



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION
ITANAGAR.

An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005

Case No. APIC-332/2026.

(Summon to appear in person)

(Or.5, R.3 of CPC)

APPELLANT

: Shri Bengia Papo, Akum Hapa colony, Chimpu-III

RESPONDENT

: The PIO, o/o the EE UD & Housing Koloriang Division
Kurung Kumey.

ORDER / SUMMONS

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 received from Shri Ratan Chetia for non-furnishing of below mentioned information by the PIO, o/o the EE UD & Housing Koloriang Division, Kurung Kumey District (A.P) as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dated 26.12.2025.

A) Name of the Work: C/o Material Recovery Facility (MRF) i/c CC road, B/wall, External Water supply and Electrification at Ruskin, Tawang, Roing, Doimukh, Dirang, Changlang, Yingkiong, Daporijo, Basar, Longding, Koloriang, Aalo, Seppa & Pangin" in budget estimate during 2024-25 under SASCI with the fund provision restricted to Rs 3450.00 lakh (Rupees Thirty Four Crore Fifty Lakh.

B) Details of Information:

1. Furnish the Name of work List with Sanctioned amount/ (TS) Sanction order/Work Order copy/first & final bill/LOC Copy with details of payment like Xerox copy of Cheque leaf/demand draft/banker cheque/Pay In slip for NEFT/RTGS/DBT deposit Slip vouchers per name of work order list wise by department.
2. Furnish the name of contractor with their contact number.
3. Furnish the Xerox copy of trading license of firm with their contact number of Proprietor/owner in work wise and copy of filing of GST return file for work wise or year wise with the showing deduction of % under BE/RE Funding head against each Firm or work during the year like GST/CGST/SGST/IGST etc.
4. Furnish coloring Photocopy of Geo-tag report in work list wise.
5. Furnish the money receipt list copy of contractor/firm bill payment with their name & contact number in work list wise who received the payment.
6. Furnish the details copy of billing sheets/scheme sheets in work wise.
7. Furnish details of MB records/cashbook statement in Work wise.
8. Furnish the certified coloring Photocopy of all the work sites by concern Officers.
9. Furnish the coloring photocopy/video graphic of every work site which might be before starting of work/Starting of work and ending of work.
10. Furnish name of officers & officials with their designation that carried out the works.

11. Furnish details of enlistment of contractor as per work department Rules Act 2008.
12. Furnish details of proprietor of firm/registration of certificate.
13. Furnish the copy of Land Agreement between land donor and Department through magistrate counter signed in Stamp paper.
14. Furnish the NIT/ Notice inviting tender copy along with two local news Paper channel and to furnish the newspaper too.
15. The entire bill Payment must be Paid to the Contractor accurately as per amount which mentioned in the Sanctioned Order/work order copy.

C) Period from which information asked for: 2024-25.

Brief facts emerging from the appeal and decision thereon:

Records emerging from the appeal disclose that the appellant, Shri Bengia Papo had requested the PIO for the aforementioned information/documents but failed to obtain the same which prompted him to appeal before the Chief Engineer, Department of Urban Development & Housing, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar, the First Appellate Authority (FAA) under Section 19 (1) of the RTI Act, 2005 vide his Memo of Appeal dtd. 06.02.2026.

The records also reveal that the FAA, the Chief Engineer, Department of Urban Development & Housing, had conducted the hearing and passed the following order:

"Judgment Order (5.3.2026)"

This is an appeal under Section 19 (1) of RTI Act, 2005 filed by Shri Bengia Papo, Chimpu-III, Itanagar, Papum Pare District (A.P) (Mobile No. 8258820863 /9402798349) vide his appeals of dated 6.2.2026 (IPO No.00H515508), 6.2.2026 (IPO No.00H515507), 16.2.2026 (IPO No.00H 515563) and 25.2.2026 (IPO No.00H515569) for non furnishing of required documents by the PIO-cum-EE (UD), Koloriang Division, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Koloriang, Kurung Kumey District (AP) as sought by the Appellant under Section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 vide Form 'A's dated 26.12.2025, 26.12.2025, 26.11.2025 and 8.12.2025.

Whereas, the First Appellate Authority-cum-Chief Engineer (UD) felt that there are reasonable grounds to hear and dispose-off the said appeals under the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005. Accordingly, the hearing for the said appeals was fixed on 5.3.2026 at 10 AM in the office Chamber of FAA-cum-CE (UD), Itanagar, as all the appeals are of similar nature.

During the hearing both the PIO and Appellant were present.

The Appellant had submitted Form 'A' on various dates i.e. 26.12.2025 /26.12.2025/26.11.2025 and 8.12.2025 to the PIO seeking information. The PIO in his reply vide letter No.EE/UDH/KLG/RTI-16/2022-23/575-76 Dated 18.2.2026 has asked the Appellant to deposit a sum of Rs.12,700/- (Rupees Twelve Thousand Seven Hundred) only being the fee for furnishing of relevant documents through Treasury Challan under relevant Head of Accounts and collect the documents. The Appellant stated that the letter was not received by him. The record of postal service or receipt in person was not substantiated by the PIO.

Having heard both the parties, it is ordered that the PIO should furnish all the information free of cost within 30 days time from the date of issue of this Order.

The case is disposed off.

Sd/-

(Taring Darang)

FAA-cum-Chief Engineer (UD)"

However, the appellant failed yet again to obtain the information and therefore, he preferred 2nd appeal before this Commission under section 19 (3) of the RTI Act. 2005 vide his Memo of appeal dt. 06.04.2026.

This appeal is, accordingly, listed today on 12.08.2026 but neither party appeared. The absence of the parties has been taken very seriously by this Commission. The appellant's absence, in particular, makes the Commission presume that he is not interested any longer in the sought for information. Resultantly, this appeal does not require any further adjudication in this Commission and is, therefore, disposed of and closed as such and as per the stipulation contained in the Summon notice dt.23.07.2026 ***that in default of your appearance, on the day above- mentioned, the matter will be heard and determined, including closure of the appeal, in your absence***

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission this 12th August, 2026.

Sd/-

(S. TSERING BAPPU)

State Information Commissioner,
APIC, Itanagar

Memo No. APIC- 332/2026 /50 Dated Itanagar, the 24 Aug., 2026

Copy to:-

1. The Chief Engineer UD & Housing Govt. of A.P, Itanagar, the First Appellate Authority (FAA) for information.
2. The PIO, o/o the EE UD & Housing Koloriang Division, Kurung Kumey District (A.P)PIN: 791118 for information.
3. Shri Bengia Papo, Akum Hapa Colony Chimpu-III PIN: 791113 Mobile No. 8258820863/ 9402798349 for information.
4. The Computer Programmer/Computer Operator for uploading on the Website of APIC, please.
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