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सूचना का अधिकार
RIGHT TO INFORMATION

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-365/A/2025

Dated, Itanagar the 14th October' 2026

Appeal Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005

Appellant: Shri Bamang Pacho, Near Main Power House, IG Park, House No. IMC 491, W-10, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791111, (M) 9402275313.

Vs

Respondent: Er. Yomken Karga, the PIO-cum-EE (PWD), Koloriang Division, (Damin), Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791118.

O R D E R

1). This was an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 filed by Shri Bamang Pacho, Near Main Power House, IG Park, House No. IMC 491, W-10, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, for non-furnishing of information by the PIO-cum-EE (PWD), Koloriang Division, (Damin), Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh, as sought by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 vide Form-A Dated 06/02/2025 regarding ; (1) various work under Budget Estimate (BE) 2023-2024, and (2). Approach road from BRO Helipad Lee to CO cum BDO resident via Hospota / general ground, (3) C/o WRSB over Rashik river and etc under Budget Estimate (BE) 2023-2024.

2). The 4th hearing was held on 21st April' 2026. Er. Yomken Karga, the PIO-cum-EE (PWD), Koloriang Division, (Damin), Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh and the Appellant Shri Bamang Pacho were absent.

3). The Commission, in view of the order dated 3rd March'2026, had decided to dispose of the Appeal. However, due to the absence of PIO and for want of a reply to the Show Cause Notice, the Commission decided to keep the case in abeyance till receipt of reply from the PIO.

4). Reasonable opportunity was afforded to the PIO to reply to the Show Cause Notice but the PIO failed to do so.

5). Since, the Appellant was absent during the 4th hearing without prior intimation, as such the appeal is closed. However, if required, the Appellant may appeal under Section 23 of the RTI Act 2005.

6). In view of the intentional and deliberate violation of provisions of the RTI Act 2005 and non-compliance of orders of the Commission by the PIO, the Commission decided to penalize the PIO under Section 20(1) of the RTI Act 2005. Thereby, Er. Yomken Karga, the PIO-cum-EE (PWD), Koloriang Division, (Damin), Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh is imposed with a **penalty of Rs. 25, 000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only)**. Er. Yomken Karga, the PIO-cum-EE (PWD), Koloriang Division, (Damin), Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh is directed to deposit the said penalty amount in favour of the Registrar, Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission, Itanagar through Treasury Challan in the Head of Account **"0070-Other Administrative Charge".**

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7). The penalty amount has to be deposited before **30th October' 2026** and the proof of depositing the amount through treasury challan along with reply to Show Cause Notice to be brought before the Commission on **10th November'2026 (Tuesday) in person by the PIO**, failing which additional action shall be initiated under Section 20(2) of the Act i.e. recommendation for disciplinary action and arrest warrant under 18(3)(a) of the RTI Act to compel the attendance in person before the Commission.

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

Memo No.APIC-365/A/2025 / 592 **Dated, Itanagar the** 16 **October' 2026**

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1. The FAA-cum-Chief Engineer, PWD Western Zone, Itanagar, Mowb-II, PIN-791111 for information and necessary action.
2. Deputy Commissioner, Koloriang, Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh for information and necessary action.
3. The Superintending Engineer, Yachuli Civil circle, PWD Arunachal Pradesh Yachuli, PIN-791119 for information and necessary action.
4. Er. Yomken Karga, the PIO-cum-EE (PWD), Koloriang Division (Damin), Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791118 for compliance.
5. Shri Bamang Pacho, Near Main Power House, IG Park, House No. IMC 491, W-10, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791111, (M) 9402275313 for information.
6. Computer Programmer, APIC, Itanagar, to upload in APIC Website.
7. Case file.

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Itanagar

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Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
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