



**OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS
CSMI AIRPORT, ANDHERI(EAST), MUMBAI- 400 099.**

F.No. Air Cus/40/07(59)/2024-RTI Date of order: 03-06-2024

ORDER PASSED BY: Smt. C.T. SUJA, CENTRAL PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER, C.S.M.I AIRPORT, MUMBAI.

ORDER NO:- 07(59)/2024

Mr. Siddharth P, (hereinafter referred as the applicant) had filed an online application under the Right to Information Act, 2005. The above said application was received in this section vide RTI Portal bearing registration no. CCUM3/R/E/24/00075 dated 03.05.2024. Vide his application the sought information is reproduced verbatim:-

“For the financial years 2024-25, 2023-24, 2022-23, 2021-22, 2020-2021 and 2019-20, please furnish the following information for Mumbai international airport

- 1) Total number of seizures of smuggled luxury watches in a month-wise format.
- 2) Dates of seizures and flight number of passenger.
- 3) The names and values of the watches seized.
- 4) Total number of people arrested and details of foreigners if any, in these cases.
- 5) Total customs duty recovered..”

2 . In this regard, data pertaining to airport is produced below:-

Month & Year	No. of seized smuggled luxury watches	Date of seizure	Flight No. & Date	Name & value of the seized watches	Total no. of pax arrested and their nationality
April, 2019	1	30.04.2019	EY206/29.04.2019	Rolex watch Rs 19,72,450/-	0
May, 2019	1	30.05.2019	6E 132/18.05.2019	Audemars Piguet Rs. 37,62,000/-	0
May, 2019	01	23.05.2019	ET640/23.05.2019	Cartier brand wrist watch	0

Sep, 2019	01	14.09.2019	BA199/14.09.2019	Cartier watch Rs. 11,82,282/-	0
Oct, 2019	01	16.10.2019	WE355/15.10.2019	Astronomia Solar Zodiac Rs. 1,84,07,500/-	01/Indian
Jan, 2020	24	03.01.2020	Cx663/02.01.2020	Four Branded Watches Rs. 35,74,104/-	03/All Indian
Sep, 2020	01	09-09-2020	UK-202/08.09.2020	Rolex Watch Rs. 18,91,057/-	0
Oct, 2020	21	23.10.2020	G84012/22.10.2020	Rolex O Rs. 4,16,000/-	0
Nov, 2020	21	13.11.2020	G84012/10.11.2020	Audemars Piguet Rs. 20,32,800/-	01/Indian
Dec, 2020	22	20.12.2020	FZ8103/16.12.2020	Patek Philippe & Roger Dubois Total Rs. 90,00,000/-	01/Indian
Dec, 2020	22	26.12.2020	EK0504/22.12.2020	Rolex Rs. 28,00,000/- Audemars Piguet Rs. 23,00,000/-	01/ Foreigner (South African Nationality)
Jan, 2021	03	21.01.2021	AI 130/21.01.2021	03 luxury watches Rs. 78,60,642/-	01
Aug, 2021	01	15.08.2021	G9406/15.08.2021	Apple Watch	01/Indian
Feb, 2022	21	11.02.2022	SG710/11.02.2022	Rolex watch Sea-Dweller valued at Rs. 16,00,000/-	0
Dec, 2022	01	03.12.2022	UK-202/03.12.2022	Rolex Rs. 37,86,950/-	0
Dec, 2022	02	03.12.2022	TG317/03.12.2022	Rolex Rs. 26,20,000/-	0
Aug, 2023	03	18.08.2023	6E1512/18.08.2023	1. Rolex Rs.14 Lakhs 2. Patek Philippe Rs. 12 Lakhs, 3. Breguet Reine de Naples Rs. 28 Lakhs	01/Indian

Aug, 2023	01	26.08.2023	SG14/26.08.2023	1Naviforce Rs. 36,81,412/-	0
Oct, 2023	21	04.10.2023	UL141/03.10.2023	21 high valued watches Rs.53,75,000/-	1 (Indonesia)
Dec, 2023	01	23.12.2023	6E1456/23.12.2023	Apple Ultra 3199 AED	0
Mar, 2024	01	17.03.2024	6E1492/17.03.2024	1 no BVLGARI Rs. 16,00,000/-	0

This data has been compiled on the basis of the information sought by the applicant. As considerable man power is needed to verify the current status of each of the cases mentioned above to ascertain the duty recovered therein. Hence it is unable to provide such information.

3. The Applications dated 03.05.2024, are accordingly disposed of. An Appeal under Section 19 of the RTI Act, 2005 against this order lies before Shri Dhananjay Mali, Addl. Commissioner of Customs & First Appellate Authority, CSMI Airport, Mumbai – 400099, Maharashtra within 30 days of receipt of this order.

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2. Copy to – The First Appellate Authority (FAA), C.S.M.I Airport, Mumbai Customs Zone III.