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MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
NEW DELHI

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Shri Shyamlal Yadav,
Senior Editor,
The Indian Express, 9&10, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg,
New Delhi-110002.

Subject: Information sought under RTI Act, 2005.

Sir,

Please refer to your RTI application dated 24th December, 2014 (received on 5th January, 2015) seeking information regarding list of items received in Toshakhana since May 26, 2014 and other matters.

2. The information available with Toshakhana is provided herewith parawise:-

1. The applicant has sought list of items which were received in Toshakhana since May 26, 2014 by different dignitaries which were received in India and abroad. It may be mentioned here that Toshakhana deals only with gifts received in India and abroad from Foreign sources. Complete details as sought by the applicant are uploaded on MEA website after the end of each quarter and the same can be seen on the following hyperlink:-

<http://mea.gov.in/disclosure-of-gifts-received-in-toshakhana.htm>.

2. MEA has not issued any circular since January 1, 2014 with regard to Toshakhana. It is pertinent to mention here that Rules regarding Foreign Contribution (Acceptance or Retention of Gifts or Presentations) are framed by the Ministry of Home Affairs.

3. In case you intend to prefer an appeal on the information being provided to you, the same may be preferred to the Appellate Authority, Shri Sugandh Rajaram, Director (Establishment), Room No. 4051 Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan, 23-D, Janpath, New Delhi 110011 within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

(Rajesh Kapoor)

DS (Prop-II, OdA & Toshakhana) & CPIO

Copy to:- RTI Cell, Room No-2021, A- Wing,
Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan, 23-D, Janpath, New Delhi .