



**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-07/A/2026

Dated, Itanagar the 21st July' 2026

An Appeal Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005

Appellant: Shri Tamchi Gungte, Near KV-II School Chimpu, PO/PS Chimpu, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-79113, (M) 923356279.

Vs

Respondent: Er. Tage Tagia, PIO -cum-Executive Engineer, Govt. of A.P., Hydropower Dept. Hayuliang Division, Anjaw District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-792104.

ORDER

1). This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 filed by Shri Tamchi Gungte, Near KV-II School Chimpu, PO/PS Chimpu, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh, for non-furnishing of information by the PIO -cum-Executive Engineer, Govt. of A.P., Hydropower Dept. Hayuliang Division, Anjaw District, Arunachal Pradesh, as sought by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 vide Form-A Dated 06/10/2025 regarding total list of completed Plan & Non-Plan Works / projects sponsored by State fund / Central fund or both (such as SIDF/BE/RE/RIDF/SADA/ADA/MLA-LAD/MP-LAD/SPA/Article 275 (1)/PMJVK/PMD eVINE/NEC/NESIDS/ Non-BADP Maintenance work etc.) executed under the division, from the financial year 2019 to 2026.

2). The re-scheduled 2nd hearing was held on 21st July' 2026 (Tuesday) at 1100 hrs.. Er. Tage Tagia, PIO -cum-Executive Engineer, Govt. of A.P., Hydropower Dept. Hayuliang Division, Anjaw District, Arunachal Pradesh appeared before the Commission. The Appellant Shri Tamchi Gungte was present in person.

3). The Appellant informed the Commission that the PIO had furnished some information which were not marked serially and it was difficult to extract/unearth the actual information. Hence, he requested the Commission to direct the PIO to furnish information sequentially as listed out in Form-A.

4). The PIO informed that the information as sought by the Appellant had been furnished although it was voluminous and that the Appellant should make an effort to extract the required information.

5). The Commission observed that though the Appellant had sought for too many information the PIO made an effort to provide the same despite constraints which was appreciable. The Appellant was advised to seek specific information in the future to facilitate easier and faster response from public authorities. The Commission also cautioned the Appellant to confine the period of information being sought to 1-3 years maximum instead of demanding information for periods extending upto 8-10 years, on the logic that since the Appellant is only trying to identify mismanagement or malpractice in the system, it can easily be extracted from the information of 1-3 years, and that seeking information for a period beyond is infructuous.

6). The Commission also noted that the Appellant had earlier absented from the hearing at the FAA's court on 21st April' 2026, which in effect, should have debarred him from appealing to the APIC. However, since the appeal was admitted and now been heard he was advised to comply with the provisions of the RTI Act in processing his appeals in the future.

7). **The Commission directed the Appellant to go through the information provided by the PIO in detail and provide list of specific additional information required to the Commission in the next 30 days from the date of issue of this order. Further action would be decided based on inputs received from the Appellant.**

8). In case no response is received within the stipulated period the case will be disposed of.

Order copy be issued to all the parties.

Sd/-

[Major General Jarken Gamlin, AVSM, SM, VSM (Retd)],
State Chief Information Commissioner
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission

Itanagar

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Dated, Itanagar the 24 July' 2026

Copy to:

1. The PIO -cum-Executive Engineer, Govt. of A.P., Hydropower Dept. Hayuliang Division, Anjaw District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN- 792104 for compliance.
2. Shri Tamchi Gungte, Near KV-II School Chimpur, PO/PS Chimpur, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791113, (M) 923356279 for compliance.
- ✓ 3. Computer Programmer, APIC, Itanagar, to upload in APIC Website.
4. Case file.

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Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission

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Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
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