



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION
ITANAGAR.

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

Case No. APIC- 171/2026.

(Summon to appear in person)

(Or.5 R.3 of CPC)

APPELLANT
RESPONDENT

: Shri Tamchi Gungte near KV-II Chimpu.
: The PIO, o/o the EE (RWD), Yingkiong Division,
Upper Siang.

ORDER/SUMMONS

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 received from Shri Tamchi Gungte for non-furnishing of below mentioned information by the PIO, o/o the EE (RWD), Yingkiong Division, Upper Siang District as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dated 27.09.2025.

- A. Particular of information:** C/o "Plan & Non-plan Works/projects sponsored by State fund/Central fund or both (such as SIDF/BE/RE/RIDF/SADA/ADA/MLA-LAD/ MPLAD/ SPA/ Article 275(1) PMJVK erstwhile MsDP/ CRIF/ PMDeVine/ NEC/ NESIDS/ Non-BADP/ SASCI/ VVP/ PMGSY/Maintenance works etc.) executed under the concern division" from the financial year 2015-16 to 2025-26.
- B. Details of information required:**
1. Copy of Total List of Completed Projects/works (Plan & non-plan) in which the Security Deposits has been refunded to the contractors (submitted in FDR etc. and deducted from each running bill and final bill @ 2.5% minimum, of the gross amount of Bill) under the division for each financial year from 2015-16 to 2025-26 with proper date of completion details.
 2. Copy of Register Of Security Deposit Form CPWA 67 maintained in the Division from the financial year 2015-16 to 2025-26 in respect of serial no. 1 mentioned above for each financial year from 2015-16 to 2025-26.
 3. Copy of Refund of Security Deposit (along with supporting documents of refund) to the Contractors as per agreement made in Forms CPWD 7 & 8 on the completion of works regulated by Clause 17 of GCC in respect of serial no.1 mention above for each financial year 2015-16 to 2025-26.
 4. Furnish all the above documents with CTC & proper manner (i.e. in serial wise with properly Index, proper paging of each financial year and separate books for each financial year for easy & better understanding).

Brief records emerging from the appeal:

Records in the appeal reveal that the appellant had requested for the aforementioned information from the PIO but failed to obtain the same which prompted him to file his 1st appeal under section 19(1) of the RTI Act before the CE (RWD), Eastern Zone, Itanagar, the First Appellate Authority (FAA) vide his memo of appeal dt.17.11.2025.

Records further disclose that the FAA conducted hearing on 13.01.2026 wherein the appellant, Shri Tamchi Gungte was present but the PIO despite summon from the FAA was absent without any intimation and the hearing was held in absence of the PIO and following order was passed :

"SPEAKING ORDER

No. RWD/RTI/YINGKIONG/520/2025::: As per the RTI Act 2005, U/s 19(1), a hearing was held in connection with the Case No. RWD/RTI/YINGKIONG/520/2025, on 13-01-2026 in the office chamber of Chief Engineer-Cum-FAA, RWD, E/Z, Itanagar.

Appellant Sh. Tamchi Gungle was present.

EE-Cum-PIO, RWD, Yingkiong was absent despite receiving summon.

Hearing was held in absence of PIO and decision was taken accordingly.

In this regard, the EE-cum-PIO, RWD, Yingkiong was directed to furnish the required information directly to the appellant within 20 days (twenty days) from the date of issue of this order with an intimation to this office. Further, the EE-cum-PIO, RWD, Yingkiong should be more careful while dealings with RTI correspondence/meeting fixed to avoid any future consequences.

In case of non-compliance of this order, the appellant may appeal before the Arunachal Pradesh Information Commissioner, Itanagar.

Accordingly, instant case has been disposed of.

*Sd/-
CE-cum FAA
RWD, E/Z,
Itanagar"*

The appellant, apparently, having failed to obtain the information despite FAA's direction, filed his 2nd appeal before this Commission under Section 19 (3) of the RTI Act 2005 vide his Memo of Appeal dt. 02.02.2026.

Accordingly, this appeal is listed today on 22nd July 2026 wherein the appellant, Shri Tamchi Gungte is absent without any intimation but the APIO, Er. Shri Eda Boko, AE is present in person. The absence of appellant in the hearing has been viewed seriously by this Commission and if he again absents in next hearing, this appeal shall stand closed without any notice.

This Commission, upon perusal of the list of queries numbering 3(three) in the application of the appellant, found that the information/documents sought for are not exempted under any of the exemption provision of section 8(1). During the course of hearing the APIO submitted that other than under the funding head of SIDF, the Yingkiong Division has not executed any schemes / projects under the rest of the funding heads.

In the premises as above, the o/o the PIO is directed to furnish the requested information / documents in respect of schemes under SIDF to the appellant at right earnest and report the compliance thereof on 21st August, 2026 so as not to constrain this Commission to invoke the penal provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Given under my hand and seal of the Commission on this 22nd July, 2025.

NOW THEREFORE, you are hereby summoned to appear in person or online in the Hon'ble Court of Shri Sangyal Tsering Bappu, **SIC in person on 21st August, 2026 (Friday) at 2 pm** to answer the claims, and you are directed to produce on that day all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your claims/defense.

Take notice 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.

To avail online hearing please at least notify or get in touch one day prior to the hearing, download "**WEBEX MEETING APP**" from Google Play store. For further technical assistance Shri Himanshu Verma, IT Consultant (Mobile no. 8319014957) maybe contacted.

Sd/-
(S. TSERING BAPPU)
State Information Commissioner,
APIC, Itanagar.

Memo No. APIC-171/2026 1767 Dated Itanagar, the 24 July, 2026

Copy to:

1. The Chief Engineer (RWD), Eastern Zone Itanagar, Papum Pare District, the First Appellate Authority (FAA) for information and compliance by the PIO.
2. The PIO, o/o the EE (RWD), Yingkiong Division, Upper Siang District PIN: 791002 for information and compliance..
3. Shri Tamchi Gungte, near KV-II School Chimpu PIN: 791113 Mobile NO. 9233567279 for information.
4. The Computer Programmer/Computer Operator for uploading on the website of APIC, please.
5. Office Copy.
6. S/Copy.

P. Singh
Registrar/ Deputy Registrar
APIC, Itanagar.
Deputy Registrar
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
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