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ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION
ITANAGAR.

An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005
Case No. APIC-231/2026.
(Summon to appear in person)
(Or.5 R.3 of CPC)

APPELLANT : Shri Ashok Sangbia, Model Vill. Seppa.
RESPONDENT : The PIO, o/o the EE (WRD), Seppa Division, East Kameng.

ORDER/SUMMONS

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 received from Shri Ashok Sangbia for non-furnishing of below mentioned information by the PIO, o/o the EE (WRD), Seppa Division, East Kameng District as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dated 02.12.2025.

A. Details of information require:

1) Certified copy of Category of all the contingency/casual staff serving under your division and sub-division.
2) Certified Copy of Appointment letter of all the contingency/casual staff serving under your Division and Sub-Division.
3) Certified copy of joining report/letter of all the contingency/casual staff serving under your division and sub-division.
4) Certified Copy of Place of posting of all the contingency/causal staffs serving under your Division and Sub-Division.
5) Certified copy of recruited advertised/Publication on 3 No. names of local newspaper cutting, electronic media, print media, news channels etc. of all the contingency/causal staff serving under your Division and Sub-division.
6) Certified copy of written examine mark obtained/walk interview along with videography/photography, if conducted the interview of all the contingency/casual staff serving under your division and sub-division.
7) Certified Copy of present strength of all the contingency/casual staff under serving your Division and Sub-Division.
8) Certified Copy of new strength vacate of all the contingency/casual staff serving under your division and sub-division.
9) Certified copy of Approval from competent authority of CE/SE recruited/advertised of all the contingency/casual staff serving under your division and sub-division.
10) Certified copy of all the supporting documents like Educational qualification, Aadhar card, ST, PRC, SC, OBC, Bank Passbook etc. of all the contingency/casual staff serving under your division and sub-division.
11) Certified Copy of total sanction strength of all the contingency/casual staff serving under your division and sub-division.
12) Certified copy of Recruitments rule (RR) of the contingency/casual staffs' approval from Administrative Reforms (AR) Department Govt. of (A.P).
13) Certified copy of attendance registers and active contact No. of all the contingency/casual Staffs serving under your division & sub division.
14) Certified copy of that employee who transferred from other district under Arunachal Pradesh to all the contingency/casual staff serving under your division and sub-division.

15) Certified copy of finance concurrence from Finance Department of Govt. of (A.P) for making the payment/disbursement to contingency/casual staff serving under your division & sub-division.
16) Certified copy of officer Name along with working contact Number of Chief Engineer and Superintending Engineer, Executive Engineer who appointed to all the contingency/Casual staff serving under your division and sub-division.
17) Certified Copy of Service identity card along with sign & seal from competent authority and active contact No. of all the contingency and casual staff serving under Division and sub-division.
18) Certified copy of Note sheet/OM/Recommendation letter from Ministers/Advisor to HM, HMLA, s Chief Engineer, Superintending Engineer etc. to all the Contingency/Casual staff serving under your division and sub-division

B. Period for which information asked for: 2016 to till date.

Brief facts emerging from the appeal:

Records in the appeal reveal that the appellant had requested the PIO for the aforementioned information but failed to obtain the same within the statutory period of one month which prompted him to file 1st appeal before the First Appellate Authority (FAA), the Chief Engineer, WRD (W/Z), Itanagar under section 19(1) of the RTI Act vide Memo of Appeal dt. 05.01.2026. But having failed yet again to obtain the information, he preferred his 2nd Appeal before this Commission under section 19(3) of the RTI Act vide Appeal Memo dt. 12.02.2026.

This appeal was, accordingly, listed on 10.07.2026 but both the appellant and the PIO were absent without any intimation.

This Commission, however, noticed that the FAA, the Chief Engineer (WRD), Western Zone, Itanagar, Govt. of A.P did not hear the appeal as required under section-19(1) of the RTI Act, 2005. As such this appeal was remanded to the Chief Engineer (WRD), Western Zone, Itanagar for conducting the hearing of the appeal and passing an appropriate order in speaking form within 1 (one) month from the date of receipt of this order. This Commission also concludds that the appellant, if felt aggrieved by the decision of the FAA, may prefer his 2nd appeal before this Commission under section 19 (3) of the RTI Act within 90 (ninety) days from the date of the FAA's order.

The appellant, vide his letter dt.13.10.26 (as reproduced hereunder), has now informed that he was furnished the requested information but complained that the PIO has furnished incomplete documents.

"R/Sir,

With due utmost respect and humble submission to informing you cited subject above I would like to inform your knowledge and notice in front of you is needful action please.

Last week's date on 3rd October, 2026, I have in person gone to receive some documents from O/O EE WRD Seppa Division, after I have received documents then I have thoroughly read all furnished documents by PIO cum EE O/O EE WRD Seppa Division, whereas that following seeking documents are not furnished by PIO cum EE as per form-A under section 6(1) RTI Act 2005, SL. No are given below as:

(E) Certified copy of recruited/advertised/Publication on 3-No name of local newspaper cutting, electronic media, print media, news channel etc of all contingency/casual staff serving under your division and sub-division.

(F) Certified copy of written examination marks obtained/walks interview along with videography/photography, if conducted the interview of all contingency/casual staff serving under your division and sub-division.

(J) Certified copy of recruitment rule (RR)/Departmental drafted rule Manual book CPWD of all the contingency/Casual staff approval from Administrative Reform (AR) Department Govt.of Arunachal Pradesh.

(0) Certified copy of Finance Concurrence from finance Department Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh for making payment/disbursement to contingency/Casual staff serving under your division and sub- division.

(R) Certified copy of Note sheet/Office Memorandums/recommendation letter from Hon'ble MLA, Hon'ble Minister, Advisor, Chief Engineer, Superintending Engineer etc to all contingency/casual Staff serving under your division and sub-division.

Therefore, sir, I earnest request you and your good office is kind summon your Hon'ble (APIC) Court me (Appellant) and PIO cum EE (Respondent) the next day of the hearing.

Enclosed: Previous summon hearing copy

Sd/-
(Ashok Sangbia)
Vill-Model Village Seppa."

In the premises as above, this Commission concludes that the PIO needs to be heard and accordingly, this appeal is listed on 27.11.26 and in the meantime, the PIO is directed to furnish the left out information to the appellant and report the compliance thereof in the hearing. It is, however, made clear that if the o/o the PIO does not hold any of the left out information/documents, then an appropriate reply/ explanation shall be furnished on an affidavit as required under section7(8)(i) read with section-18(3)(c) of the RTI Act, 2005 and under rule- 5(vi) of the AP Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) Rules, 2005 so as not to constrain this Commission to invoke the penal provisions of the RTI Act.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission on this 30th Oct., 2026.

NOW THEREFORE, you are hereby summoned to appear in person or online in the Hon'ble Court of Shri Sangyal Tsering Bappu, **SIC on 27th Nov., 2026 (Friday) at 2 p.m** 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- 231/2026/1981 Dated Itanagar, the 27 Oct., 2026

Copy to:-

1) The Chief Engineer (WRD), Western Zone Itanagar, the First Appellate Authority (FAA) for information and compliance.
2) The PIO, o/o the EE (WRD), Seppa Division, East Kameng District PIN: 790102 for information and compliance.
3) Shri Ahok Sangbia, Model Village Seppa East Kameng PIN: 790102 Mobile No. 8119994490 for information and compliance.
4) The Computer Programmer/Computer Operator for uploading on the Website of APIC please.
5) Office copy.
6) S/Copy.

Registrar/ Deputy Registrar
APIC, Itanagar.

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Itanagar