



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION ITANAGAR.

An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 Case No. APIC-252 /2025.

APPELLANT

: Shri Tamchi Gungte, Chimpu Itanagar

RESPONDENT

: The PIO, o/o the Executive Engineer (PWD), Ziro Division,

Lower Subansiri District.

ORDER

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 Executive Engineer (PWD), Ziro Division, Lower Subansiri District Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dated 04.10.24:

<u>Particular of information:</u> C/o "Establishment of Cultural Centre in Old Ziro Lower Subansiri District." During the financial year 2022-23

- 1. The certified sanction order copy.
- 2. The certified LOC Copy with respect to the subject mentioned above.
- 3. The certified copy of Utilization Certificate.
- 4. The certified copy of Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) with respect to the subject mentioned above.
- 5. The certified Progress Report of the projects in physical and financial section till date.
- 6. The certified copy of the completion certificate of the project.
- 7. The certified copy of Newspaper in which NIT was published (At least 3 newspaper name (One National & 2 Local) along with date of publication of Newspaper, as per Govt. approved Order.
- 8. The certified Design and Scope of Work in the projects.
- 9. The certified copy of Work Specification of the projects.
- 10. The certified copy of the documents submitted by tender participant for Technical Bid.
- 11. The name of Firms who won the tender work with respect to the subject mentioned above.
- 12. The name of officers and their Designation at the time of monitoring work.
- 13. The certified copy of Contractor Registration, Pass work Completion, Contractor Enlistment Update reports of tender participant and winning firm.
- 14. The certified copy of EMD and Security money deposited by all the tender participant.
- 15. The certified Integrity Pact submitted by the tender participant.

- 16. The certified Affidavit copy Sworn before a Competent Magistrate to the effect that he/she (tender participant), does not have 2 (two) or more incomplete ongoing commitment (projects /contract to execute) at the time of bidding by the tender participant and winning firm. (as per rule SPWD/W-66/2012 Dated 01.08.2018).
- 17. The certified documents submitted by tender participant and winning firm, i.e copy of completed three similar work each of value not less than 40% of the estimate cost or completed two similar work each of value not less than 60% of the estimate cost or completed one similar work of value not less than 80% of the estimated in the last 5 years ending last day of the month previous to the one in which the tenders are invited.
- 18. The Certified copy of Acceptance letter for tender work by the Executing Agency to the tender winning firm.
- 19. The certified copy of work order given to the contractor by the Executing Department.
- 20. The certified copy of Modes adopted for the execution of work through EPC mode by the Dept.
- 21. The Agreement copy made between the contractor and the Executive Agency for the projects mentioned above.
- 22. The photograph of worksite (Glossy paper) before starting of work and Photograph (Glossy paper) after completion of work.
- 23. The Geo Coordinate information for the work mentioned above.
- 24. The certified Payment Details of the project 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 appeal before the First Appellate Authority (FAA), the CE (PWD), Central Zone-A, Govt. of A.P. Itanagar under section 19(1) of the RTI Act vide his Memo of Appeal dt.18.11.24. But he failed yet again to obtain the information. Therefore, he preferred his second appeal before this Commission under section 19(3) of the RTI Act vide his Appeal Memo dt.17.03.2025.

Records also reveal that the FAA had conducted the hearing on 20.12.2024 but the Appellant Shri Tamchi Gungte was absent. The hearing was, therefore, adjourned to next date with a warning to the appellant that if he fails to appear the appeal shall be dismissed/rejected. The appeal was, thus, disposed of by the FAA with liberty to the appellant to prefer 2nd appeal before this Commission. Hence, this appeal before this Commission.

Hearing and decision:

This appeal was heard on 18.07.2025 wherein the appellant, Shri Tamchi Gungte and Er. Shri Radha Monty, AE-cum-APIO were present.

This Commission, upon hearing the parties and considering the reasons for non-furnishing of the replies by the PIO, held then that the failure on the part of the PIO to furnish the requested information was, indeed, for genuine and justified reasons. However, since the PIO was mandated to furnish the documents to the appellant as requested by him which has been found not covered by any of the exemption clauses under section 8 of the RTI Act, 2005, this Commission had directed the PIO to furnish whatever documents are available in his office till now and also furnish declaration by way of affidavit against those which are not available within 1(one) month from the date of receipt of the order dt. 22.07.2025.

The appellant, vide his letter dt. 22.08.2025 complained that the PIO, despite this Commission's order and his assurance, failed to provide the left out information and as such pleaded for taking penal action against the PIO. This appeal is, thus, listed today again on 10.09.2025 with the direction to the PIO to appear with the left out information.

The APIO, Er. Shri Radha Monty, AE is present but the appellant is absent. The appellant, however, informed vide his letter dt.10.09.2025 that he has received the requested information from the PIO and he is satisfied therewith and accordingly. prayed for disposal and closure of the appeal.

In the premises as above, this appeal stands disposed of and closed.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission on this 10th Sept., 2025.

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

Memo No. APIC- 252/2025

dated Itanagar, the W Sept., 2025

1. The Chief Engineer (CE), (PWD), govt of A.P Central Zone-A, Itanagar, the First Appellate Authority (FAA) for information.

2. The PIO, o/o the Executive Engineer (PWD), Ziro Division, Lower Subansiri District, A.P PIN: 791120 for information.

3. Shri Tamchi Gungte, Near KV-2 School Chimpu PO/PS Chimpu, Mobile No. 9233567279 for information.

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