



पावर ग्रिड कोर्पोरेशन ऑफ इंडिया लिमिटेड
Power Grid Corporation of India Limited
सूचना का अधिकार अभिनियम 2005 के अंतर्गत केन्द्रीय लोक सूचना अधिकारी
Central Public Information Officer under the RTI Act, 2005
केन्द्रीय कार्यालय, 'सौदामिनी', प्लॉट नं.2, सेक्टर-29, गुडगांव, हरियाणा-122007
Corporate Centre, 'Saudamini', Plot No. 2, Sector-29, Gurgaon, Haryana-122007



CP/RTI/2015/224

Date: 5th January, 2016

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Sub: **Information under Right to Information Act, 2005 (Application No.-224
Application date 05.12.2015.)**

Dear Mr. Deshmukh,

This has reference to your online request dated 5th December, 2015 seeking information under RTI Act, 2005.

The information sought is attached at **Annex-I**.

First Appeal, if any, against the reply of CPIO may be made to the first appellate Authority within 30 days of the receipt of the reply of CPIO. Details of Appellate Authority at Corporate Centre, Gurgaon, under RTI Act, 2005 is as below:

Shri B. Mishra
Executive Director (CP & IT) & Appellate Authority
Corporate Centre, Power Grid Corporation of India Limited
"Saudamini", Plot No. 2, Sector-29 Gurgaon – 122007, Haryana.
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Thanking you,

भवदीय,

सतीश, 5.1.16
(सतीश कुमार जे.)

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Reply to RTI enquiry letter dtd 10.12.2015

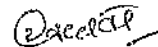
Information sought:

Policy of your ministry/Department Regarding Recognition of Accreditation services provided by NABL (National Accreditation Board For Testing & Calibration Laboratories)

1. Please refer Paragraph No. 1 of attached RTI Reply received from Government of India, Department of Science & Technology (Autonomous Institutions Division) RTI No. AI/14/02/RTI/2015 (Part) Dated 5th November 2015 – The Department of Science & Technology clearly puts under record that quote: in so far as Autonomous Institutions Division of Department of Science & Technology is concerned, available records do not reveal that any such instruction has been issued by this division to the effect that NABL is the sole accreditation body authorized by the Government of India for Testing and Calibration Laboratories, Unquote.
2. Please clarify if the policy of your Ministry/Department is in line with policy of Government of India, Department of Science & Technology (Autonomous Institutions Division) RTI No. AI/14/02/RTI/2015 (Part) Dated 5th November 2015.
3. Please clarify if the policy of your Ministry/Department is not in line with the policy of Government of India, Department of Science & Technology (Autonomous Institutions Division) RTI No. AI/14/02/RTI/ 2015 (Part) Dated 5th November 2015. Then what is the policy of your Ministry/Department and what is the reason for having different policy.
4. Any other information related to the issues raised above.

Reply:

As per prevailing practices at POWERGRID, any accreditation body, which operates in accordance with the requirements of ISO/IEC 17011 having full membership & MRA of ILAC/APLAC and also accredits laboratories as per ISO/IEC-17025, is acceptable.



(RAJESH WADHWA)
DGM(QA&I)