ORDER

In further partial modification of Department of Road Transport & Highways Office Order No.105/2005 (No.I-19012/1/2005-E-I) dated 3rd August,2005, the fee payable by an applicant requesting for information under the Right to Information Act, 2005, as prescribed in the **Right to Information (Regulation of Fee and Cost) Rules, 2005** (copy enclosed), shall be as follows:

a) A request for obtaining information under sub-section (1) of section 6 shall be accompanied by an application fee of rupees ten by way of cash against proper receipt or by demand draft or bankers cheque payable to the Accounts Officer of the public authority.

b) For providing the information under sub-section (1) of section 7, the fee shall be charged by way of cash against proper receipt or by demand draft or bankers cheque payable to the Accounts Officer of the public authority at the following rates :-

1) rupees two for each page (in A-4 or A-3 size paper) created or copied;
2) actual charge or cost price of a copy in larger size paper;
3) actual cost or price for samples or models; and
4) for inspection of records, no fee for the first hour; and a fee of
5) rupees five for each fifteen minutes (or fraction thereof) thereafter

c) For providing the information under sub-section (5) of section 7, the fee shall be charged by way of cash against proper receipt or by demand draft or bankers cheque payable to the Accounts Officer of the public authority at the following rates:-
1. for information provided in diskette or floppy rupees fifty per diskette or floppy; and

2. for information provided in printed form at the price fixed for such publication or rupees two per page of photocopy for extracts from the publication.


e) This issues with the approval of the competent authority

(O.P. SROHE)

Encl: As Above.

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:

- All Public Information Officers, Department of Road Transport & Highways.
- All Appellate Authorities, Department of Road Transport & Highways.
- All Designated Officers, Department of Road Transport & Highways.
- All Wing Heads, Department of Road Transport & Highways.
- US(Cash)/SO(Cash)& DDO, Department of Road Transport & Highways.
- Pay & Accounts Officer (Secretariat), Deptt. of Road Transport & Highways, New Delhi.
- Transport Research Wing, Jamnagar House, IDA Building, Shahjahan Road, New Delhi.
- Border Road Development Board, Sena Bhavan, New Delhi.
- All Regional Officers/Engineer Liaison Officers, Department of Road Transport & Highways.
- Senior Technical Director, NIC, Department of Road Transport and Highways, for uploading this order (along with its enclosures) on the RTI Section of Department’s website
- Data Processing Assistant (IFC), Department of Road Transport and Highways/ Notice Board.
- CCA, Department of Road Transport & Highways. This is in continuation of this Department’s O.M. of even number dated 22nd September,2005 with the request that information sought therein may kindly be sent to RTI Section without further delay.

Copy to: PS to Secretary, Road Transport & Highways.
G.S.R........., In exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (b) and (c) of sub-section (2) of section 27 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (22 of 2005), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules, namely :-

1. **Short title and commencement** – (1) These rules may be called the Right to Information (Regulation of Fee and Cost) Rules, 2005.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. **Definitions** – In the rules, unless the context otherwise requires, -

   (a) ‘Act’ means the Right to Information Act, 2005;

   (b) ‘section’ means section of the Act;

   (c) all other words and expressions used herein but not defined and defined in the Act shall have the meanings assigned to them in the Act.

3. A request for obtaining information under sub-section (1) of section 6 shall be accompanied by an **application fee** of rupees ten by way of cash against proper receipt or by demand draft or bankers cheque payable to the Accounts Officer of the public authority.

4. **For providing the information** under sub-section (1) of section 7, the fee shall be charged by way of cash against proper receipt or by demand draft or bankers cheque payable to the Accounts Officer of the public authority at the following rates:-

   (a) rupees two for each page (in A-4 or A-3 size paper) created or copied;

   (b) actual charge or cost price of a copy in larger size paper;

   (c) actual cost or price for samples or models; and

   (d) for inspection of records, no fee for the first hour; and a fee of rupees five for each fifteen minutes (or fraction thereof) thereafter.

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5. For providing the information under sub-section (5) of section 7, the fee shall be charged by way of cash against proper receipt or by demand draft or bankers cheque payable to the Accounts Officer of the public authority at the following rates:-

(a) for information provided in diskette or floppy rupees fifty per diskette or floppy; and

(b) for information provided in printed form at the price fixed for such publication or rupees two per page of photocopy for extracts from the publication.

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To

The Manager,
Government of India Press,
Mayapuri, New Delhi.

No. 34012/8(s)/2005-Estt.(B) New Delhi, dated the 16th September, 2005.

Copy to:

1. All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India.
2. Comptroller and Auditor General of India, New Delhi.
5. Central Bureau of Investigation, New Delhi.
6. Chief Secretaries of State Governments and Union Territory Administrations.
7. Lok Sabha/Rajya Sabha Secretariat.

(Hari Kumar) Director