 (1 Jan 2019 to 1 Dec 2019).	31 RTI applications that includes 04 Appeals were received by this Public Authority either directly or through transfer by another public authority.
23.	INCIS/R/T/23/00004	Request Disposed	1. Details of consultants working in your Ministry/Department and all other offices, PSUs, schemes and projects under it. I need this information as per any format of your convenience. You may provide it in the format in which you maintain it, containing following information---	
			Name of Minister/Department/Organisation, etc---	
			A. Young Professionals/total number/approximate emoluments.	NIL
			B. Professionals/total number/approximate emoluments	NIL
			C. Domain Experts/total number/approximate emoluments.	NIL
D. Retired Govt servants Section Officer level/total number/approximate emoluments.	NIL			

			E. Retired government servants US level/total number / approximate emoluments.	NIL
			F. Retired government servants DS-Dir level/total number/approximate emoluments.	NIL
			G. Retired govt servants JS and above level/total number/approximate emoluments.	2 No. Rs.1,00,000(approx.)
			H. Housekeeping staff/total number/approximate emoluments.	NIL
			I. Data entry operator/total number/approximate emoluments.	NIL
			J. MTS/total number/approximate emoluments.	NIL
			K. Others (details)/total number/approximate emoluments.	2 No. Rs.1,00,000(approx.)
			2. On October 03, 2023, in the hon'ble Supreme Court in the matter of government advocate has said that reservation is being given to SC/ST/OBC in the government where the job is for more than 45 days. In that light, you may please provide the total number of persons working from SC/ST/OBC/EWS category for each of the posts from A to K above.	NIL. (As per the reservations applicable for Scientific and Technical posts (as per O.M. No. 9/2/73-Estt(SCT) dated 23..06.1975) and applicable for temporary posts (as per O.M. No. 36036/3/2018 -Estt. (Res) dated 15.05.2018))
			3. A copy of letter/s written by your ministry/department/office in response to Official Memorandums dated October 4, 2023, received from the Department of Expenditure regarding engagement of consultants.	Not applicable
			4. Details of Consultants presently engaged from bilateral and multilateral partners in your Ministry/Department and all other offices, PSUs,	NIL

			<p>schemes and projects under it. I need this list as per Name of Consultant/name of bilateral or multilateral partner /remuneration/date of first engagement /dates of extensions/present tenure/work assigned.</p>	
			<p>5. Details of all work assigned by your Ministry/Department and all other offices, PSUs, schemes and projects under it to Price Waterhouse Coopers, Ernst and Young, Deloitte, KPMG and McKinsey since April 1, 2020. I need this information along with the Name of firm/work assigned/date of agreement/total money to be paid/date of completion if completed or expected date of completion.</p>	NIL
			<p>6. Any other relevant information</p>	NIL
24.	SN – 2000/510	Request Disposed	<p>1. Contracts worth more than 50 crores above of your zone, since last 5 years</p> <p>a) Name of the contact with full details</p> <p>b) Contractor company address, name and mobile number</p> <p>c) Remarks on the contracting work</p> <p>d) Specific complaints</p>	NIL
25.	INCIS/R/E/23/00018	Request Transferred to other public Authority	<p>1. Please provide the details on the EBSAs listed in the Convention on Biological Diversity database within Indian territorial waters and EEZ including their names, geographical coordinates, and ecological significance.</p> <p>2. Kindly furnish copies of the existing management plans and frameworks, if any developed for each identified EBSA. Include details on conservation measures, sustainable</p>	Transferred to other public Authority (Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change)

			<p>management practices, and any relevant guidelines in place</p> <p>3. Include Information on any stakeholder consultations, public participation, or involvement of local communities in the formulation or revision of management plans for these EBSAs provide the relevant documents recording such consultation.</p> <p>4. what specific agencies or bodies are responsible for overseeing the implementation of these management plans in ESBAs?</p> <p>5. How is the management of EBSAs different from the management of other marine and coastal ecosystems in India?</p> <p>6. For what Activities is extracting resources from ESBAs permitted? Are there any permitted methods for extracting marine resources ESBAs? If so, please provide details about the regulation and limitations in place.</p> <p>7. Please identify the major threats faced by the identified EBSAs in India, including Anthropogenic activities and natural phenomena.</p> <p>8. what specific measures are being taken to address these threats and ensure long term conservation of EBSAs?</p> <p>9. How is the effectiveness of current management plans and conservation efforts being monitored and evaluated for each EBSAs?</p>	
26.	INCIS/R/T/23/00005	Request Disposed	Please provide the following information in r/o following critical habitats ie Gulf of Mannar (GoM), Gulf of Kachchh, Lakshadweep Islands, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Malvan and	

