



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION
ITANAGAR.

An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005
Case No. APIC-299/2026.

APPELLANT : Shri Mamu Sono, Sood Vill. Nlg.
RESPONDENT : The PIO, o/o the Executive Engineer (RWD), Seppa Division, East Kameng District, Seppa.

ORDER

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 received from Shri Mamu Sono for non-furnishing of below mentioned information by the PIO, o/o the Executive Engineer (RWD), Seppa Division, East Kameng District (A.P) as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dated 06.11.2025.

A) Particular of information: regarding the c/o Road from New Seppa (9km) Point on Seppa Tallang road to Loffa-Stag- I & II.

D) Details of information require:

1. Furnish the copies of MOA/MOU/agreement made in between RWD Department and concern company/firm for the Implementation of above mentioned Project under the RWD, Department.
2. Furnish the copies of total sanction amount order letter along with additional sanction amount.
3. Furnish the copies of executed contractors/firms name.
4. Furnish the copies of acceptance letter awarded to the contractors/firms.
5. Furnish the copies of financial, technical & final bidding documents.
6. Furnish the copies of quantity of work executed till date.
7. Furnish the copies of U/C submitted by the department to the State government/central government.
8. Furnish the copies of monitoring report, money receipt and completed report.
9. Furnish the copies of name of the third party monitoring agency along with guidelines for third party monitoring or implementation of the above mentioned project/ scheme.
10. Furnish the copies of News paper cutting published in any local or national news paper agency as NIT with front page which were published by which news paper agency.
11. Furnish the copies of name and the place where the work executed/ implemented.
12. Furnish the copies of details of GST payment or bills paid or in details.
13. Furnish the copies of works experience, documents of the Firms/contactors.
14. Furnish the copies of completion certificate of the work.
15. Furnish the copies of P/A holder and name of firm/company in details.
16. Furnish the copies of colour videos, audios and photos clips were taken (before, during and after the work executed/completed.
17. Furnish the copies of GEO-TAGG (Before, during and after the work executed/completed.

18. Furnish the copies of work order and total numbers of tender participated list & total list of selected Firms for awarded the project.
 19. Furnish the copies of DPR In details.
 20. Furnish the copies of all letter pad/DO letters by Hon'ble Minister, MLAs for awarding of contract work.
 21. Furnish the copies of NIT & NIQ submission letters.
 22. Furnish the copies of cheque issued to contractor, firm, agency and company with cheque no. In details.
 23. Furnish the copies of money paid to firm/contractors and balance amount.
 24. Furnish the copies of MB & Copies of payment Bill/Payment of Bouchers.
 25. Furnish the copies of present status of the project.
 26. Furnish the copies of EMD and copy of Bank Guarantee (BG)
 27. Furnish the copies of Security money deposited by the firms/contractors.
 28. Furnish the copies of Trading Licenses In details and profile details.
 29. Furnish the copies of comparative charts/statement charts.
- E) Period for which information required: Since from execution of work 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 appeal before the First Appellate Authority (FAA), the Chief Engineer (RWD) PMGSY, A.P, Itanagar, under section 19(1) of the RTI Act vide their Memo of Appeal dt. 09.02.2026. But having failed yet again to obtain the information, he preferred second appeal before this Commission under section 19(3) of the RTI Act vide Appeal Memo dtd. 26.03.2026.

This appeal is, accordingly, listed today on 15.07.2026, but none of the parties appeared.

This Commission, however, notices that there is no record of the FAA's, the Chief Engineer (RWD) PMGSY, A.P, Itanagar conducting the hearing of the appeal.

The First Appellate Authority, under the RTI regime, is a quasi-judicial authority under section 19 (1) of the RTI Act, 2005 and as such he is required to hold hearing giving adequate opportunity to both the appellant and the respondent PIO and after applying his mind to the case / going into the aspect as to whether the information/documents requested by the appellants are disclosable or are exempted under the relevant provisions of section 8 or 9 of the RTI Act, pass a reasoned and speaking order. Since, the FAA did not discharge his mandated duties as above, this appeal is a fit case to be remanded to the Chief Engineer (RWD) (PMGSY), Govt. of A.P, Itanagar, for adjudication.

Accordingly, this appeal is remanded to the Chief Engineer (RWD) (PMGSY), Govt. of A.P, Itanagar, the FAA for adjudication and passing an appropriate order within 1 (one) month from the date of receipt of this order. The PIO and the appellants are directed to appear in the hearing, when called for by the FAA.

This Commission also concludes that the appellants, if aggrieved by the decision of the FAA, may prefer their 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 for which no fees need be paid to this Commission.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission on this 15th July, 2026.

Sd/-

(S. TSERING BAPPU)

State Information Commissioner,
APIC, Itanagar.

Memo No. APIC- 299/2026 12/7 Dated Itanagar, the 12 July, 2026

Copy to:-

1. The Chief Engineer (RWD) PMGSY Itanagar, the First Appellate Authority (FAA) for information and ensuring compliance by the PIO.
2. The PIO, o/o the Executive Engineer (RWD), Seppa Division, East Kameng District (A.P) PIN: 790102 for information and compliance.
3. Shri Mamu Sono, Sood Village Nlg. PIN: 791110 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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