



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION
ITANAGAR.

An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005
Case No. APIC-820/2025.

APPELLANT : Shri Tamchi Gungte, near KV-II School Chimpu Itanagar,
RESPONDENT : The PIO, o/o the Director of TRIHMS, Naharlagun.

ORDER

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 received from Shri Tamchi Gungte for non-furnishing of 11(eleven) point information regarding c/o "Establishment of New Medical College attached with District/ Referral Hospitals (Tomo Riba Institute of Health and Medical Science, Naharlagun by the PIO, o/o the Director of TRIHMS, Naharlagun as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dated 21.07.2025.

This appeal was, heard 3 (three) times on 13.03.2026, 10.04.2026 and 29.05.2026 and following orders were passed:

- a) On 13.03.2026, upon noticing that the documents/information against the appellant's queries needed to be provided satisfactorily to the appellant, the PIO was directed to comply with the requirement of law that if he does not hold any of the requested documents, he shall furnish an appropriate *reply to that effect in an affidavit as required by law under section-7(8)(i) r/w section-18(3)(c) of the RTI Act, 2005 and under rule- 5(vi) of the AP Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) Rules, 2005* and report compliance therewith on 10.04.2026.
- b) On 10.04.2026, this Commission after perusing the remaining information/replies brought in the by the PIO, further directed the PIO to furnish the left out information and/or the affidavit **within 1(one) week from the date of receipt of order 10.04.26 and intimate this Commission.**
- c) On 29.05.26 the PIO did not appear due to his pre-occupation in inspection of the TRIHMS conducted by the National Board of Examination in Medical Science (NBEMS). The PIO was, hence directed to be present on 08.06.25 with the affidavit as directed earlier.

The hearing was, however, held on 11.06.2026 wherein the PIO accompanied by the FAO, TRIHMS as well as the appellant were present. As directed, the PIO brought in the left out information including the Cash Book for inspection by the appellant. During the course of hearing the FAO explained to the appellant the procedure/ mode of *payments to the contractor/firms* being followed in the TRIHMS which is through the PFMS mode. The appellant was, hence, satisfied largely with the information / replies to his query at Sl.No.2 (*the copy of memo of payments containing the particulars of cheque, vouchers etc. with the copies thereof*).

In the premises as above, the appellant was directed to go through the rest of the documents/information furnished by the PIO and report the shortcoming, if any, thereon to this Commission on or before 18.06.2026.

The appellant, vide his letter dt.13.07.2026 (as reproduced hereunder), has now complained that the PIO did not furnish the remaining documents/information and pleaded for direction to the PIO to furnish the remaining information.

"Respected Sir,

With utmost respect, I am writing to inform you sir that as per the hearing conducted at your chamber at 8th June, 2026, the PIO was directed to furnish the remaining document to the appellant. But, still I haven't receive any documents from the PIO. Therefore, I request the honorable Court to fix another date of hearing and direct the PIO to fix another date of hearing and direct the PIO to furnish the remaining documents.

Thank you

Date 13/07/2026

Sd/

Yours sincerely

Tamchi Gungte (Appellant)."

In the premises as above, the PIO is directed to furnish the left out information or furnish appropriate replies on an affidavit as required by law and report the compliance on 19.08.26, the next date of hearing to avoid penal action.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission on this 21st July, 2026.

NOW THEREFORE, the PIO is hereby summoned to appear in person in the Hon'ble Court of Shri Sangyal TseringBappu, **SIC in person on 19.08.2026 (Wednesday) at 10.30 am** to answer the claims, and you are directed to produced on that day all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your claims / defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance, on the day above- mentioned, the matter will be heard and determined in your absence.

Sd/-

(S. TSERING BAPPU)

State Information Commissioner,

APIC, Itanagar.

Memo No. APIC- 820/2025

Dated Itanagar, the 21, July, 2026

Copy to:

- 1) The Director of TRIHMS Naharlagun B-Sector, Papum Pare District (A.P), the First Appellate Authority (FAA) PIN: 791110 for information and ensuring compliance by the PIO.
- 2) The PIO, o/o the Director of TRIHMS Naharlagun B-Sector, Papum Pare District (A.P) PIN: 791110 for information and compliance.
- 3) Shri Tamchi Gungte, Near KV-2 School Chimpu, Itanagar Mobile No. 9233567279 for information.
- 4) The Computer Programmer/Computer Operator for uploading on the Website of APIC please.
- 5) Office copy.
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