Dated: - 13 Feb 2021

To,

The Public Information Officer

Wildlife Institute of india

Post box no 18, Chandrabani,

Dehradun, Uttarakhand

Sub:- Tender Notice No. WII/ADM/STR/2012-13/116 – engagement of Chartered Accountants

Dear Sir/ Madam,

With reference to the above subject matter, we would like to bring in your kind notice that, we had sent emails to below Ids requesting information regarding the mentioned tender. We were not in receipt of any reply hence requesting information under the Right to Information Act 2005.

- 1) Email dated Fri, Jan 22, 2021 to registrar@wii.gov.in & dwii@wii.gov.in
- 2) Email dated Thu, Feb 4, 2021 to registrar@wii.gov.in & dwii@wii.gov.in

Sir/ Madam Please refer to extract of note sheet WII/ ADM/STR/2012-13/116 dated 20.01.2021 against Tender Notice No. WII/ADM/STR/2012-13/116 towards contract "Engagement of Chartered Accountant" vide Online Tender, invited in two bid system under e-procurement through Central Public Procurement Portal.

Sir / Madam, the extract note mentions disqualification of our Firm M/s Rawat Nakoti & Co. We would like to categorically refer "Tender Opening Minutes (Technical Bids)" dated 27 Nov 2020, wherein it is specifically mention that "The representative from the firms were not present at the time of Tender Opening "on 27 Nov 2020 at 4.00PM signed by Mr A.K Dubey (Purchasing officer) at 27 Nov 2020 at 16:20 PM time.

Sir/ Madam, we would like to affirm our strong objection on the said point as our representative Mr Arun Rawat & Mr Vinod Diwakar were personally present on the said date at the venue of tender opening. Our representative was present there till 5:00 PM and it was told by Mr A.K Dubey (Purchasing officer) that as no other participants were present at the venue, hence tender could not be opened and we will further inform you as and when it will be opened within a week time.

Sir/ Madam, we were not in receipt not informed of any further information towards opening of said tender by the said authority and we were not given any opportunity of being heard.

Further , As per Chapter 3 of tender document " Eligibility criteria for Technical Evaluation of Bidders" POINT NO 7 Specifying clearly that " The firm must have their Head Office / Branch Office in DehraDun, proof of which should be attached with the bid; failing which the offer will be rejected"

We would like to tell u that, Bidder M/s J. N Gupta & Co, Chartered Accountant got technical qualified in the Tender, whereas as per office records of the Institute of Chartered Accountant of India (ICAI) dated 26 Oct 2020, Firm is not having any HEAD OFFICE / BRANCH OFFICE at DEHRADUN. Hence as per tender rules the said firm offer must had been Rejected.

We are attaching the firm ICAI records for your reference

We hereby request you to kindly provide us the followings –

- Minutes of Tender opening committee
- Reason of Rejection on Technical grounds of participating firm M/s Rawat nakoti & Co. Chartered Accountants for the said tender.
- Copy of Dehradun, Head Office / local address of participating firm M/s J. N Gupta & Co
 Chartered Accountant as per ICAI records
- Copy of Award of Contract to the 2 no.s qualifying firm as per Central procurement rules 2017
- Copy of Rejection of said tender (If any)

Thanking you

Arvind Singh

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3/1/2021 **Action History**

ACTION HISTORY OF RTI REQUEST No.WLIOI/R/E/21/00017

Applicant Name Arvind Singh

Text of Application As per attached application

Reply of Application

SN.	Action Taken	Date of Action	Action Taken By	Remarks
1	RTI REQUEST RECEIVED	13/02/2021	Nodal Officer	
2	REQUEST FORWARDED TO CPIO	01/03/2021	Nodal Officer	Forwarded to CPIO(s): (1) P.K.Aggarwal
			Print	