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Government of India
Ministry of External Affairs
New Delhi

No. E/551/1/2020-RTI

09 July 2020

To:



Subject: Information sought under Right to Information Act, 2005

Sir,

Please refer to your RTI application bearing Registration No. MOEAF/R/E/20/00720 dated 28 June 2020 seeking information under RTI Act, 2005.

2. With respect to point no. 1 & 2 of your query, this Ministry has already answered a Parliamentary Question on this issue, which is available in public domain. A copy of the same is enclosed for your information.
3. For the remaining points of your query, the application is being transferred to Ministry of Defence, Ministry of Home Affairs, United Nations Political Division and Legal & Treaties Division of Ministry of External Affairs, for further necessary action at their end.
4. If you are aggrieved with this reply, you may file an appeal to Dr. Amit Telang, Director(East Asia) & Appellate Authority, Ministry of External Affairs, South Block, New Delhi -110001, within a month from the date of receipt of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

(Karthik G. Iyer)

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3. Shri D S Sachdeva, SO(RTI-I), Room no. 96, Ministry of Home Affairs, North Block, New Delhi -110001.
4. Ms. Priyanka Mehtani, US(UNP), JNB-2027, UNP Division, Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi
5. Ms. Suman Sonkar, US (L&T), JNB-3051, L & T Division, Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi

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QUESTION No. 2923 BORDER DISPUTE WITH CHINA

March 11, 2020

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2923
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.03.2020

BORDER DISPUTE WITH CHINA

2923. DR. AMAR SINGH:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of border dispute with China including the present status of the areas under question;
- (b) whether we are holding them as per our claim or not; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the list of areas we are not holding as per our claims?

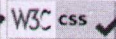
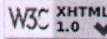
ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
[SHRI V. MURALEEDHARAN]

(a) to (c) China disputes the international boundary between India and China. In the Eastern sector, China claims approximately 90,000 square kilometers of Indian Territory in the state of Arunachal Pradesh. Indian Territory under the occupation of China in the Union Territory of Ladakh is approximately 38,000 square kilometers. In addition, under the so-called China-Pakistan 'Boundary Agreement' signed between China and Pakistan on 2 March 1963, Pakistan illegally ceded 5,180 square kilometers of Indian territory in Pakistan Occupied Kashmir to China.

India's consistent and principled position is that Arunachal Pradesh and the entire Union Territories of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh have been, are and shall be an integral part of India. This fact has been clearly conveyed to the Chinese side on several occasions.

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RTI REQUEST DETAILS (आरटीआई अनुरोध विवरण)			
Registration Number (पंजीकरण संख्या) :	MOEAF/R/E/20/00720	Date of Receipt (प्राप्ति की तारीख) :	28/06/2020
Type of Receipt (रसीद का प्रकार) :	Online Receipt	Language of Request (अनुरोध की भाषा) :	English
Name (नाम) :			
Address (पता) :			
State (राज्य) :			
Phone Number (फोन नंबर) :			
Email-ID (ईमेल-आईडी) :			
Status (स्थिति)(Rural/Urban) :	Urban	Education Status :	Above Graduate
Is Requester Below Poverty Line ? (क्या आवेदक गरीबी रेखा से नीचे का है?) :	No	Citizenship Status (नागरिकता)	Indian
Amount Paid (राशि का भुगतान) :	10) (original recipient)	Mode of Payment (भुगतान का प्रकार)	Payment Gateway
Does it concern the life or Liberty of a Person? (क्या यह किसी व्यक्ति के जीवन अथवा स्वतंत्रता से संबंधित है?) :	No(Normal)	Request Pertains to (अनुरोध निम्नलिखित संबंधित है) :	US (China)
Information Sought (जानकारी मांगी):	<p>With reference to the area of Aksai Chin occupied by China, please inform-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Kindly inform exactly how much area (in square kilometer) of Aksai Chin is in control of China. 2. Whether this area was won by China in the war against India or gifted by Pakistan. 3. Is there any other Indian territory besides Aksai Chin in the occupation of China 4. When was the last protect Indian filed against China asking it to vacate the area. 		

5. Whether Indian has moved any resolution in UNO against China for its illegal occupation of Aksai Chin. If yes, when.
6. Whether UNO has ever passed any resolution against China for its illegal occupation of Aksai Chin. If yes, when.
7. Whether Indian has filed any case with the International Court against China against illegal occupation of Aksai Chin by China.