			Sundarbans, Pichavaram, Coringa, Karwar Island, Gahirmatha and Cochin backwaters -	
			1. Kindly provide a progress report on R&D programme on Marine Living Resources by Centre for Marine Living Resources and Ecology (CMLRE) in Lakshadweep Islands Gulf of Mannar (GoM), Gulf of Kachchh, Lakshadweep Islands, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Malvan and Sundarbans, Pichavaram, Coringa, Karwar Island, Gahirmatha and Cochin backwaters. Share information on methods used for engagement with Local fisher community and adoption of their traditional ecological knowledge for conservation of marine biodiversity.	NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority. The concerned public authority is Centre for Marine Living Resources and Ecology (CMLRE), Kochi
			2. Kindly share details and data on outcomes of the above-mentioned R&D programme on Marine Living Resources by CMLRE on the marine living resource of Lakshadweep and above mentioned habitats.	NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority. The concerned public authority is Centre for Marine Living Resources and Ecology (CMLRE), Kochi
			3. Please share a list of other such community-participation programmes for conservation of Marine Living Resources initiated in all critical habitats. Kindly include the name and details of local community involved in each critical habitat.	NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority. The concerned public authority is Centre for Marine Living Resources and Ecology (CMLRE), Kochi
			4. Please share a progress report of such community-participation programmes for conservation of Marine Living Resources initiated in all critical habitats ie Gulf of Mannar (GoM), Gulf of Kachchh, Lakshadweep Islands, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Malvan and Sundarbans, Pichavaram, Coringa, Karwar Island, Gahirmatha and Cochin backwaters.	NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority. The concerned public authority is Centre for Marine Living Resources and Ecology (CMLRE), Kochi

			<p>5. Details of scientific tools and techniques developed for the management of coastal critical habitats like Mangroves, Coral reefs and turtle nesting grounds and had developed GIS based critical habitat information system for 11 critical habitats along the Indian coast as named above during the 10th and 11th plan period.</p>	<p>NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority.</p> <p>The probable public authority is National Centre for Coastal Research (NCCR), Chennai</p>
			<p>6.Details of following: a) Monitoring coastal water, sediment and microbiological parameters at monthly intervals.</p>	<p>NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority.</p> <p>The probable public authority is National Centre for Coastal Research (NCCR), Chennai</p>
			<p>b) .Event-based studies on algal blooms, coastal foaming, oil spill, mass fish kill, effects of flooding and heavy rainfall on water quality.</p>	<p>This public authority only monitors the algal blooms using remote sensing techniques and provides the Oil spill trajectory prediction. The related information about algal blooms pertaining to this Public Authority is available at https://incois.gov.in/portal/hab.jsp.</p> <p>The information related to oil spill dealt by this public authority is available at https://incois.gov.in/portal/osf/osa.jsp</p> <p>Other information sought by the applicant is not available with this Public Authority and most probable public authority is National Centre for Coastal Research (NCCR), Chennai.</p>
			<p>c) Installation of sensor based buoy for the coastal water quality monitoring</p>	<p>This public authority has installed two buoys for monitoring of water quality. The details dealt by this public authority is available at https://incois.gov.in/portal/wqns/water_quality.jsp</p>
			<p>d) High resolution eco-hydrodynamic water quality model for Chennai, Puducherry coast.</p>	<p>NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority.</p>

				The probable public authority is National Centre for Coastal Research (NCCR), Chennai
			e) Water quality forecast for Chennai and Puducherry coastal waters.	NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority. The probable public authority is National Centre for Coastal Research (NCCR), Chennai
			f) Provide forecast of SST, salinity, DO, BOD and E.coli for Chennai coast.	This public authority provides only regional forecast of SST for Bay of Bengal and the same is available at https://incois.gov.in/portal/osf/osfRegional.jsp?region=regional&area=bay_of_bengal&param=sst This public authority has no information on forecast of SST, Salinity, DO, BOD and E.coli for Chennai Coast.
			g) Development of Mobile App Clean coast for a coastal WQ information system for stakeholders and the public.	NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority. The probable public authority is National Centre for Coastal Research (NCCR), Chennai
			h) A web-based Information service system for water quality and beach ratings	The information pertaining to this public authority is provided at Sl.No.6(c) above. No information available with this public authority about beach ratings.
27.	INCIS/R/E/24/00001	Request Disposed	1.A baseline maps on coral eco morphology for the Indian Reefs in respect of all the areas in India incl follg critical habitats ie Gulf of Mannar (GoM), Gulf of Kachchh, Lakshadweep Islands, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Malvan and Sundarbans, Pichavaram, Coringa, Karwar Island, Gahirmatha and Cochin backwaters -	This public authority was involved in the R&D work with regard to Coral eco-morphological mapping and the maps pertaining to Andaman & Nicobar, Gulf of Kutch, Gulf of Mannar and Malvan areas were submitted to Space Applications Centre (SAC), as part of the project deliverable. Hence, this public authority has no records for providing to the applicant.

