



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION, APIC
ITANAGAR

An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005.
Vide Case No. APIC-198/2025

Shri Mamu Sono -V/S- PIO-Cum-EE, PWD, Dirang., W/Kameng District, A.P.
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ORDER

The 2nd hearing held on 18th Sept' 2025, related to the APIC No-198/2025. The Appellant Shri Mamu Sono is present during the hearing. The PIO-cum-EE, PWD, Dirang Division, West Kameng District is present during the hearing through online mode before the Commission.

Heard both the parties.

The Appellant stated that he has not received any information(s) copies from the PIO till now.

The PIO submitted before the Court that all the information(s) are ready to be furnished to the Appellant but as the information copies are too voluminous, it is not wise to send it through post office.

Therefore, the PIO requested that the Appellant to come to the office of the PIO and collect the information(s). After hearing both the parties the **Commission hereby observes;**

- i) In certain case when the information(s) are sent through post office by the PIO, sometimes the letter does not reach to the Appellant/ Applicant due to insufficient or improper address of the Appellant. And under such circumstances the Appellants accuse the PIO that they have not furnished the information(s) or the Appellant has not received the information(s) from the office of the PIO.
- ii) In order to mitigate this constant issue that is prevailing in the State of Arunachal Pradesh pertaining to delay in delivering the letter or parcel to the parties, it is wise upon this Court to order for sending the Appellant to collect the information (s) from the office of the PIO personally. And in this instant appeal wherein information(s) copies are too voluminous to be sent through postal service. it is practical that the Appellant personally collect it from the office of the PIO.
- iii) The request of the PIO, to the Appellant to collect the information(s) personally from the office of the PIO is well justified.

Upon the above submissions from the both the parties and observations of the Commission.

The Commission hereby orders;

1. The Appellant to collect the information(s) personally from the office of the PIO, and to let know the Commission the receipt of the complete or incomplete information(s).
2. The PIO to provide all the information(s) to the Appellant when the Appellant turns up at his office.
3. To ascertain the receipt of complete information(s) the next date of hearing will be held wherein the Appellant to be present without fail. **Failing which this appeal shall be heard and determined ex-parte.**
4. The PIO to be present in the next date of hearing to ascertain from the Appellant after receipt of the information whether the information(s) are complete or incomplete.
5. Notice for the next date of hearing need not be issued to both the parties as both the parties are present today.

The next date of hearing be fixed on 15th Jan 2026' at 10:30 AM (Morning).

N.B:- To avail online hearing please, notify or get in touch one day prior to the hearing, by downloading "WEBEX MEETING APP" from Google Play store. For further technical assistance may contact **Shri Himanshu Verma, IT Consultant (Mobile no. 8319014957).**

It is so ordered this 18th day of September, 2025 at 11:30 AM.

Sd/-
(Vijay Taram)
State Information Commissioner
APIC, Itanagar.

Memo. No. APIC-198/A/2025 / 944 Dated Itanagar, the 26th September, 2025
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