No. 9-20/2009-RTI
Government of India
Ministry of Communications & I. T.
Department of Telecommunications
(RTI Section)

Sanchar Bhavan, 20, Ashoka Road,
New Delhi-110001

Dated: 21st June, 2010

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Two days Workshop on Right to Information Act, 2005 from 5th to 6th July, 2010 for Central Public Information Officers.

The undersigned is directed to circulate herewith a copy of ISTM, (DOP&T)’s letter No. A. 33092/2/2010-ISTM(RTI) dated 05.05.2010 alongwith the enclosures on the subject mentioned above for information and further necessary action.

2. Interested officers may after completing necessary formalities as desired in the circular apply directly through their respective Cadre Controlling Authorities.

(S.M.D. Chawla)
Under Secretary(C&A) & APIO

Encl: As above.

1. All CPIOs of Department of Telecom, Sanchar Bhavan.

2. CPIOs of BSNL/MTNL/ITI/TCIL/TEC/C-DoT/TRAJ/TRA/SAT/WMO
Dated: 05th May, 2010

1. All Central Ministries/Departments
2. Head of the Departments, All Attached/Subordinate Offices

Sub: Two days Workshop on Right to Information Act - 2005 from 05th to 06th July, 2010 for Central Public Information Officers

Sir,

The Institute of Secretariat Training and Management will be conducting a two days "Workshop on Right to Information Act - 2005 from 05th to 06th July, 2010 for Central Public Information Officers.

2. The aim of the Workshop is to equip the participants with knowledge and skills to handle the job of CPIOs and help the Ministries/Departments/Organizations in implementing the provisions of the Right to Information Act 2005.

3. Details about the Workshop, eligibility criteria etc. is available at the Course Information Sheet, appended as Annexure-I. The Nomination Form for applying to this course is at Annexure-II. It is requested that nomination of eligible and interested candidates may please be forwarded to the undersigned, latest by 04 June, 2010 positively.

3. Only such candidates, whose nominations are accepted for the Workshop by Institute of Secretariat Training & Management, would be allowed to join the course. It is, therefore, reiterated that nominees should be relieved only after receipt of acceptance letter from the Institute.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

(PARTH VASANIYA)
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR & COURSE COORDINATOR
# WORKSHOP INFORMATION SHEET

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<td><strong>COURSE CODE:</strong></td>
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<td><strong>DURATION:</strong></td>
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<td>Central Public Information Officers designated by the Ministries / Departments / Organizations under the Right to Information Act.</td>
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### OBJECTIVE OF THE COURSE:
- Describe the purpose and concept of Right to Information
- Explain the salient features of Act and possible implications
- Describe the process of seeking and providing information
- List exemptions prescribed
- Explain procedure of appeals and penalties imposable by Information Commission
- Describe Responsibilities of Public Authorities
- Explain strategy for operationalizing Right to Information

### TRAINING METHODOLOGY
- Phase - I : Distance Learning *(will be sent before commencement of the workshop along with acceptance letter.)*
- Phase - II : Workshop
- Phase - III : Implementation of Action Plan *(After the workshop)*

### COURSE FEE:
There is no course fee for officers working in Central Govt. including Attached and subordinate offices.

### HOSTEL FACILITIES:
ISTM has a modest hostel facility where both AC and Non-AC rooms are available on “first-come-first-served basis.” The charges for AC rooms are different than that of the Non AC rooms. For details relating to the tariff and availability of accommodation at the ISTM Hostel, the participants may contact the Caretaker or Hostel Warden at Tele Fax No. 011-26172571

### LAST DATE FOR RECEIVING NOMINATION FORM
04th JUNE, 2010

### TO WHOM THE NOMINATION FORM IS TO BE SENT
Sh. Parth Vasaniya, Assistant Director, ISTM. Administrative Block, JNU(Old) Campus, New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi -110067. 
Tel. No. 26185311 Tele Fax: 26104183
E-mail: pv.istm@yahoo.co.uk
**NOMINATION FORM**  
WORKSHOP ON RIGHT TO INFORMATION FOR CPIOs  
FROM 05th - 06th JULY, 2010 AT ISTM  

**NOMINEE'S INFORMATION**

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ANNEXURE-II
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NOMINATION FORM

WORKSHOP ON RIGHT TO INFORMATION FOR CPIOs
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SPONSORING AUTHORITY'S CONFIRMATION

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Certified that the given particulars are correct, the nomination is made after ascertaining the training needs of the nominee, and if selected the nominee will be relieved on full time basis for the programme

Signature & Seal of Sponsoring Authority

DATE: 