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Dated: 01.09.2020

To

Smt. Anamika,
 No. 8, Aditya Apartments, 21st East Street,
 Kamaraj Nagar, Thiruvannmiyur,
 Chennai, Pin: 600061.

Sir,

Sub: Information required under RTI Act, 2005 -Reg.

Kindly refer to your RTI application dated 03.08.2020. The information as available in this office records are provided herewith in respect of this office:

S.No.	INFORMATION REQUESTED	INFORMATION FURNISHED
1.	How many ELCOTs (Electronics Corporation of Tamilnadu) IT Parks are notified as Special Economic Zones	8 ELCOTs (Electronics Corporation of Tamil Nadu) IT Parks are notified as Special Economic Zones so far.
2.	How many Customs officer are deputed to each such ELCOT SEZ?	<p>One Customs Officer as Authorised Officer deputed to each ELCOT SEZ, except for ELCOT SEZs at Illandhaikulam and Vadapalanji.</p> <p>One Authorised Officer is posted for both of these ELCOTs (Illandhaikulam and Vadapalanji).</p> <p>Thus totally 7 Authorised Officers are deputed for the notified SEZs of ELCOT</p>
3.	Will the entire cost towards deploying Customs officer deploying at ELCOT SEZ be borne by ELCOT or MEPZ?	The entire cost towards deploying Authorised Officers will be borne by the ELCOT only.
4.	If borne by ELCOT means, please furnish the amount ELCOT has paid since 2015 onwards.	<p>Since 2015 onwards ELCOT has paid Rs.1,16,43,801/-.</p> <p>An amount of Rs.39,06,269/- is yet to be paid by ELCOT for the period 2017-18 to MEPZ for deploying Authorised Officers to their SEZs.</p>

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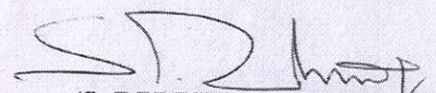
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5.	If borne by MEPZ mean, please furnish the amount MEPZ has paid since 2015 onwards:	As the cost of deputing Authorised Officer is borne by ELCOT and the details has been furnished to the Question Nos. 3 & 4. Answer to this question does not arise.
6.	If ELCOT hasn't paid mean, is there any action taken to recover the amount. Please furnish the current status	Yes, action has been initiated. Demand has been raised to ELOCT.
7.	Please provide the details of Tax and Duty enjoyed while establishment of IT Parks notified as SEZ by ELCOT and also please provide year wise details of exemption availed in running the SEZ IT Parks since establishment which they have submitted in SEZ ONLINE portal and approved by the Customs Officer present in SEZ?	Since the Developer of the ELCOT SEZs viz. ELCOT has not registered in the SEZ Online portal, the year wise details of exemption availed through SEZ Online portal for running their ELCOT SEZ are not available in the SEZ-Online. However, the details submitted by ELCOT for the Tax and Duty exemption availed in respect of all their SEZs except that of ELCOT SEZ, Sholinganallur, are given in the Annexure. As and when the information is received in respect of ELCOT SEZ, Sholinganallur, the same will be provided.

2. If you are not satisfied with the information furnished above, you may prefer an appeal with the 1st Appellate Authority detailed below within 30 days of the date of this letter.

Shri. Vikas Pal, IRS,
Deputy Commissioner of Customs,
MEPZ-Special Economic Zone,
N.H. 45, Tambaram,
Chennai-600 045.

Yours sincerely,


(S. BALASUBRAMANIYAM)

CPIO/Assistant Development Commissioner

Encl: Annexure

Annexure			
Details exise duty exemption claimed/availed for ELCOT SEZ			
Exemption availed for (Rs.)			
Sl. No.	SEZ Location	For creation of Infrastructure	For construction of IT Building
1	Gangaikondan, Tirunelveli		9000000
		5182777	
2	Madurai Ilandaikulam		3247814
			1518086
		2512282	
3	Madurai-II (Vadapalanji)	3656332	
4	Viswanathapuram, Hosur	3003000	24850065
5	Jagirammappalayam, Salem	11050000	
			7295965
6	Navalpattu, Trichy		7383623
		8187200	
7	Vilankurichi, Coimbatore	2146029	
Total		35737620	53295553

