



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION
ITANAGAR**

**BEFORE THE HON'BLE COURT OF MAJOR GENERAL JARKEN GAMLIN, AVSM, SM,
VSM (RETD), STATE CHIEF INFORMATION COMMISSIONER**

No.APIC-267/2024

Dated, Itanagar the 5th April, 2025

Appeal Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005

Appellant: Shri Tamchi Sima, Khola Camp, Lower Bhalukpong, PO Bhalukpong, West Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-790114, (M) 8974157883.

Vs

Respondent: The PIO-cum-DFO, Govt. of A.P. Dept. of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Bomdila, West Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-790001.

ORDER

- 1). This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 filed by Shri Tamchi Sima, Khola Camp, Lower Bhalukpong, PO Bhalukpong, West Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, for non-furnishing of information by the PIO-cum-DFO, Govt. of A.P. Dept. of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Bomdila, West Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, as sought by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 vide Form-A Dated 14/03/2024 regarding Implementation of Catchment Area Treatment for execution of Kameng HE Project (Cost of project: 129.00 crore).
- 2). The 1st hearing was held on 18th February 2025 as scheduled. The PIO-cum-DFO, Govt. of A.P. Dept. of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Bomdila, West Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh was represented by Shri Kali Paja, RFO. The Appellant Shri Tamchi Sima had appeared before the court through video conferencing.
- 3). The Commission after scrutiny of documents and hearing the submission of both the parties, had directed the PIO to keep information prepared by 4th March 2025 and asked the Appellant to visit the office of the PIO on 4th March 2025 (Tuesday) at 1100hrs and collect the information. Also, within ten days after collection of the information the Appellant was asked to intimate the status to the Commission for disposal of the case or for fixing the next date of hearing.
- 4). The Appellant vide letter No. nil dated 25/03/2025 informed the Commission that the PIO had furnished incomplete information. The information for the query no. 14 of the Form-A dated 14/04/2024 had not been furnished by the PIO.
- 5). The Commission giving reasonable opportunity to the PIO to furnish information for query no. 14 of the Form-A dated 14/04/2024 and to hear from the Appellant decides to fix a date of hearing.
- 6). The next date of hearing is fixed on 6th May 2025 (Tuesday) at 1100hrs.

7). Take notice that in case of default in appearance on the day of hearing mentioned above, the appeal will be heard and determined ex-parte. If the PIO is found absent during the hearing, penalty under section 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 shall be invoked against him/her. If the Appellant fails to appear, the case shall be disposed of without any further notice.

Order copies be issued to all the parties.

Sd/-

[Major General Jarken Gamlin, AVSM, SM, VSM (Retd)],
State Chief Information Commissioner
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission

Itanagar

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Dated, Itanagar the 04 April, 2025

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1. The PIO-cum-DFO, Govt. of A.P. Dept. of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Bomdila, West Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-790001.
2. Shri Tamchi Sima, Khola Camp, Lower Bhalukpong, PO Bhalukpong, West Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-790114, (M) 8974157883.
3. Computer Programmer, APIC, Itanagar, to upload in APIC Website & send mail to all the parties.
4. Case file.

Registrar/ Dy. Registrar

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