



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION ITANAGAR

BEFORE THE HON'BLE COURT OF SHRI GUMJUM HAIDER, STATE INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

No.APIC- 577/2023

Dated, Itanagar the 29th Nov,2023.

Under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005

Appellant

Respondent

Shri Bengia Rina PO/PS-Koloriang, Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh.

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PIO –cum- EE,PWD Sangram Division, Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh.

JUDGEMENT ORDER

This is an appeal under section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 was received from Shri Bengia Rina, PO/PS- Koloriang, Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh, for non-furnishing of information, by PIO –cum- EE, PWD Sangram Division, Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh, as sought for by the appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005.

Brief fact of the case being that the appellant on 10.04.2023 filed an RTI application under 'Form-A' before the PIO, whereby, seeking various information regarding:

"All the works executed under PWD Subdivision Koloriang, 2020-2023,".

The above subject has been mentioned in detail under 'Form - A'.

The 1st hearing of this case was held on 19/10/2023. The Appellant was present, but the PIO was absent nor he had sent any representative to be present on his behalf. The case was heard ex-parte. The Court seriously viewed the absence of the PIO without any intimation and to show cause as to why he should be imposed a reasonable penalty as provided in the Section 20(I) of the RTI Act.2005 for violation of Sub Section (I) of the Section 7 of the RTI Act,2005 and failing which he should be invoked with the Section 20(2) of the RTI Act,2005. The next date of hearing of this case is fixed on 16/11/2023.

The 2nd hearing of this case was held on 16/11/2023. The representative of the PIO Shri B. Tare PA to EE cum PIO represented the case on behalf of the PIO and the Appellant was also present. After thorough study of this case and discussion on the matter the Court decided to dispose of the case as the information sought by the appellant is found to be vague as per Form A submitted by him which has been verbally informed to both the parties. However, a liberty has been given to the appellant to file a fresh of the case seeking specific information from the authority concerned or the concerned PIO.

Considering all the above aspects into account, I find this appeal fit to be disposed of as infructuous. And, accordingly, this appeal stands disposed of and closed for once and for all. Each copy of this order disposing the appeal is furnished to the parties.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission's Court on this 29th day of November 2023.

Sd/-(GUMJUM HAIDER) State Information Commissioner, APIC, Itanagar. Memo.No.APIC- 577/2023/1./23 Copy to: -

Dated, Itanagar, the 301h

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- 1. The PIO –cum- EE, PWD, Sangram Division, Kurung Kumey District Pin-791118 Arunachal Pradesh, for information & necessary action please.
- 2. Shri Bengia Rina, PO/PS-Koloriang, Kurung Kumey District, Pin 791118 Arunachal Pradesh, contact no.- 8732065069, Arunachal Pradesh, for information & necessary action please.
- 3. The Computer Programmer/ Computer Operator for uploading on the Website of APIC, please.

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Deputy Registrar

Arunachal Pradosh Information Commission Ranagar