

Whistle Blower Complaints (Public Interest Disclosure and Protection of Informer's Resolution)

If a complainant while exposing a case of corruption wants his identity to be kept secret, he/she can lodge a complaint under Public Interest Disclosure and Protection of Informers Resolution (**PIDPIR**) – popularly known as Whistle Blower Provision. Commission is mandated not only to maintain the secrecy of the complainant's identity but also provide protection to the complainant against any harassment or victimization.

Procedure of lodging complaint under PIDPIR:

- The complaint should be in a closed/secured envelope.
- The envelope should be either addressed to Secretary, Central Vigilance Commission or the 'Designated Authority' to receive complaints under PIDPIR in Ircon International Limited.
- The 'Designated Authority' is Chief Vigilance Officer/Ministry of Railways.
- The envelope must be super scribed "Complaint under The Public Interest Disclosure".
- Any anonymous/pseudonymous complaints will not be entertained.
- Text of the complaint should not reflect any details or clue to his/her identity.
- The details of the complaint must be **specific and verifiable**.
- In order to protect the identity of the person, no acknowledgement will be issued and the whistle-blowers are advised **not to enter into any further correspondence** in their own interest.
- The commission can also take action against complainants making motivated/vexatious complaints under this resolution.

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