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Letter No- ADR04/RTI/ACIT-National Parties/01

Date- 07/11/2012

Asst. Commissioner of Income Tax
Circle – 31(1), Room No. 376A
C.R. Building, I.P. Estate
New Delhi - 110002

Dear Sir,

Sub: Application for Information under Section 6(1) of the *Right to Information Act, 2005* regarding Income Tax returns of political parties

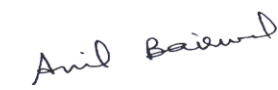
Kindly provide information on the following

1. Whether the six National political parties listed below have filed their complete Income Tax Returns for assessment year 2012-2013?
 - a. **Indian National Congress (INC)**
 - b. **Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)**
 - c. **Communist Party of India (CPI)**
 - d. **Communist Party of India (Marxist) (CPI(M))**
 - e. **Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP)**
 - f. **Nationalist Congress Party (NCP)**
2. Have all the parties submitted their returns in the latest format prescribed by the ECI based on the ICAI recommendations? If not, kindly specify the name of the party which has not filed according to the said norms.
3. What is the last date for filing of Income Tax Returns for assessment year 2012-2013 for the political parties?
4. If the ITRs are available for the above mentioned parties, kindly provide the full Income Tax Returns containing the following documents for the above mentioned assessment year:
 - a. Income & Expenditure account
 - b. Balance Sheet
 - c. Cash flow Statement
 - d. Auditors Report
 - e. Schedules
 - f. Contribution Report
 - g. Copy of Assessment Order
5. If No, whether any notice has been sent or any action taken against any of the six National Parties for not filing the Income Tax Returns before the last date of filing? Kindly provide a copy of the same.

I have attached a postal order for Rs 10/- (bearing number: 05F 372398) towards payment of application fees as prescribed. Kindly intimate me the additional fees payable, if any. I would like to receive the aforesaid information by registered post on my office address given below.

Enclosure: - Order of CIC

Yours sincerely,



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Dated: 13/12/2012

To

Shri Anil Bairwal,
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New Delhi – 110 016.

Sir,

Subject: Application for information under Section 6(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 - Order u/s 7(1) of the RTI Act – reg.

Please refer to your RTI application dated 7/11/2012 received in this office on 14.11.2012. The pointwise reply is as follows:

1. The following parties out of the given list in the application, have filed their ITRs for the AY 2012-13:
 - a. Communist Party of India (CPI)
 - b. Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP)
 2. Both the above parties have filed their returns for the AY 2012-13 as per Income Tax Rules 1962/Income Tax Act, 1961.
 3. Regarding the limitation for filing Income Tax Returns for the AY 2012-13, please refer to Section 139(1)/139(4) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.
 4. The ITRs of parties as mentioned below are ready for dispatched. Please make a payment of Rs. 98/- (total pages 49*Rs. 2 per page) as photocopy charges within seven days from the date of receipt of this letter.
 5. No notice has been sent to the assessee in r/o AY 2012-13 in view of provision of Section 139(1)/139(4) of the Income Tax Act, 1961.
2. In case you are not satisfied with the above order passed by the under signed, you may file appeal before the first appellate authority, who in your case is Joint Commissioner of Income-tax, Range-31, New Delhi.

Yours sincerely,



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