To
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Subject:- RTI application registration no. DOCOM/R/E/20/00258 dated 02.06.2020 seeking information in respect of SEZs under the RTI Act, 2005 -reg.

Sir,

Please refer your RTI application dated 02.06.2020 on the subject mentioned above. The information is as follows:

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<td>How many Special Economic Zones are there in India and where is it?</td>
<td>The information is available on the sezindia website i.e. sezindia.nic.in (Link : Home page -&gt; Factsheet) (Link : Home page -&gt; About Us - List on notified SEZs) (Link : Home page -&gt; About Us -&gt; Facilities and Incentives) and may be referred thereto.</td>
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<td>When and where were these areas established?</td>
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<td>Describe all the exemptions, what kind of exemptions were provided by the Government to the Special Economic Zones. Provide certified copy.</td>
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<td>In order to encourage agro-based industries in these areas, when was foreign investment approved, and what are the implications of this at the present time.</td>
<td>The information sought by you with respect to when such investments were allowed is not available with this office and the latter part about the implications of the same is hypothetical in nature. As per the RTI Act, 2005, the Central Public Information Officer can only provide information which is available with him and he is not supposed to create, generate or interpret information or furnish replies to hypothetical questions.</td>
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2. The appeal against the decision of the CPIO lies with the First Appellate Authority, Shri Bidyut Behari Swain, Special Secretary, Department of Commerce, Room No. 35, Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi, within 30 days of the issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

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