

General Secretary Sitaram Yechury

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Shri Binod Kumar Secretary Election Expenditure Division, Room No 321 A, Third Floor Nirvachan Sadan New Delhi 110 001

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to your letter No 76/Transparency/2017/PPEMS/Vol II of November 3, 2023 asking political parties to disclose particulars of the electoral bonds received by them

The Communist Party of India (Marxist), as you are aware, has right from the inception of the electoral bond scheme voiced its opposition to it. We had decided against accepting any donation through the medium of electoral bonds

In consonance with this principled stand, the Party has not received any donation through electoral bonds

Further, the CPI(M) has not designated any bank account for the said purpose

You may also be aware that among the three cases challenging the Electoral Bonds Scheme pending before the Supreme Court, one is that of the CPI(M)

Yours truly

(Sitaram Yechury) General Secretary