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Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Economic Affairs

North Block, New Delhi.
Dated the 21 November, 2014.

To

Shri Arun Mehan,
BD-75, Janakpuri,
New Delhi-110058

Subject: Information under RTI Act, 2005.

Sir,

Reference is invited to your RTI application dated 12.11.2014, received in this Department on 18.11.2014 from Department of Expenditure, on the subject mentioned above and to say that as regards NS.II Section dealing with savings schemes, out of three schemes announced in the Budget by the present Government, a scheme namely **Kisan Vikas Patra** has since been reintroduced for implementation. Proposals with regard to other two schemes namely **Scheme for Girl Child** and a **new instrument namely National Savings Certificate** are under process. Investment ceiling in PPF has also been enhanced from Rs.1 lakh to Rs.1.5 lakh.

2. Appeal, if any, can be preferred under section 19(1) of the RTI Act, within 30 days from the receipt of this letter to- Shri Pankaj Sharma, Director and Appellate Authority, Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance, Room No.168-A, North Block, New Delhi, Tele 23092326.

Yours faithfully,



(R.K. Thakur)

Under Secretary to the Government of India
and CPIO
011-23093035.

Copy for information to : 1.. RTI Cell, DEA, w.r.t. their ID No.2/216453/RTI/2014 dated 18.11.2014.

2. CPIO, Department of Expenditure, MOF, w.r.t. their O.M.No.11(627)/2014-RTI dated 17.11.2014.

3. ✓ NIC, DEA, MOF, with request to upload the information in the Department's website as per DOPT's instructions.