Letter No: ADR04/RTI/ITO-DefaultParty/01

Date: 17/12/2012

To
The Director of Income Tax (Exemption)
10B, Middleton Road
6<sup>th</sup> Floor,
Kolkata – 700 071

Dear Sir

Sub: Application for Information under Section 6(1) of the *Right to Information Act, 2005* regarding exemption of Tax for Defaulting Political Parties

Kindly provide information on the following with respect to the tax exemption provided to defaulting political parties

## 1. Have the below mentioned political parties received tax exemption for any Financial year from the FY 2002-03 to FY 2012-13?

Andaman Nicobar Vikas Congress	Jana Unnaiyan Mancha	Ministerial System Abolition Party	Kamtapur Progressive Party	Sikkim Democratic Front
Swaraj Dal	Paschim Banga Rajya Muslim Leauge	Rastriya Ahinsa Manch	Youth Brigade	Sikkim Himalia Rajya Prarishad Party
All India Trinamool Congress	Paschim Banga Ganatantrik Mancha	Samajtanric Party of India	Nirjatito Samaj Biplabi Party	Sikkim Janashkti Party
Indian National Labour Party	Socialist Unity Centre of India (Communist)	All India Tafsili United Party	Prabuddhs Bharat Party	Sikkim Janekta Party
Revolutionary Communist Party of India (Rashik Bhatt)	West Bengal Pragatishil Indira Congress	People's Democratic Conference of India	Jharkhand Anusilon Party	Sikkim National Liberation Front
Revolutionary Socialist Party	West Bengal Pragatishil Indira Congress	The Religion of Man Revolving Political Party of India	Forward Block (Socialist)	Sikkim Sangram Parishad
Revolutionary Socialist Party (Central)	All India Christian Democratic and Bankward People Party	All India Homeless People Congress	Gorkha National Liberation Front	Bharateeya Janashakti Parishad
All India Mahila Raj Party	Amra Bangalee	Ambedkarbadi Party	Gorkha Janamukti Morcha	Akhill Bharatiya Gorkha League
Democratic Socialist Party (Probodh Chndra)	Bharateeya Manavadhikar Party	Party for Democratic Socialism	Kamtapur Progressive Party	Rastriya Janasachetan Party
Indian People's Forward Block	Loksena			

- 2. If yes, kindly provide the name of the party and the Financial year(s) for which exemption was given
- 3. Has any action been taken/ notice issued to the above mentioned parties regarding filing of their Income Tax returns? If so, kindly provide a copy of the notice and all such communication with these parties.

I have attached a postal order for Rs 10/- (bearing number: 08F 713774) 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:

- Proforma for reporting the Defaulting Political Parties: as provided by CBDT to ECI
- Details provided by the Political Parties in Form 24A to the ECI

Yours sincerely,

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