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No. 45020/14/2016-IPS-II
Government of India/Bharat Sarkar
Ministry of Home Affairs/Grih Mantralaya

North Block, New Delhi-1,
Dated, the 9th January, 2017.

To

The Chief Secretaries of all State Governments/UTs
The Director General of Police of all State Governments/UTs

Sub: **Online submission of Immovable Property Return by IPS officers through– Reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter of even number dated 13.12.2016 (copy enclosed) on the subject and to say that IPS officers are required to file the Immovable Property Return (IPR) for the year 2016 online through SPARROW. But some IPS officers are not following this Ministry's Instructions dated 13.12.2016 and they are submitting IPR for the year 2016 offline (hard copy). In this regard, it is requested that such officers may be directed to comply with the instructions dated 13.12.2016.

2. It is also noticed that some IPS officers have filed the annual returns of Assets and Liabilities under Section 44 of the Lokpal and Lokayuktas Act, 2013 online instead of Immovable Property return for the year 2016. As per this Ministry instructions dated 13.12.2016 conveyed vide letter no. 26012/01/2014-IPS.II (copy enclosed) at present there is no requirement for filing of annual returns of Assets and Liabilities under Section 44 of the Lokpal and Lokayuktas Act, 2013.

3. In view of the above, it is requested that the instructions dated 13.12.2016 may be widely circulated to all concerned officers for strict compliance in respect of filing of Immovable Property Returns under the provisions of the AIS (Conduct) Rule, 1968 through online within the prescribed time limit i.e upto 31.01.2017. In case of any difficulty in accessing IPR module through Sparrow the officer may send their grievances through e-mail at **support-sparrow@nic.in** or **sparrow.ips@nic.in**.

Yours faithfully,


(Mukesh Sawhney)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Encl: as above.

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1. All Ministries/Department of Government of India.
2. Joint Secretary (UT Division), Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi-in respect cadre.
3. Director General-BSF/CRPF/CISF/SSB/ITBP/NSG/NIA/NCB/BPR&D/Civ
4. Director IB, CBI, R&AW, SPG, NPA, NCRB, NICFS, NEPA.
5. President Secretariat/Cabinet Secretariat/PMO.
6. ✓ Director (NIC-MHA), for uploading on MHA website under What's New and Immovable Property Return (IPR) → Related Orders/Instructions.