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June 27, 2015

Application under the Right to Information Act, 2005.

Sir,

Section 7B of the Indian Telegraph Act 1885 reads as below:

7B Arbitration of disputes. - (1) Except as expressly provided in this Act, if any dispute concerning any telegraph line, appliance or apparatus arises between the telegraph authority and the person for whose benefit the line, appliance or apparatus is or has been provided, the dispute shall be determined by arbitration and shall, for the purpose of such determination, be referred to an arbitrator appointed by the Central Government either specially for the determination of that dispute or generally for the determination of disputes under this section.

(2) the award of the arbitrator appointed under sub-section (i) shall be conclusive between the parties to the dispute and shall not be questioned in any court.]

The above Section was inserted by the Indian Telegraph (Amendment) Act, 1957, with effect from 1.7.1959.

Information requested: Kindly give the following

- 1. a copy of the draft bill the Indian Telegraph (Amendment) Bill, 1957 as introduced in the Parliament along with the reasons / preamble for the Bill.
- a copy of the full Gazette Notification giving effect to the Act and the above section from 01-07-1959 complete with preamble and reasons.

The above information can be furnished to me as hard copy by speed post, on CD or by email as convenient to you. I have enclosed Postal Order for Rs.10/- as application tee.

Thanking you,

Yours truly,

M. P. S. Ramani

I was telephonically informed that the period of the postal order sent by me earlier had expired. Hence I am enclosing herewith a fresh postal order. Kindly return the expired postal order.



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To Dr. M.P.S. Ramani, 21 Paradise Building No. 1, 289 (East) Flank Road, Sion, Mumbai- 400 022.

Sub:- Information under the Right to Information Act. 2005.

Ref:- Your RTI application dated 27.06.2015 received in this Department on 14.07.2015.

Sir,

With reference to the above, it is informed that the point wise reply of the information asked by you is as under-

1. Information sought is not held in this Department.

2. Bill No. IX of 1957 to amend the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 which is published in Gazette of India Part II section 2 (Extraordinary) issue No. 39 dated 18th November, 1957 is available in the egazette website i.e. egazette.nic.in. If you required hard copy then please remit a sum of Rs. 10/- (Rs. 2/-per page for 5 pages) and if soft copy required in CD form then please remit a sum of Rs. 50/- (Cost of CD) by DD/IPO in favour of Controller of Publications, Civil Lines, Delhi - 110 054 as the same is sellable publication,

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