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## RTI as a Tool for Electoral Transparency and Accountability

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**No. of Participants:** 70

**Organized by:** Republica, Association of Political Science

**Speaker:** Ms. Shivani Kapoor, Program Officer (Legal)

The Political Science Association organized an online webinar on February 5, 2021, on the topic titled “**RTI as a Tool for Electoral Transparency and Accountability**” The webinar began with a welcome by Ms. Aggya Pandeya, Coordinator, Department of Political Science. Ms. Shivani Kapoor started her lecture by underlining that the government should be clean, transparent, and accountable to the electorate. The main focus of the lecture was on the issue of political parties and the lack of information regarding their funding. Ms. Kapoor said that we have had laws for every institution and organisation, but not for political parties especially their funds, which means that there was no way to penalise them earlier. This issue started to gain focus when political parties were asked for their IT>Returns by filing an appeal at the CIC. A law that came in 2008 exempted political parties from paying tax if they furnish their IT returns. Since then, ECI publishes the details of the income tax returns of these political parties. It is important to note that the achievements at providing transparency about the conduct of MPs, MLAs, etc. have been made only because of the numerous RTIs. She explained in great details why political parties should be brought under the ambit of Right to Information Act.

### Poster

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