

RTI REQUEST DETAILS

Registration No. :	PGCIL/R/E/21/00304	Date of Receipt :	21/07/2021
Type of Receipt :	Online Receipt	Language of Request :	English
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Is Requester Below Poverty Line ? :	No	Citizenship Status	Indian
Amount Paid :	10)	Mode of Payment	Payment Gateway
Does it concern the life or Liberty of a Person ? :	No(Normal)	Request Pertains to :	
Information Sought :	<p>Respected Jasbeer Singh Sahab,</p> <p>I requested some information previously on the kinds of arrangements that PGCIL has for ensuring that the bandwidth it leases out is used only by the licensed players.</p> <p>I received the reply in time and the information was very helpful. The illegal operations in the ISP business sphere are posing serious policy challenges to the department and are a source of hitherto unknown revenue loss too. The information shared with me by PGCIL shall help me design the right kind of policy suggestion.</p> <p>In continuance of the same I humbly request for following information:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A sample copy of the undertaking which PGCIL obtains from the prospective customers before leasing bandwidth. Sample may be kindly provided for the customer who declared the usage as commercial. I appreciate that Under Section 8 this may or may not fall under the category of third party information. I have already explained my public purpose. If the third party objects, then the CPIO will surely take his call. I should share that bandwidth diagrams of who has got bandwidth from whom are already in public domain at the hurricane site. However, in case an actual sample may not be provided then an empty undertaking form may be shared with me please. 2. PGCIL has informed that it monitors unauthorised usage through interaction with other ISPs. I wish to be informed about the structure of the interactions. If the interactions occur in the form of periodic meetings, I may be provided minutes of one such meeting. If the interactions are informal telephonic call, I may be kindly confirmed so. <p>2. So far there has been only one incident since PGCIL got the license</p>		

from DoT, when PGCIL withdrew bandwidth from a customer because it was detected to be a non licensed player OR because it was found to be sub leasing bandwidth to non licensed player. I do not have information as to which of the two was the reason. The reason may be informed to me together with a copy of the bandwidth withdrawal order/bandwidth agreement termination letter or whatever communication PGCIL used to intimate to the customer the decision and the reason for the withdrawal of bandwidth.

3. I may also be informed how this one incident was detected. If the detection was through the interaction with the ISPs , I may be provided minutes of this interaction. If the detection was through a written complaint, I may be kindly provided a copy of the complaint.

4. When PGCIL detected the said one incident of unauthorised use, it withdrew the bandwidth (vide Point 2 above) like a responsible licensee. However the particular user may have been running business unauthorisedly for the considerable period of time. For the earnings of the period, it owes License fee to the department. In this context I may be informed whether PGCIL intimated the incident to DoT. If yes, a copy of the intimation letter may be provided. If no, reasons thereof may be shared please.