## Sub: - Response by IIT Jammu against your RTI application dated $17^{th}$ October, 2019 received on $21^{st}$ October, 2019.

Dear Mr. Devdutta Mukhopadhyay

This has reference to your above application received under Right to Information Act, 2005. The reply is furnished below: -

| RTI Query (as per actual)   | Response by IIT Jammu  |
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| Q1. Kindly state whether there are any guidelines, policies or rules governing the use of closed- circuit television cameras or similar video recording devices in the IIT Jammu campus.                      | There are no record available with the Institute related to guidelines, policies or rules governing the use of closed-circuit television cameras or similar video recording devices. |
| Q2. Kindly specify the total number of closed- circuit television cameras or similar video recording devices in IIT Jammu as of 17 October, 2019.   | There are 26 Nos. of closed-circuit television cameras or similar video recording device in IIT Jammu as of 17 October 2019.   |
| Q3. Kindly provide total number of sign boards informing the students and other individuals that they are being recorded by such cameras in the IIT Jammu campus as of date.                                  | The Institute do not have any sign board in the Language sought by information seeker  |
| Q4. Kindly specify the location of all such sign boards informing the students and other individuals that they are being recorded by such cameras in the IIT Jammu campus as of date.                         | Not Applicable in light of reply at point 3 above  |
| Q5. Kindly provide an exhaustive list of all rooms/halls/ centres/messes/etc. in the IIT Jammu campus that have cameras.  | The Information may lead to security breach and can danger the life. Therefore, cannot be provided under clause (g) sub section (1) of section 8 under RTI Act 2005.                 |
| Q6. Kindly provide an exhaustive list of the number of cameras in each room/hall/ centre/ mess etc. as mentioned in the above question.   | The Information may lead to security breach and can danger the life. Therefore, cannot be provided under clause (g) sub section (1) of section 8 under RTI Act 2005.                 |
| Q7. Kindly provide total expenditure (in rupees) on procurement, installation and maintenance of closed circuit television cameras or similar video recording devices in the IIT Jammu campus till date.      | Record not available with the Institute.   |
| Q8. Kindly provide a copy of tender(s) issued for the installation, procurement and/or maintenance of closed circuit television cameras or similar video recording devices in the IIT Jammu campus till date. | The Tender is available on IIT-Jammu Website in TENDERS-Archived Tenders Section at iitjammu.ac.in   |
| Q9. Kindly provide an exhaustive list of all models (with brand names) of closed circuit television cameras or similar video recording devices installed in the IIT Jammu campus till date.                   | CCTV Models with Brand name:  I. Bullet – CP plus  II. Dome – CP plus  III. PTZ – CP Plus  IV. Bullet-Bosch  |



