



ITANAGAR, ARUNACHAL PRADESH

An appeal case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005

Vide Case No.APIC-533/2025

**BEFORE THE HON'BLE COURT OF SHRI VIJAY TARAM, THE STATE
INFORMATION COMMISSIONER, UNDER SECTION 19(3) OF RTI ACT, 2005.**

Shri Bachunum Yun

..... Appellant

-VERSUS-

PIO-Cum-Block Development Officer,
Wakro, Lohit District,
Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh

..... Respondent.

Order: 19.05.2026.

JUDGEMENT

This is an appeal filed under sub-section (3) of Section 19 of the RTI 2005. Brief fact of the case is that the Appellant, Shri Bachunum Yun on **21/01/2025** filed an RTI application in form 'A' before the PIO-cum-BDO, CD Block, Wakro, Lohit District, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh. Whereby seeking various information as quoted in Form 'A' application. The Appellant being not satisfied with the information received from the PIO filed the First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **04/03/2025**. Appellant again having not received the required information from the FAA, filed the Appeal before the Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission on **02/06/2025** and the Registry of the Commission (APIC) having receipt of the Appeal registered it as APIC- No. **533/A/2025** (Appeal) and processed the same for its hearing and disposal.

Accordingly, matter came up for hearing before the Commission on **26.02.2026 & 19.05.2026.**

Details of Information sought from the PIO;

1. Certified copy of Notice inviting Tender (NIT) of Material procurement under your CD Block from 2020 to till date.
2. Certified copy of Newspaper cuttings of (NIT) published in State/Local Newspaper from 2020 to till date.
3. Certified copy of all the Board Members of tender processing from 2020 to till date.
4. Certified copy of the Firm/Vendor/Supplier who won the tender and did the work from 2020 to till date.
5. Certified copy of payment done to Firm/Vendor/Supplier i.e cheque leafs/DD/PFMS/Cash/RTGS in details.
6. Certified copy of material procurement/bill year wise in details from 2020 to till date.
7. Certified copy of all the firms/ vendor who participated and submitted the bids.
 - i) Technical Bids
 - (ii) Financial Bids
8. Certified copy of firms qualified in technical bid and participate dint eh technical and financial bid along with comparative statement.
9. Certified copy of GST Reg. No., Income Tax Clearance Certificate, Latest Audit Report of last 3 (three) years duly certified/audited by Chartered Accountant of the firm. Bank Solvency Certificate, Firm Registration Certificate of the Firm/Vendor/ Supplier who did the work year wise.
10. Certified copy of name of all BDO, EO who executed/implemented the said work/schemes from 2020 to till date.
11. Certified copy of Geo-Tag. Geo-Coordinate, Photographs, Videography of the work Panchayat wise from 2020 to till date.
12. Certified copy of cashbook statement with page numbers or give hand receipt with payee name of the said work.
13. Certified copy of bill of the said work.

14. Certified copy of affidavit of having not more than 2(two) works in hand under the State Govt by the Firm.
15. Other details

-Inspection of work, documents and records under section 2(j) of RTI Act, 2005 to be assisted by BDO/EO of the said work/scheme/project.

Period from which information is asked for 2020 to till date.

In the second hearing held on 19.05.2026, the Appellant absent.

The PIO present through online mode.

Heard the PIO;

The PIO stated that all the information have been provided to the Appellant in the month of April' 2026, by sending it through Registered Post at the address of the Appellant.

After hearing the PIO and taking the absence of the Appellant seriously, the Commission hereby observes;

- i) The PIO has provided the remaining information to the Appellant which was not provided last time while the First Hearing held on 26.02.2026. The information was sent to the Appellant through Registered Post and the PIO has confirmed the delivery of the same Registered Post/letter from the Post Office.
- ii) The receipt of the information sent by the PIO to the Appellant is presumed by this Commission by the absence of the Appellant for the reason that, in the last hearing the Commission had clearly ordered on 26.02.2026 that the Appellant is to be present without fail in the next hearing, failing which this appeal will be heard and determined ex-parte. And despite the order to be present in the hearing, the absence of the Appellant implies that he is not serious on his appeal as absenting in the hearing without any letter of absence amply proves that the Appellant is no more interested to pursue the hearing.

Under the above observations, the Commission hereby dispose of this appeal ex-parte,

In view of the above facts and circumstances the Commission, find this appeal fit to be disposed of and closed. And accordingly this appeal stands disposed of and closed.

Judgment pronounced in the open Court of this Commission today on this 19th day of May' 2026.

Copy of this Judgment be furnished to the parties.

Given under my hand and seal of this Court on this 19th day of May 2026.

Sd/-

(Vijay Taram)

State Information Commissioner
APIC-Itanagar

Memo.No.APIC-533/A/2025 /1274

Dated Itanagar, the 19th May, 2026.

Copy to:

1. PIO-Cum-BDO, Wakro, Lohit District, Govt of Arunachal Pradesh for information and necessary action please. **Pin Code:792001**
2. Shri Bachunum Yun, Rock Land Tezu, Lohit District Arunachal Pradesh for information please. **Contact No.8279838414**
3. The Computer Programmer, APIC for uploading on the Website of APIC please.
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APIC, Itanagar.

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