				Hence, the applicant may seek the necessary information from other public authority i.e. Space Applications Centre (SAC), Ahmedabad.
			1. Kindly provide a progress report on R&D programme on Marine Living Resources by your institution in Lakshadweep Islands Gulf of Mannar (GoM), Gulf of Kachchh, Lakshadweep Islands, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Malvan and Sundarbans, Pichavaram, Coringa, Karwar Island, Gahirmatha and Cochin backwaters. Share information on methods used for engagement with Local fisher community and adoption of their traditional ecological knowledge for conservation of marine biodiversity.	NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority. The concerned public authority is Centre for Marine Living Resources and Ecology (CMLRE), Kochi
			2. Kindly share details and data on outcomes of the above-mentioned R&D programme on Marine Living Resources by compete on the marine living resource of Lakshadweep and above-mentioned habitats incl coral reefs.	NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority. The concerned public authority is Centre for Marine Living Resources and Ecology (CMLRE), Kochi
			3. Please share a list of other such community-participation programmes for conservation of Marine Living Resources and coral reefs initiated in all critical habitats. Kindly include the name and details of local community involved in each critical habitat.	NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority. The concerned public authority is the Centre for Marine Living Resources and Ecology (CMLRE), Kochi. No Information is available with this public authority with regard to the community participation programmes for conservation of Coral reefs
			4. Please share a progress report of such community-participation programmes for conservation of Marine Living Resources and coral	NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority.

			reefs initiated in all critical habitats ie Gulf of Mannar (GoM), Gulf of Kachchh, Lakshadweep Islands, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Malvan and Sundarbans, Pichavaram, Coringa, Karwar Island, Gahirmatha and Cochin backwaters.	<p>The concerned public authority is the Centre for Marine Living Resources and Ecology (CMLRE), Kochi.</p> <p>No Information is available with this public authority with regard to the community participation programmes for conservation of Coral reefs</p>
			5. Details of scientific tools and techniques developed for the management of coastal critical habitats like Mangroves, Coral reefs and turtle nesting grounds and had developed GIS based critical habitat information system for 11 critical habitats along the Indian coast as named above during the 10th and 11th plan period.	<p>NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority.</p> <p>The probable public authority is National Centre for Coastal Research (NCCR), Chennai</p>
			6. Details of following : a) Monitoring coastal water, sediment and microbiological parameters at monthly intervals on coral reefs in India.	<p>NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority.</p> <p>The probable public authority is National Centre for Coastal Research (NCCR), Chennai.</p>
			b) Event-based studies on effects of algal blooms, coastal foaming, oil spill, mass fish kill, effects of flooding and heavy rainfall on coral reefs.	<p>This public authority only monitors the algal blooms using remote sensing techniques and provides the Oil spill trajectory prediction. The related information about algal blooms pertaining to this Public Authority is available at https://incois.gov.in/portal/hab.jsp.</p> <p>The information related to oil spill dealt by this public authority is available at https://incois.gov.in/portal/osf/osa.jsp</p> <p>Other information sought by the applicant is not available with this Public Authority and the most probable public authority is National Centre for Coastal</p>

				Research (NCCR), Chennai. Also, no information is available with this public authority on the effects of mentioned phenomena on Coral reefs.
			c) Installation of sensor-based buoy for the coastal reef monitoring	No information is available with this public authority as no such installation was made by this Public Authority.
			d)	No information sought under sl.no. 6(d)
			e) Management of Coral environment, SOPs and Guidelines on early warning on coral bleaching.	<p>The details about the Coral Reef Mapping and Reef Health Monitoring activity carried out by this public authority is already made available at https://incois.gov.in/portal/CoralReef.jsp.</p> <p>The concerned details on SOPs, guidelines on early warning on coral bleaching were also made available at https://incois.gov.in/portal/coralwarning and vide the documentation at https://incois.gov.in/portal/images/Coral%20Bleaching%20Alert%20System%20technical%20document.pdf</p>
			f) Provide forecast of SST, salinity, DO, BOD and E.coli for all coastal regions where coral reefs are located.	<p>This public authority provides only regional forecast of SST for Bay of Bengal and Arabian Sea and the same is available at the following links https://incois.gov.in/portal/osf/osfRegional.jsp?region=regional&area=bay_of_bengal&param=sst and https://incois.gov.in/portal/osf/osfRegional.jsp?region=regional&area=arabian_sea&param=sst respectively.</p> <p>This public authority has no information on forecast of SST, Salinity, DO, BOD and E.coli specifically for all coastal regions where coral reefs are located</p>
			g) Development of Mobile App Clean coast for a coastal WQ information	NOT APPLICABLE to this Public Authority.

