

Government of India
Ministry of Earth Sciences
National Centre for Coastal Research, Chennai

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To
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Sub: Information sought by Shri Seemanth M. under RTI Act, 2005 - Reg.

Kindly refer to your OM No.MoES/29/163/2018-RTI dated 12.03.2019 received on 14.03.2019, transferred by MoES, New Delhi to NCCR, Chennai.

The information is as given below:

Reply to RTI vide ref No.MoES/29/163/2018-RTI dated 12.03.2019	
Information sought	Reply
(1) Is Project scientist in various centers of Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES) are eligible for availing LTC Facility.	As per O.M SR/S9/Z-08/2018 dated 30.01.2019 issued by DST on "Revision of emoluments and guidelines on service conditions for research personnel engaged in R&D programme of the Central Government Department" forwarded by MoES/25/07/2011-Estt. dated 5.2.2019, Research Personnel are not entitled for Leave Travel Concession.
(2) Is the Project Scientist in various centers/institutions under Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES) are eligible for availing LTC facility for family members.	
(3) If the answer for question (2) is no, then is it the violation of Leave Travel Concession (LTC) Rules, 1988.	
(4) If the answer for question (2) is no, under which provision/rule the family members of project scientist in various centers of Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES) are ineligible for LTC.	
(5) Is there any case of rejection of LTC claim for family members of project scientist happened in various centers/institution under MoES.	


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