|   | V. Dome-Bosch  |
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|   | VI. PTZ-Bosch<br>VII. Fisheye-Bosch  |
|   | VII. Pisiteye-Boscii   |
| Q10. Kindly state whether any of the cameras in the HT  | The Information may lead to security breach and can  |
| Jammu campus have live tracking facility. If yes, please  | danger the life. Therefore, cannot be provided under   |
| provide an exhaustive list of locations where these   | clause (g) sub section (1) of section 8 under RTI Act  |
| cameras are installed.  | 2005.  |
| Q11. Kindly state whether any of the cameras in the IIT   | The Information may lead to security breach and can  |
| Jammu have "zoom" functionality. If yes, please   | danger the life. Therefore, cannot be provided under   |
| provide an exhaustive list of locations where these   | clause (g) sub section (1) of section 8 under RTI Act  |
| cameras are installed.  | 2005.  |
| Q12. Kindly state whether any of the cameras in the HT  | The Information may lead to security breach and can  |
| Jammu campus have night-vision capabilities. If yes,  | danger the life. Therefore cannot be provided under  |
| please provide an exhaustive list of locations where  | clause (g) sub section (1) of section 8 under RTI Act  |
| these cameras are installed.  | 2005.  |
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| Q13. Kindly provide the details of persons which have   | The Information may lead to security breach and can  |
| access to the footage of the cameras installed in the IIT   | danger the life. Therefore, cannot be provided under   |
| Jammu campus (including persons who can get access  | clause (g) sub section (1) of section 8 under RTI Act  |
| to the same).   | 2005.  |
| Q14. Kindly state whether access to the footage of such   | There is no provision of creating information under  |
| cameras to the above persons is provided continuously   | RTI. Although information can be provided as   |
| or only in specific circumstances. If access is only  | available. The section does not maintain any such data.  |
| granted in specific circumstances, please specify what conditions must be satisfied to gain access to the     |  |
| footage.  |  |
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| Q15. Kindly provide an exhaustive list of locations   | The Information of the Information   |
| from where the footage of cameras installed in the IIT  | The Information may lead to security breach and can danger the life. Therefore, cannot be provided under |
| Jammu campus can be viewed.   | clause (g) sub section (1) of section 8 under RTI Act  |
| ,   | 2005.  |
| Q16. Kindly state whether such footage can be viewed  | Footage can be viewed from handheld device.  |
| remotely or from handheld devices. If yes, please   | Regarding other information, the Information may   |
| provide the names and designations of persons who   | lead to security breach and can danger the life.   |
| have remote or handheld viewing access to the   | Therefore, cannot be provided under clause (g) sub   |
| footage.  | section (1) of section 8 under RTI Act 2005.   |
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| Q17. Kindly Specify the duration for which the footage  | The Information may lead to security breach and can  |
| from such cameras is stored.  | danger the life. Therefore, cannot be provided under   |
|   | clause (g) sub section (1) of section 8 under RTI Act  |
|   | 2005.  |
| Q18. Kindly state whether it is permissible to make   | There is no provision of creating information under  |
| copies of the footage from such cameras. If yes, please   | RTI. Although information can be provided as   |
| provide the names and designations of persons who   | available. The section does not maintain any such data.  |
| are authorized to create such copies.   |  |
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| Q19. Kindly state whether consent is received from  | There is no provision of creating information under  |
| students before recording them. If yes, please provide a copy of the consent form which students have to sign | RTI. Although information can be provided as   |
| to be recorded on campus.   | available. The section does not maintain any such data.  |
| to be recorded on campus  |  |



If you are not satisfied with the information provided, kindly contact **Dr. Pankaj Chauhan**, the First Appellate Authority of the Institute. His e-mail id is faa@iitjammu.ac.in

Yours sincerely,

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## APPLICATION FORM FOR SEEKING INFORMATION UNDER THE **RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT, 2005**

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- 4. Email ID: devdutta@internetfreedom.in
- 5. Nationality: Indian
- 6. RTI Fees: Rs. 10/- (Rupees Ten Only) paid through Indian Postal Order No. 47 F 2 12 724 attached with this application.
- 7. Details of information required: Please find the queries enclosed herewith (Three pages).

## With respect to the information sought herein:

- § I confirm that I am a resident citizen of India.
- § To the best of my knowledge and understanding, the information sought does not fall within the restrictions contained in Sections 8 and 9 of the Right to Information Act, 2005, and it pertains to your office.
- § If certain information (or a part thereof) sought herein under any of the above queries is not available in a common document, kindly provide all such separate documents providing the requisite information. In any case, kindly respond to the above queries as far as possible and practicable.
- § Please be informed that I would prefer a scanned copy of the entirety of the information sought herein, or a part thereof on a diskette (Rule 4(d), Right to Information Rules, 2012). The scanned copy can be emailed to devdutta@internetfreedom.in.
- § However, if all or a part of the documents sought herein can only be made available in hard copy, I request that the cost of photocopying, if any, be informed immediately.

Thanking You,

Yours Sincerely,

Devdutta Mukhopadhyay

Date: 17.10.2019

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- 13. Kindly provide the details of persons which have access to the footage of the cameras installed in the IIT Jammu campus (including persons who can get access to the same).
- 14. Kindly state whether access to the footage of such cameras to the above persons is provided continuously or only in specific circumstances. If access is only granted in specific circumstances, please specify what conditions must be satisfied to gain access to the footage.
- 15. Kindly provide an exhaustive list of locations from where the footage of cameras installed in the IIT Jammu campus can be viewed.
- 16. Kindly state whether such footage can be viewed remotely or from handheld devices.
  If yes, please provide the names and designations of persons who have remote or handheld viewing access to the footage.
- 17. Kindly specify the duration for which the footage from such cameras is stored.
- 18. Kindly state whether it is permissible to make copies of the footage from such cameras.
  If yes, please provide the names and designations of persons who are authorized to create such copies.

19. Kindly state whether consent is received from students before recording them. If yes, please provide a copy of the consent form which students have to sign to be recorded on campus.