

## MADHYA GUJARAT VIJ COMPANY LTD.

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Sub: Information regarding the working of MGVCL.

Ref: [1] Your application dated 02.12.2006 addressed to the Public  
Information Officer, MGVCL, Baroda.  
[2] Personal discussion on 18.12.2006.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to your visit to this office on 18.12.2006 in connection with issuing a letter to you highlighting therein the activities being undertaken by you to help the people under RTI Act, 2005.

During the discussions held on 18.12.2006 and also as mentioned in your letter dated 2.12.2006, you have pointed out that there are many irregularities in the working of MGVCL and therefore you want the permission to monitor the same.

In this connection, this is to inform you that the Government of India has introduced the Right to Information Act, 2005, for the citizens to secure access to information under the control of Public Authorities in order to promote transparency and accountability in the working of every Public Authority. As such, the activity done by you to obtain the information under the RTI Act, 2005 from the Public Utilities including MGVCL is definitely appreciable.

MGVCL is carrying out various activities related to distribution of the power supply to its consumers as per the regulations and directives of Gujarat Electricity Regulatory Commission (GERC). The work of building distribution network is being done in accordance with the relevant rules and regulations. These activities are being carried out either departmentally or by outsourcing. As far as outsourcing is concerned, actions for tenderization and placement of orders for the relevant works etc. is being done as per the procedure prescribed by MGVCL and as per the delegation of powers to various authorities. These activities are being audited departmentally.

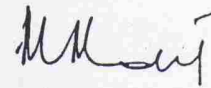
Also, any complaint received regarding the irregularities committed by any staff at any level are being given due weightage by the Management of the MGVCL and the matter of the complaint is being investigated thoroughly. Disciplinary actions as per the provisions of MGVCL are being taken by the Management, where the irregularity is confirmed during the investigation of the complaint. Vigilance Department in MGVCL also takes care of such complaints for its appropriate investigation and further actions by the Management.

Therefore, if you notice any such irregularities, you may please intimate this office for taking further necessary action by MGVCL.

We once again appreciate the honourary services being undertaken by you to help the general public under RTI Act, 2005.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,



**[M.N. PATEL]**  
Public Information Officer &  
Chief Engineer, MGVCL

copy f.w.cs. to :

MD, MGVCL, Corporate Office, Baroda  
-- for kind information please.