

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND FIRST APPELLATE AUTHORITY  
INSOLVENCY AND BANKRUPTCY BOARD OF INDIA**

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Sansad Marg  
New Delhi- 110001.  
Dated: 13<sup>th</sup> April 2020.

**Appeal No. ISBBI/A/E/20/00006**

IN THE MATTER OF

Mr. Gokulakrishnan

..... Appellant

Vs.

Central Public Information Officer  
Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India  
7<sup>th</sup> Floor, Mayur Bhawan, Shankar Market  
New Delhi – 110001.

..... Respondent

**ORDER**

1. This is an appeal against Right to Information (RTI) Registration No. ISBBI/R/E/20/00032. In the RTI application, the information sought by the appellant under section 6 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (Act) and the reply given by the respondent are as under the Table below:

Table

Sl. No.	Information Sought	Response of Respondent
(1)	<i>“Companies appeared before IBC board between the period of 2016 to 2020</i>	<i>The details of the companies in respect of which corporate insolvency resolution process (CIRP) were initiated under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 (Code) is available in the public domain. The same can be accessed from the Quarterly Newsletters available on IBBI’s website (<a href="http://www.ibbi.gov.in">www.ibbi.gov.in</a>), under Publications tab.</i>

(2)	<i>Bank borrowings outstanding as on the date of filing for IBC board of those companies.</i>	<i>Information not available.</i>
(3)	<i>Credit facilities enjoyed by such companies from Banks and the date of availment of such facilities.</i>	<i>Information not available.</i>
(4)	<i>How much those lenders bank have recovered from those companies</i>	<i>The details of the CIRPs which have yielded in resolutions and the amount realizable by the Financial Creditors under the approved Resolution Plan is also available in the Quarterly Newsletters.</i>
(5)	<i>After such recoveries what is the status of those companies</i>	<i>Information not available.</i>
(6)	<i>And who has the majority of its ownership now</i>	<i>Information not available.</i>
(7)	<i>What is the options available for banks to recover the unrecovered portion of their outstanding in future</i>	<i>The query is in the nature of seeking legal opinion, which is not 'information' as defined under the RTI Act."</i>

2. The appellant submits that for RTI requests under (2), (3), (5) and (6) of the Table above, the respondent has not provided complete information and prays that the information may be provided to him. The respondent, in his defence submits that most of the RTI requests that were raised by the appellant have been replied to, and as regards queries raised by the appellant under (2), (3), (5) and (6) in the Table, no information is available with IBBI.
3. On examination of the information sought by the appellant, it is found that the IBBI has no information available with it, and therefore, the appeal is dismissed.

(Sd/-)

**(K. R. Saji Kumar)**

Executive Director and First Appellate Authority

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