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NATIONAL BOARD OF ACCREDITATION

4th Floor, East Tower, NBCC Place, Bhisham Pitamah Marg, Pragati Vihar, Lodhi Road, New Delhi 110003



F.No. NBA/RTI/2022/06

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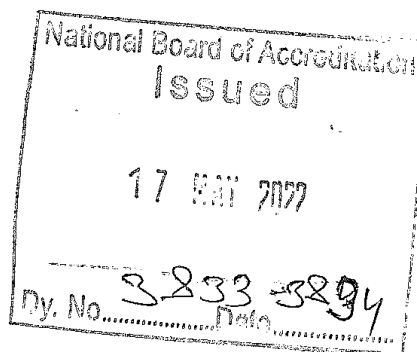
To

Shri Shashwat Dixit

Flat No. 106, Tower B4,
Global Heights Apartment, Sector 33,
Sohna, Gurgaon,
Haryana-122103

Sub: Information required under RTI Act 2005.

Sir,



This is reference to your online RTI application Registration No. DOHED/R/E/22/02316 dated 19/04/2022 transferred to this office from Dy. Director (Science) & CPIO, Ministry of Education, Department of Higher Education, Technical Section-II, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001 under section 6(3) of the RTI Act 2005 vide Letter No. F.No.18-1/2022-TS-II dated 21/04/2022. The above-mentioned letter was received in NBA on 27/04/2022.

The information related to this Public Authority is given below:

Sl. No.	Information sought	Reply
Q. 1.	Will patents be considered by accreditation bodies if instead of individuals by merely paying an amount, and enjoy benefits from accreditation bodies?	The Public Information Officer is not required to furnish information which require drawing of inference and/or making of assumption; or to interpret information or to solve the problems raised by the applicants or to furnish replies to hypothetical questions as per guidelines issued by Department of Personal & Training, Government of India, vide O.M. No. 1/32/2013-IR dated 28 th November, 2013 at point no. 10.
Q. 2.	(Malpractice Scenario 2) – There can be three universities X, Y and which file patent in first year and thereafter, mutually sale/purchase patent rights every year, and become owner of Patent. As accreditation bodies consider Patent data for multiple years, all 3 would be benefitted by filing patents once and not performing research and filing patents for the remaining years.	
Q. 3.	Can there be a capping of number of patents which can be jointly filed by multiple colleges. For example, if college/university A, B, C, D and E jointly file Patents, all 5 will enjoy benefits without performing separate research?	

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In case you are not satisfied with the information, you may prefer an appeal to the Appellate Authority (Dr. A.K. Nassa, Member Secretary, NBA, 4th Floor, NBCC Place, East Tower, Bhisham Pitamah Marg, Pragati Vihar, New Delhi-110 003) within 30 days of receipt of the reply.

Sincerely yours



(Jagdish Arora)

Central Public Information Officer

Copy to: Dy. Director (Science) & CPIO, Ministry of Education, Department of Higher Education, Technical Section-II, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001, vide letter F.No.18-1/2022-TS-II dated 21/04/2022.

F.No.18-1/2022-TS-II
Government of India
Ministry of Education
Department of Higher Education
Technical Section II

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated the 21st April, 2022.

To,

Shri Shashwat Dixit
Flat No 106, Tower B4 ,
Global Heights Apartment, Sector 33,
Sohna, Gurgaon, , Haryana, Pin:122103,

Subject: Seeking information under RTI Act, 2005-regarding.

Sir,

Please refer to your online RTI application Registration No. DOHED/R/E/2022 /02316, dated 19.04.2022 seeking information under RTI Act, 2005.

2. Since the information sought under your RTI applications mentioned above are closely concerned with National Board of Accreditation, your RTI applications is being transferred to RTI Cell, National Board of Accreditation, 4th Floor, NBCC Building, Bhishma Pitahama Marg Pragti Vihar New Delhi under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005 for providing the requisite information to applicant directly.

3. If you are not satisfied with the above reply/ information, you may prefer an appeal to Pandey Pradeep Kumar, Deputy Secretary (TE) & First Appellate Authority, Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001, within thirty days of the receipt of the reply/ information.

Yours faithfully,

Encl. As above.

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Deputy Director (Science) & CPIO

Copy to:

The PIO, RTI Cell, National Board of Accreditation, 4th Floor, NBCC Building, Bhishma Pitahama Marg Pragti Vihar New Delhi along with online RTI application Registration No. No.DOHED/R/E/2022 / 02316, dated 19.4.2022 for providing requisite information to applicant directly.



RTI REQUEST DETAILS (आरटीआई अनुरोध विवरण)

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Registration Number (पंजीकरण संख्या) :	DOHED/R/E/22/02316	Date of Receipt (प्राप्ति की तारीख) :	19/04/20
Type of Receipt (रसीद का प्रकार) :	Online Receipt	Language of Request (अनुरोध की भाषा) :	English
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Is Requester Below Poverty Line ? (क्या आवेदक गरीबी रेखा से नीचे का है?) :	No	Citizenship Status (नागरिकता) :	Indian
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Information Sought (जानकारी मांगी): Dear Sir/Maam,

To promote Research and Development in the positive spirit, govt bodies (NIRF, NBA and NAAC) released guidelines that elucidate weightages for Filing, Publication and Grant of Patents by universities/colleges.

Exemplary guidelines by few bodies are as follows:

- Research and Professional Practice (RP)
 - Combined metric for Publications (PU)
 - Combined metric for Quality of Publications (QP)
 - IPR and Patents: Published and Granted (IPR)
 - Footprint of Projects and Professional Practice (FPPP)
- <https://www.nirfindia.org/Parameter>
Ministry of Education
<https://mic.gov.in/KAPILA>
NAAC
<https://sbvu.ac.in/naac-b4-c3-3-4-3/>
NBA

That said, how these govt bodies will prevent or stop risk of malpractices, exemplary risk scenarios are jot down below:

Question 1.

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individuals by merely paying an amount, and enjoy benefits from accreditation bodies?

Question 2.

(Malpractice Scenario 2) - There can be three universities X, Y and Z which file patent in first year and thereafter, mutually sale/purchase patent rights every year, and become owner of Patent. As accreditation bodies consider Patent data for multiple years, all 3 would be benefit by filing patents once and not performing research and filing patents the remaining years.

Question 3.

Can there be a capping of number of patents which can be jointly filed by multiple colleges. For example, if college/university A, B, C, D and E jointly file Patents, all 5 will enjoy benefits without performing separate research?

Best Regards,
SD

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