

No. RTI/50/2010/F-# I
Ministry of Home Affairs
Foreigners Division

Jaisalmer House, 26, Man Singh Road,
New Delhi the dated 05.01.2011

To

Shri V. Stanley Paulus,
R/o Shalom A 11,
Tennis club Enclave,
Jawahar Nagar, Kowdiar
Trivandrum-03, Kerala

Sub: Information sought under the right to Information Act, 2005.

Sir,

Please refer to your appeal dated 27-09-2010 under the RTI Act, 2005 seeking information regarding the present policy/regulation relating to the crew.

2. We have examined the matter. The present position relating to grant of TLF for crew landing on general declaration is as follows:
 - (a) Crew members of scheduled flights are cleared on General Declaration and get Crew Landing Permit (CLP) for a period of 72 hours which can be extended up to a maximum period of 7 days. Crew members of scheduled flights are not cleared on their passport but on the General Declaration (GD) only.
 - (b) Crew members of non-scheduled flights are cleared on their passports and can be granted TLP for a maximum period of 7 days.
 - (c) As per prevailing practice, crew members are given CLP/TLP as mentioned above irrespective of their nationality.

Yours faithfully,



(G.V.V. Sarma)

Joint Secretary & Appellate Authority