

RTI MATTER/TIME BOUND

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Government of India
Ministry of Commerce & Industry
Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion
(Startup India Section)

Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated: Jan, 2017

To

Ms. Swathi Hariharan,
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Phone No. 044-24361029

Subject:- RTI Application of Ms. Swathi Hariharan r/o Chennai regarding information on Startups.

Sir,

This is with reference to your RTI application dated 27.12.2016, received in this section on 02.01.2017 regarding information on Startups.

2. Reply to the questions is as under:

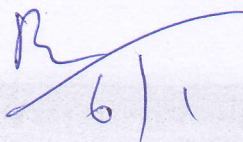
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1	To be in compliance with the first, second and third referenced documents, is it sufficient that a startup needs to comply with 6 labour laws.	As per information available in this wing, Ministry of Labour and Employment has issued guidelines to State Governments whereby Startups shall be allowed to self-certify compliance in respect of 6 Labour Laws. This shall be effective after concurrence of State/UTs.
2	Whether Income Tax exemption is available to Startups that were incorporated prior to 1st April 2016.	As per The Finance Act, 2016, there is a provision for Startups to get income tax exemption for 3 years in a block of 5 years, if they are incorporated between 1st April 2016 and 31st March 2019. So, Startups incorporated between 1st April 2016 and 31st March 2019 are eligible for income tax exemption.

3. If you are not satisfied with the above response, the First Appellate Authority is: Shri Rajiv Aggarwal, Joint Secretary, DIPP, Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi. (Phone No. 23063571).


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