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No.RTI-52/11 8302 /CS(I&PR)
Bhubaneswar, dated the 11th July, 2011

To

All Principal Secretaries/
Commissioner-cum-Secretaries/
Special Secretaries.

**Sub: Compliance to mandatory provisions under Section-4(1)
(a),(b),(c) & (d) and 4(2),(3) & (4) of the RTI Act, 2005.**

Madam/Sir,

It is observed that despite several instructions, some of the Public Authorities are yet to fully comply with the provisions as contained in the Section-4 of the RTI Act, 2005. As a result, cases are being filed before the Orissa Information Commission and Hon'ble High Court of Orissa owing to alleged non-compliance of statutory obligations.

2. The Process of compliance to Section-4 of the aforementioned Act, inter alia, covers Proactive Disclosure and dissemination of these information in a single network for which the intervention of Information Technology is quite essential.

3. As you are aware, while implementing quasi-judicial order of Orissa Information Commission, the Govt. of Orissa in the Nodal Department of Information & Public Relations has put in place the RTI Central Monitoring Mechanism available at www.rtorissa.gov.in.

4. This Mechanism offers the facility for compliance to all mandatory provisions as contained in the Section-4(1)(a),(b),(c) & (d) and 4(2),(3) & (4) of the RTI Act, 2005.

5. The expenditure incurred for this purpose has to be borne by respective Public Authorities.

6. You are, therefore, instructed to review the progress in respect of all Public Authorities under your administrative control on priority basis and report back to the Nodal Department for kind information of Orissa Information Commission.


Yours faithfully,


**Chief Secretary,
Orissa**

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Date.....11.7.11

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Principal Secretary to Govt.
& Nodal Officer, RTI

Memo No.....8304

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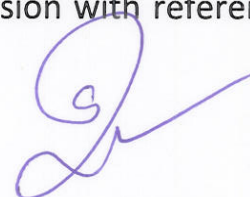


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Copy forwarded to the Secretary to State Commission, Orissa Information Commission, B-1, Toshali Bhawan, Satya Nagar, Bhubaneswar for kind information of Hon'ble Orissa Information Commission with reference to their Letter No.8446 dated 13th April 2011.



Principal Secretary to Govt.
& Nodal Officer, RTI