

**F. No- C/KL/RTI/14/2022**  
**Government of India**  
**National Commission for Minorities**

3rd Floor, Block-3, CGO Complex  
Lodhi Road, New Delhi 110003

Dated: 8.02.2022

To

Mr. Arvind Kurian Abraham,



**Subject: Regarding information under RTI Act, 2005.**

Sir,

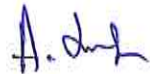
Please refer to your RTI application dated 12.01.2022. Point-wise reply to the information sought is as under:-

	Information Sought	Reply
(a)	Issued notices to the Governments of Uttarakhand, Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Kerala and the Ministry of Home Affairs to inquire or to the respond to the claims of hate-crimes against Christians as mentioned in the aforesaid report. If so, the copies of the notices or letters sent to such authorities.	Reports have been sought from the Chief Secretary, Uttarakhand, Haryana, Uttar Pradesh, Chhattisgarh and Madhya Pradesh on 12.11.2021. Copies are attached.
(b)	Has convened a meeting to discuss the hate-crimes and harassment of the Indian Christian Community in light of or independent of the report, in 2021 or 2022. If so, the date on which the meeting was held and details of the decisions taken at such meeting?	No meeting was held in NCM.

(c)	Taken any additional steps since 2021 in response to the hate-crimes committed against members of the Indian Christian community, the details there-of.	Whenever National Commission for Minorities receives any complaint on atrocities/discrimination against any notified Minority Community including Christians, the same is pursued with the relevant authorities and reports are called from concerned authorities. In some cases when the report is not satisfactory, National Commission for Minorities also conducts hearings to sort out the issue and ensure that atrocities/discrimination is not continued. In some cases where there are media report on atrocities/discrimination against Minority community. National Commission for Minorities takes suo-motu cognizance and calls for report.
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If you are not satisfied with the information given in para 1, above you may prefer an appeal before the Appellate Authority i.e. Smt. A.Dhanalakshmi, Joint-Secretary, NCM within the prescribed period under the RTI Act 2005.

Yours faithfully



(A.Sengupta)

**Under Secretary to the Govt. of India & CPIO**

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D.O. No. C/DL/107/00154/2021

12<sup>th</sup> November, 2021

Dear Sir,

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The Commission received a representation from Dr. Shashi Tharoor, Member of Parliament wherein he has mentioned findings of the report 'Christians under Attack in India. The report mentioned that over 300 instances of violence and harassment were committed against members of the Christian community in India in 2021. Such an incident took place on 3.10.2021 in Jwalapur, Haridwar. Right wingers disrupted and threatened a Church service<sup>in</sup> the presence of police. Shri Vipin is the pastor of this Church. The Christians, however, did not file any complaints

As such incidents hurt the sentiments of the Minority community, I am directed by the Chairman, National Commission for Minorities to request you to furnish a detailed report to the Commission by 5<sup>th</sup> Dec, 2021 in the matter.

With Regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Daniel E. Richards)

Dr. S.S. Sandhu  
Chief Secretary,  
Govt. of Uttarakhand  
Secretariat,  
Dehradun.

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With regards,

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