



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION  
ITANAGAR**

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**BEFORE THE COURT OF SHRI RINCHEN DORJEE, STATE CHIEF INFORMATION COMMISSIONER**

No.APIC-246/2023

Dated, Itanagar the **30<sup>th</sup> January, 2024**

**An Appeal Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005**

**Appellant:** Shri Likha Tuna, Village Taib, PO/PS Yazali, Lower Subansiri District (Mobile No. 98561694113).

Vs

**Respondent:** The SPIO-cum-Executive Engineer, UD & Housing, Division Ziro, Lower Subansiri District-PIN-791120.

**ORDER**

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 has been received from Shri Likha Tuna, Village Taib, PO/PS Yazali, Lower Subansiri District for non-furnishing of information by the SPIO-cum-Executive Engineer, UD & Housing, Division Ziro, Lower Subansiri District as sought for by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 on 11/01/2022 regarding Infrastructure development of GPS Taib, under Mission Shiksha Schemes period from 2020 to till date.

**The 5<sup>th</sup> hearing is held today on 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2024.** Shri Nich Jacob, the SPIO-cum-Executive Engineer, UD & Housing, Division Ziro, Lower Subansiri District, Arunachal Pradesh is absent. The Appellant Shri Likha Tuna is present. Appellant submitted that he has received certain information but information for **Sl.no. h, j, v & w**, as sought at Form-A, Dated 11/01/2022 has not been furnished.

The commission directs the PIO to furnish information for **Sl.no. h, j, v & w**, as sought at Form-A, Dated 11/01/2022 within fifteen days from the date of issue of this order. If information are not available the PIO is directed to furnish justifiable reasons in writing to the appellant.

The absence of the PIO without prior intimation to the commission is viewed as gross violation of the provisions of the RTI Act and disrespect to it. The PIO had been penalized under section 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005. The Commission with a caution gives reasonable opportunity to appear before the commission in the next date of hearing.

Both the parties are directed to appear before the commission's court on the next date of hearing. In case the SPIO remains absent the disciplinary action under section 20(2) of the RTI Act 2005 shall be recommended to the appropriate authority against the PIO. In case the Appellant remains absent the case shall be disposed of without any further notice presuming that the Appellant has received information and is satisfied with the information furnished by the SPIO. The court is adjourned for the next date of hearing.



**The next date of hearing is fixed on 16<sup>th</sup> April, 2024 (Tuesday) at 1030 hrs.**

**Therefore, the SPIO-cum-Executive Engineer, UD & Housing, Division Ziro, Lower Subansiri District, Arunachal Pradesh is hereby summoned to appear before this Court in person on the scheduled date and time without fail.**

**Order copies be issued to all the parties.**

Sd/-

(Rinchen Dorjee)

State Chief Information Commissioner  
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission

Itanagar

Dated, Itanagar the 2<sup>Feb</sup> January, 2024

Memo No. APIC-246/2023/593

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1. The Deputy Commissioner, Govt. of A.P. Ziro, Lower Subansiri District, Arunachal Pradesh to ensure attendance of Shri Nich Jacob, the SPIO-cum-Executive Engineer, UD & Housing, Division Ziro, Lower Subansiri District, Arunachal Pradesh, in the Court of Hon'ble State Chief Information Commission, Itanagar.
2. The FAA-cum-Chief Engineer ( UD & Housing) Govt. of A.P., Directorate of UD & Housing, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, to ensure attendance of Shri Nich Jacob, the PIO-cum-Executive Engineer, UD & Housing, Division Ziro, Lower Subansiri District, Arunachal Pradesh, in the Court of Hon'ble State Chief Information Commission, Itanagar.
3. Computer Programmer, APIC, Itanagar, to upload in APIC Website.
4. Case file.

Registrar /Dy. Registrar

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Dep. Registrar  
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission  
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