

F. NO. 4/13/2018-IR  
Government of India  
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions  
(Department of Personnel and Training)

North Block, New Delhi  
Dated: 23-10-2018

**Subject: Appointment of Chief Information Commissioner in the Central Information Commission.**

Under the Right to Information Act 2005, the Government of India has constituted the Central Information Commission, which is located in New Delhi. The powers and functions of the Chief Information Commissioner in the Central Information Commission are as per the RTI Act, 2005.

2. It is proposed to appoint the Chief Information Commissioner in the Central Information Commission, to succeed the present incumbent on completion of the tenure likely on 24.11.2018.

3. The Act provides that the Chief Information Commissioner -

(i) shall be a person of eminence in public life with wide knowledge and experience in law, science and technology, social service, management, journalism, mass-media or administration and governance.

(ii) shall not be a Member of Parliament or Member of the Legislature of any State or Union Territory, as the case may be, or hold any other office of profit or connected with any political party or carrying on any business or pursuing any profession. It is clarified that cessation/termination of holding of office of profit, pursuing any profession or carrying any business is a condition precedent to the appointment of a person as Chief Information Commissioner.

4. Persons who have attained the age of 65 years shall not be eligible for appointment.

5. The salary, allowances and other terms and conditions of service of the Chief Information Commissioner shall be as may be specified at the time of appointment of the selected candidate.

6. Persons fulfilling the criteria and interested for appointment to the post of Chief Information Commissioner may send their particulars in the enclosed proforma, by post, to Under Secretary (IR), Room No. 215 A/III, Department of Personnel and Training, North Block, New Delhi or through e-mail to [usir-dopt@nic.in](mailto:usir-dopt@nic.in) so as to reach before 5:00 PM on 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2018. Persons serving under the State/Central Government or any other Organization, should send their particulars through proper channel (administrative Ministry/Department of State-UT/ Central Government or the Controlling Office respectively).

  
(Rajbir Singh) 23.10.18

Under Secretary (IR)  
Tel: 23092356

**Note:** RTI Act, 2005 and Rules thereunder may be referred to by intending applicants for general familiarization, as could be appropriate.

**Proforma for sending particulars for consideration for the post of Chief Information Commissioner in  
the Central Information Commission**

Please affix the  
latest passport  
size photograph

1. Name :
2. Date of Birth :
3. Present Address :
4. Contact No.
  - a) Telephone (along with STD code) :
  - b) Mobile :
  - c) Fax :
5. E-mail Address :
6. Educational Qualification :
7. Area of Eminence :
8. Present Occupation :
9. Achievements/Work Experience :  
(As per Annexure)

Date:  
Place:

Signature:  
Name:

Annexure

Details of Achievements/Work Experience in respect of candidates applying for the post of  
Chief Information Commissioner

Sr. No.	Post	Organisation	Period		Details of achievements/experience (in brief)
			From	To	
1					
2					
3					
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