			system for stakeholders and the public to preserve coral reefs.	The probable public authority is the National Centre for Coastal Research (NCCR), Chennai.
			h) A web-based Information service system for water quality on coral reefs.	The information pertaining to this public authority is provided at Sl.No.6(e) above. No information available with this public authority about beach ratings.
28.	Transfer from MoES by post vide MoES/29/71/2023- RTI by Post vide. SN-2000/713	Request Disposed	Contracts worth more than 50 crores above of your zone, since last 5 years e) Name of the contact with full details f) Contractor company address, name and mobile number g) Remarks on the contracting work h) Specific complaints	The information pertaining to (a), (b), (c) & (d) are provided in the attached annexure (can be accessed at Annexure of RTI Postal Application No. MoES29712023-RTI dtd. 04122023.pdf) I. The name and mobile number falls under the category of 'personal information' and hence they are rejected under section 8(1)(j) of RTI Act.
29.	INCIS/R/E/24/00002	Request disposed	1. State the name and address of the Central public information Officer for Indian National Centre for Ocean information Services. 2. State the name and address of the First Appellate Authority for Indian National Centre for Ocean information Services. 3. State the name and address of the second Appellate Authority for Indian National Centre for Ocean information Services.	I would like to inform you that the document entitled Family Card in Tamil language does not state your eligibility to claim RTI Fees exemption under BPL Category. Hence, due to lack of proof towards the same, your application is not considered as a valid application under RTI Act. As you have sought the information that is already made available to the public under section 4, I would like to inform you that you can access the required information from our webpage at https://incois.gov.in/portal/rti2005_15 . It may also be noted that the Second Appellate authority for all central government departments is Central Information Commission (CIC).
30.	INCIS/R/T/24/00001	Request disposed	Q1- In India, formally at Government of India or equivalent level of formal Govt Unit - is there any	The real-time satellite data related to oceans is being provided by this Public Authority and the data is

			data from satellites and ground stations to provide insight into fisheries yields in India where raw data is accessible fully to India (Govt Unit or authorized agency)?	accessible in near real time to all the users at https://incois.gov.in/portal/ChloroGIN .
			Q2 -In India, formally at Government of India or equivalent level of formal Govt Unit - that provide environmental changes, and provides fisheries trend analysis, publishing a bulletin multiple times a year on global fisheries trend?	This public authority provides information related to the state of the ocean as well as Sea Surface Temperature and Chlorophyll related information and has no information on its records regarding the fisheries trend analysis and associated bulletins. The data pertaining to various environmental parameters measured or being measured and that are made available for public access can be seen and accessed from INCOIS website under Data & Information -> Data Holdings webpage. This public authority has no information on its records with regard to other information sought by the applicant. The probable public authority may be ICAR-Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute (CMFRI).
			Q3 -CropWatch is a partner of the Group on Earth Observations Global Agricultural Monitoring Initiative (GEOGLAM), which was mandated by the Group of Twenty agricultural ministers in 2011. Is Fisheries included in this GEOGLAM or any equivalent of this for Fisheries part? Where access to raw data of Fisheries yield as collected by GEOGLAM or equivalent is available to India.	This public authority has no information on records and unaware of the probable public authority dealing with the subject matter.
			Q4. For Fisheries sector in India (in any state of India) has there been any example of carbon credit financing or Green Agri Financing? If yes, Pl provide details at summary level.	This public authority has no information on records and is unaware of the probable public authority dealing with the subject matter.
31.	INCIS/R/E/24/00003	Request disposed	Kindly provide document or information that contains the mean monthly sea surface water	It is hereby informed that this office does not possess any such record that provides the information sought by you.

			temperature of Bay of Bengal and Andaman Sea Since 1900	<p>The information sought by you need to be computed after proper data collection and analysis and of the nature of a research or project work.</p> <p>As per DoPT OM No.1/18/2011-IR dated 16.09.2011 the public information officer is not required to generate or interpret information under RTI Act.</p>
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