



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION

ITANAGAR.

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

Case No. APIC-43/2025.

APPELLANT :Shri Nechang Kamki, Upper Niti Vihar, Itanagar

RESPONDENT :The PIO, o/o the Divisional Forest Officer Yingkiong, District Upper Siang (A.P)

ORDER

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 received from Shri Nechang Kamki for non-furnishing of below mentioned information by the PIO, o/o the Divisional Forest Officer, Yingkiong, Upper Siang District Arunachal Pradesh as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dated 27.09.2024.

A) Particular of information: Green India Mission (GIM)

B) Details of information required:

1. How much fund received under your Division from Green India Mission (GIM) since 2021-22 till date.
2. List of works executed from Division from green India Mission (GIM) 2021-22 to till date.
3. List of VFMCs/Contractors where works have been distributed under Green India Mission (GIM) with amount and works carried out departmentally with amount from your Division since 2021-22 to till date ?
4. Geo -Tag and MIS reports of all the sites where works under Green India Mission (GIM) has been executed since 2021-22 to till date.
5. Sanction order copies and Utilization Certificate for Green India Mission (GIM) since 2021-22 to till date.
6. List of species planted, nos of seedlings raised in nurseries and nos. of plantation carried out in each sites from Green India Mission (GIM) under your division 2021-22 to till date.
7. Copy of GST return 3B filed of all the suppliers/contractors before releasing payment.
8. Copy of Advertisement, tender that was floated in the mass media or provide its link for NIT.
9. Copy of winner firm.
10. Copies of all the tender participants firm.

C) Period for which information asked for: 2021-24.

This appeal was heard for 2(two) times earlier on 25.04.2025 and 16.07.2025.

This Commission, upon hearing the appellant and on noticing that the documents sought for were not covered by any of the exemption provisions of section 8(1) of the RTI Act, the PIO o/o the DFO, Yingkiong was directed, in the interim, vide order dt. 25.04.2025, to furnish the sought for information/documents to the appellant within a period of 3(three) weeks from the date of receipt of order 26.06.2025.

The Appellant was also directed to intimate this Commission of the receipt of the information within 1(one) week.

The appellant, vide letter dt.21.05.2025 had intimated this Commission that the PIO did not furnish the requested information/documents despite this Commission's direction. This appeal was, therefore, heard for second time on 16.07.2025 wherein Shri Kamin Dai, RFO appeared on behalf of the PIO. The appellant, accompanied by his Counsel, Shri Dope Ori was present in person.

This Commission after hearing the representative of the PIO and perusing the the appellant's queries in his RTI application dt.27.09.2025 seriatim, the PIO was directed to furnish the information/documents against all the points in tabular form and duly indexed and certified by the PIO with seal for 3 (three) FYs-2021-22, 2022-23 and 2023-24. However, the geo-tag photograph and MS report shall be provided for one FY- 2023-24.

The PIO was, accordingly, directed to furnish the documents/information within one month from the date of receipt of this order dt. 18.07.2025. But the appellant, Shri Nechang Kamki, vide his letter dt.25.08.2025, complained that even after lapse of 30 days from the date of this Commission's order, the PIO did not furnish him the requested information and as such pleaded for action under section 20 of the RTI Act, 2025.

As such the appeal was again listed today on 17th September, 2025 wherein the appellant, Shri Nechang Kamki is present in person The PIO, Shri Atek Sitek, DFO Yingkiong is also present with the requested information/documents on GIM Scheme for the period 2021-22 & 2022-23 and Geo-tag photographs with MIS report for the year 2023-24. The Documents/information brought in by the PIO are as under:

Sl. No.	Information sought	Reply
1.	How much fund received under your Division from Green India Mission (GIM)sine 2021-22 to till date	i) 2021-22 Rs. 406.48 Lakhs ii) 2022-23 Rs. 666.36
2.	List of works executed from Division from Greed India Mission (GIM)	Enclosed at Annexure – I (Support Activity at page-9,10 & 12)
3.	List of VFMCs/Contractors where works have been distributed under GIM with amount and works carried out departmentally with amount from your Division since 2021-22 to till date	Enclose as Annexure – I (Pages – 1 to 12)
4.	Geo-Tag and MIS reports of all the sites where works under GIM has been executed since 2021-22 to till date.	Enclose as Annexure – II (Pages – 1 to 100)
5.	Sanction order copies and utilization certificate for Green India Mission (GIM) since 2021-22 to till date	Enclose as Annexure – III (Pages – 1 to 12)
6	List of species planted, numbers of seedlings raised in nurseries and numbers of plantation carried out each sites from GIM under your division since 2021-22 to till date.	Enclose as Annexure – IV (Pages – 1 to 6)

7	Copy of GST return 3B filed of all the suppliers/contractors before releasing payment.	N/Applicable
8.	Copy of Advertisement, tender that was floated in mass media or provide its link for NIT	N/A
9.	Copy of Winner Firm	N/A
10.	Copies of all the tender participant firm	N/A

The PIO submitted that the queries at Sl. No 7 to 10 have not been replied because the works were executed through the Village Forest Management Committee (VFMC) for which the question of GST, NIT and tender participant firms does not arise which is as per guidelines.

This Commission after hearing the PIO and after perusing the documents, which appeared to be in form, directed the appellant to go through the documents furnished by the PIO and inform this Commission about his satisfaction or otherwise therewith within one week from the date of receipt of this order for consideration.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission on this 17th Sept., 2025.

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

Memo No. APIC- 43/2025 / 1640 Dated Itanagar, the 18 Sept., 2025

Copy to:

1. The Chief Conservator of Forest Govt. of A.P Central Circle Pasighat East Siang District (A.P), the First Appellate Authority for information.
2. The PIO, o/o the Divisional Forest Officer (DFO), Yingkiong (DFO), Upper Siang, Arunachal Pradesh for information.
3. Shri Nechang Kamki, Upper Niti Vihar, Itanagar, Mobile No. 9436872228 for information.
4. The Computer Programmer/Computer Operator for uploading on the Website of APIC, please.
5. Office copy.
6. S/Copy.

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18/09/25
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APIC, Itanagar.

Deputy Registrar
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
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