

**NATIONAL POWER TRAINING INSTITUTE
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Sector – 33, Faridabad

Summary Report

**Transparency Audit of Disclosures
u/s 4 of the Right to Information Act for the year 2022-23**

of

Central Electricity Authority

September, 2023

SUMMARY SHEET

Third Party RTI Audit Summery Report for- **CEA**

Website: <https://cea.nic.in>

The RTI Act under section 4 provides a comprehensive framework for promoting openness in the functioning of the public authorities. Each public authority has to proactively disclose information by relating to its functions as prescribed under the RTI Act, without waiting for the citizens to file RTI application for getting information from the public authorities. While section 4 (1) (a) provides a general guideline for record management, so that the information could be easily stored and retained, the subsections b, c and d of section 4 relate to the organizational objectives and functions. Sub-section 9b), (c) and (d) of section 4 of the RTI Act and other related information can be grouped in accordance with this, a large category of information has been prescribed in section 4(1) (b)(c) and (d) to be disclosed suo-motu. There are specific categories of information which are mentioned in section 4(i)(b) and each of those categories contains various items making it elaborate and exhaustive. The 17th item under section 4(i) (b) states that such other information as may be prescribed also needs to be disclosed suo motu.

Efforts made by **CEA (Central Electricity Authority)** as public authority are appreciable for sharing the information on website as per RTI ACT to maintain the transparency. It is observed that the website of the **CEA (Central Electricity Authority)** is user friendly and an attempt has been made to disclose information which may meet the requirement of the citizens. It has been observed during the audit that the information related to few areas has to be shared/ improved on website with more clarity:

S.No	Point No. and Description	Remark
1.	1.5.4 Transfer Policy and Transfer Order	May be uploaded
2.	1.9.1 List of employees with Gross monthly remuneration	May be uploaded