



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION (APIC)
ITANAGAR

File No. APIC-63/2026(Appeal)

Shri Tamchi Gungte

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Appellant

versus

PIO-cum-Executive Engineer, WRD

Hawai Division, Anjaw District A.P
Pin: 792104

Respondent

ORDER

Date of Hearing: 20.07.2026
Date of Decision: 20.07.2026

INFORMATION COMMISSIONER : Dani Gamboo

Relevant facts emerging from appeal.

RTI application filed on	:	17.10.2025
SPIO replied on	:	not on record
First appeal filed on	:	25.11.2025
First Appellate Authority's Order	:	16.12.2025 (Hearing Notice)
Second Appeal filed on	:	07.01.2026

Information sought:

The appellant has filed an RTI application dated 17.10.2025 seeking following information with respect to C/o "plan & non Plan works/ projects sponsored by state fund/ Central fund or both (such as SIDF/BE/RE/RIDF/SADA/ADA/MLALAD/MPLAD/SPA/Article 275(1)/PMJVK/ CRIF/PMDevine/NEC/NESIDS/Non-BADP/ SASCI/PMSKY/FMBAP maintenance work etc.), executed under the concern division" from the financial year 2016 -17 to 2025-26.

Particulars of sought information are given below: -

1. Copy of Total list of works/projects (Plan & Non-plan) under various scheme head mentioned above (state/central scheme or both as mentioned above) executed under the



division, along with the details of cost of each project for each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

2. Copy of Commencement of work/Work Order letter issued to the Contractor engaged in the Project/work in respect of serial no. 1.

3. Copy of total amount of LOCs and Fund allocations received to the division for each project/works for each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

4. Copy of total amount of funds received (LOCs, Grant in Aids and any other form) in the division in respect of Serial no.1 of Form-A, undertaken and executed by the division from each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

5. Reply statement from the division that the complete payment has been made as per LOCs/ fund allocation to the contractors, after certain deduction mandate by the Govt in respect of serial no. 1 of Form-A for each financial year 2016-17 to 2025-26.

6. Copy of total fund deducted as, Labour cess of 1% from total cost of each work/project under Building and Other Construction Worker Act 1996, in respect to serial no. 1 of Form-A, for each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

7. Copy of Labour Cess deposited (such as Challan copy, Cheque counterfoil, Demand draft etc. whichever method is used) to the competent authority (APB&OCWWB) by the division for each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

8. Details of Officers (Name & Designation then & now) who is/are responsible for deducting Labour cess from the all projects/work executed under the division for each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

9. Details of Officers (Name & Designation then and now) who is/are responsible for depositing the Labour cess to the competent authority for the all projects/work executed under the division, for each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26 as per Building and Other Construction Act 1996.

10. Details of third-party officer/Audit Officer for verifying whether the proper/right amount of Labour Cess was deposited by the competent authority in respect of all the projects/works, to the concern authority (APB&OCWWB) for each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

11. Copy of total amount deducted as, Contingency charges fund (i.e. project cost up to 3 crores is 1.5% & the project cost above 3 crore is 1%) in details, from each project/work in respect of serial no. 1 of Form-A, executed under the division for each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

12. Copy of expenditure Details (along with supporting documents of expenditure) done by the concern Officers (Name & designation then & now) of Contingency charges fund for each financial year 2016-17 to 2025-26.

13. Copy of unutilized Contingency fund details (if any) for each financial from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

14. Copy of Submission (in Challan form) of unutilized Contingency fund (if any) to the concern Govt. Head Account for each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

15. Copy of Total Percentage of Royalty amount deducted from each project/work for each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

16. Copy of Total amount of Royalty deducted from each project/work in respect of serial no. 1 for each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

17. Copy of Submission of Royalty (in Challan form) to the concern Govt. Head Account in respect of serial no. 16 of Form-A, for each financial year from 2016-17 to 2025-26.

18. Details of Record Officer (Name & Designation (then & now)) in the division/block as per PUBLIC RECORDS ACT 1993 GOVT. OF INDIA.

19. Furnish all the above documents with CTC & proper manner (i.e. in serial wise with properly Index, proper paging of each financial year and separate books for each financial year for easy & better understanding).

The following were present.

Appellant : Present. He states that he has received information vide letter dated 17.02.2026 but the information is not in proper shape, not in sequence or catalogued as per RTI application and information documents not certified. He has written a letter dated 24.3.2026 to the PIO for clarification. He has produced a copy of judgement order of the FAA.

Respondent PIO : Absent.

Decision:

The commission after adverting to the facts and circumstances of the case, perusal of the records and hearing the appellant, observes that the FAA has served a hearing summon notice dated 16.12.2025 to the PIO and the appellant for 22.12.2025. The appellant has produced a copy of judgement order dated 22.12.2025 of the FAA – Chief Engineer (WRD), EZ, Miao wherein the PIO was directed to furnish the information within sixty days. Accordingly, the PIO has furnished information to the appellant vide forwarding letter dated 17.2.2026. The appellant has filed a written submission (copy enclosed) for clarification of PIO as the information furnished does not conform as sought in RTI application. There is no record as to whether the PIO has responded to this letter to appellant.

The PIO was absent in today's hearing without intimation of any reason thereof which is violation of statutory duty of a public authority. The PIO is directed to respond and dispose of the written submission made to him dated 24.3.2026 by appellant within two weeks from the date of issue of this order under intimation to this commission. The appellant shall file a status report to this commission upon receipt of clarification from the PIO within one week.

Next date of hearing shall be fixed on receipt of compliance report of this order from the appellant and PIO. In case no compliance report is received at commission from the PIO and appellant within stipulated time, this appeal case shall stand closed.

Order pronounced in the Open Court of this Commission today this 20th day of July' 2026. Each copy of the Judgement / Order be furnished to the parties.

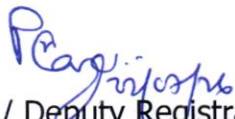
Given under my hand and seal of this Commission / Court on this 20th day of July' 2026.

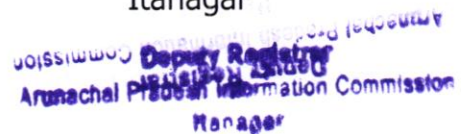
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(Dani Gamboo)
Information Commissioner

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Dated Itanagar the 24 July' 2026.

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