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Department of Commerce
(RTI Cell)

Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107.
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Subject: Designation of First Appellate Authorities (F.A.A.) in Department of Commerce – reg.

In pursuance of Sub-Sections (1) & (2) of Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005, and in supersession of all earlier Office Orders issued in this regard, the Competent Authority has designated the following Officers of Department of Commerce as First Appellate Authorities (F.A.A.) in Department of Commerce to consider and dispose off first appeals in respect of the subject matters mentioned against their names:-

Sl. No.	Name & Designation	Contact Details	Subjects Handled
1.	Shri P.K. Chaudhery, Special Secretary	Room No. 243 Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23061100 Email: pkchaudhery@nic.in	Foreign Trade (State Trading), Foreign Trade (Mineral & Ores) and GRC.
2.	Dr. Rajan S. Katoch, Additional Secretary & Financial Adviser	Room No.35 Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23063215, 23062481 Email: asfa_com@nic.in	Finance, IWSU/O&M/CM & T.
3.	Smt. Vijaylaxmi Joshi, Additional Secretary	Room No. 240 Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23061377 Email: vl.joshi@nic.in	Plantations, Offset policy and Appellate Committee on Enforcement Cases.
4.	Shri D. S. Dhesi, Joint Secretary	Room No. 288 Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23062660 Email: dhesids@nic.in	FT(Africa), FT(WANA), EP(MP), EP(Textiles), Export Inspection, Administration & Establishment.

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5.	Shri J.S Deepak Joint Secretary	Room No. 241 Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23062262 Email: js1tpd-doc@nic.in	TPD: Agriculture, SPS, TBT, TNC and General Council, Centre for WTO Studies, Environment and Labour, Ministerial Conference, Coordination and Administration within TPD, Services, TRIPS, ITPO, New Convention Centre Project and Pharmaceutical (Pharmexcil).
6.	Shri Amar Sinha, Joint Secretary	Room No. 247 Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23061664 Email: js2tpd-doc@nic.in	TPD: NAMA, Textiles, Disputes Settlement and Rules, Trade Facilitation, Customs valuation, Import Licensing Procedures, RMTR and CRTA, APTA, BIMSTEC, GSP, Accession, CTD and Aid for Trade Initiative, Trade & Transfer of Technology, Trade Debt and Finance, Electronic Commerce, Small Economics and LDCs, Investment (including TRIMS) and Competition, Government Procurement, STEs, All GATT interpretations, Safeguards, Committee on Balance of Payments, UNCTAD India Project, UNCTAD (including GSTP), IBSA and BRICS.
7.	Shri Siddharth Joint Secretary	Room No. 249 Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23061837 Email:siddharth.singh@nic.in	FT(NEA including China), EP(Agriculture), Biotechnology, FT(Coord.) and RTI Act.
8.	Shri Anup Wadhawan Joint Secretary	Room No. 162-B Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23061818 Email: wadhawan@nic.in	EP (LSG), EP(G&J), Kimberley Process, FT(LAC), FT(AM/NAFTA), SEZ, EOU/FOI and Vigilance.
9.	Smt. Bharathi S. Sihag Joint Secretary	Room No. 233 Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23062526 Email: bharathi.sihag@nic.in	FT(Europe), Anti-Dumping & Subsidies and Board of Safeguards.
10.	Shri Ravi Capoor, Joint Secretary	Room No. 216 Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23063315 Email: ravi.capoor@nic.in	FT (CIS), Infrastructure, ASIDE Scheme, State Cell, Trade Finance, Public Grievances and Hindi Division.
11.	Shri Arvind Mehta Joint Secretary	Room No. 287B Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23061274 Email: amehta84@nic.in	FT(SA/SAARC/Iran), E&MDA, MAI, ECGC, IBEF, Exim Bank and EP(OP)

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12.	Shri Sumanta Chaudhuri, Joint Secretary	Room No. 287 Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23063766 Email: sumanta.chaudhuri@nic.in	FT(ASEAN), ESCAP, EP(CAP), EP(Engg.), GS1 India and Parliament
13.	Shri J. K. Dadoo, Joint Secretary	Room No. 132 Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23061971 Email:j.k.dadoo@nic.in	FT(Australia & New Zealand), Trade Promotion (NCTI, IIFT, IIP), EP(Service Exports), EP(ECS) and Supply Division
14.	Shri Augustine Peter Economic Adviser	Room No. 228 Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi-110107 Tel: 23061374 Email: paugustine@nic.in	Five Year Plan and Mid Term Review; Coord. of Annual Report, Performance Budget & Outcome Budget; RFD, Sectoral studies on Exports; Selected macro economic indicators; Advice on economic aspects of globalisation, WTO issues and other proposals.

2. The First Appellate Authority concerned shall consider and dispose off first appeal(s) as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

3. The present incumbent Officer(s) as and when replaced by another Officer(s), that new incumbent Officer(s) will automatically be the First Appellate Authority in respect of the subject matter(s) handled by him/her.

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