

सं.01/107/2012-Vig. /1२17-राष्ट्रीय फैशन टेक्नोलॉजी संस्थान, सतर्कता विभाग (मुख्याल्य), हौज खास, नई दिल्ली-110 016

**5** अप्रैल, 2018

### कार्यालय ज्ञापन

विषय: पासपोर्ट प्राप्त करने हेतु सतर्कता निर्बाधन जारी करने से संबंधित

अद्योहस्ताक्षरी को कार्मिक तथा प्रशिक्षण विभाग द्वारा जारी कार्यालय ज्ञापन सं. 11012/7/2017-Estt.A-III दिनांकित 28/03/2018 की प्रति आपकी सूचना, मार्गदर्शन तथा अनुपालन हेतु अग्रेषित करने का निदेश हुआ है।

सतर्कता अधिकारी

संलग्नकः उपरोक्त

## सेवा में

- i. सभी कैंपस निदेशक, निफ्ट
- ii. पंजीयक तथा बोर्ड सचिव / संयुक्त निदेशक (स्थापना) , निफ्ट मुख्यालय
- iii. सभी निफ्ट कैंपस के उप सतर्कता अधिकारी,
- iv. महानिदेशक निफट के निजी सहायक
- v. निदेशक (आई. टी.)- निफ्ट के बेवसाईट पर उपलब्ध कराने हेतु



# No.01/107/2012-Vig. 1217 National Institute of Fashion Technology, Vigilance Department (Head Office), Hauz Khas, New Delhi-110 016

5 April, 2018

#### OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Grant of Vigilance Clearance for obtaining passport-reg.

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith a copy of the O.M. No.11012/7/2017-Estt.A-III dated 28/03/2018, Ministry of Department of Personnel & Training, for information, guidance and compliance.

(Raju Sinha) Vigilance Officer

Encl.: As above.

#### To:

i. All Campus Directors of NIFT

ii. Registrar & Board Secretary/ JD (Estt.)-NIFT HO

iii. DVOs of all NIFT Campuses

iv. PA to DG –NIFT for information

v. Director (IT), NIFT Head Office- for uploading on NIFT website.

F. No. 11012/7/2017-Estt.A-III

#### Government of India

# Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension Department of Personnel & Training Establishment A-III Desk

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North Block, New Delhi - 110001 Dated 28th March, 2018

#### OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Grant of vigilance clearance for obtaining passport.

The undersigned is directed to say that matter regarding guidelines for granting vigilance clearance to members of the Central Civil Service holding Central Civil Posts have been reviewed and it has been decided to lay down guidelines for grant of vigilance clearance to the Government servant for obtaining Indian Passport.

- 2. Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) has issued the guidelines for issuance of ordinary Passport to the Government servant vide O.M. No. VI/401/01/05/2014 dated 26.05.2015 in connection with procedures to be the followed in case of passport to be issued to Government servant.
- 3. In view of the above, it is mandatory for the administrative Department/Controlling Authority to check whether any provision of the Section 6(2) of the Passport Act, 1967 are attracted in the case of employee, who are working under them, while obtaining Indian Passport. As such, it is required to check the vigilance clearance of such Government servant.
- 4. Accordingly, it has been decided that vigilance clearance can be withheld only under the following circumstances:
  - (i) The officer is under suspension;
  - (ii) A charge sheet has been issued against the officer in a disciplinary proceeding and the proceeding is pending.
  - (iii) Charge sheet has been filed in a Court by the investigating Agency in a criminal case and the case is pending.
  - (iv) Sanction for investigation or prosecution has been granted by the Competent Authority in a case under the PC Act or any other criminal matter.
  - (v) An FIR has been filed or a case has been registered by any Government entity against the officer, after a preliminary fact finding inquiry.
  - (vi) The officer is involved in a trap/ raid case on charges of corruption and investigation is pending.

- Vigilance clearance shall not be withheld due to an FIR filed on the basis of a private complaint unless a charge-sheet has been filed by the investigating agency provided that there are no directions to the contrary by a competent court of law. However, the information regarding FIR may be provided to the Passport Office. The final decision will be taken by the concerned Passport Issuing Authority.
- There may be situations wherein wards and relatives of the civil servants residing abroad (for education and other purposes) could be having medical emergencies or family events. The officer himself/ herself may require to visit abroad for medical reasons. Therefore, as a policy, ordinarily, a passport will not be granted if a disciplinary proceeding is pending against the officer. However, the competent authority can take a view wherein a foreign travel is necessitated due to extreme urgent situation like medical emergencies etc. on case to case basis.
- All Ministries/ Departments/Offices are requested to bring the above guidelines to the notice of all Disciplinary Authorities under their control.
- Hindi version will follow. 8.

(Sanjiv Kumar)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Tel: 23093176

To

The Secretaries of All Ministries/Departments (as per the standard list)

#### Copy to:

- 1. President's Secretariat, New Delhi.
- 2. Vice-President's Secretariat, New Delhi.
- 3. The Prime Minister's Office, New Delhi.
- 4. Cabinet Secretariat, New Delhi.
- 5. Rajya Sabha Secretariat/Lok Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi.
- 6. The Comptroller and Auditor General of India, New Delhi.
- 7. The Secretary, Union Public Service Commission, New Delhi.
- 8. The Secretary, Staff Selection Commission, New Delhi.
- 9. All attached offices under the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and
- 10. National Commission for Scheduled Castes, New Delhi.
- 11. National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, New Delhi.
- 12. National Commission for OBCs, New Delhi.
- 13. Secretary, National Council (JCM), 13, Feroze Shah Road, New Delhi.
- 14. CVOs of all Ministries/Departments.
- 15.ADG (M&C), Press Information Bureau, DoP&T
- 16.NIC, Department of Personnel & Training, North Block, New Delhi [for uploading the same on the website of this Ministry under the under the Head Notifications → OMs & Orders → Establishment → CCS (CCA)Rules & What's New]
- 17. Hindi Section, DoP&T