



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION, (APIC)**  
**ITANAGAR.**

**Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005**  
**Case No. APIC- 743/2023.**

**APPELLANT** : Shri Bamang Pacho, Forest Park Near Main Power House,  
House No:IMC 491-W-10, Itanagar (A.P).

**RESPONDENT** : The APO (Technical)-cum- PIO, o/o the Project Director (RD),  
Koloriang, Kurung Kumey District(A.P).

**ORDER**

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 received from Shri Bamang Pacho, for non-furnishing of information by the PD(RD)-cum-PIO, o/o the Project Director (RD), Koloriang, Kurung Kumey, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dt. 06.04.2023. The following are the information sought by the appellant:

**A. Particulars of information**: Establishment of Model village at Huri, in Kurung Kumey District under CMAGY.

**B. Details of information required**:

- (i) Name of firms and EMD copy;
- (ii) Name of supporting of firm & EMD copy;
- (iii)Sanction order copy;
- (iv)Name of participating firm;
- (v)Tender Agreement;
- (vi)Publication in Local news paper;
- (vii)DPR
- (viii)List of attending firms in tender with Signature.

**C. Period of information: 2022-2023**

Having failed to obtain the sought for information from the PIO, the applicant filed his 1<sup>st</sup> appeal under section 19(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 before the First Appellate Authority, the D.C, Kurung Kumey vide his Memo of Appeal dt.09.05.23. But having failed yet again to receive any response from the First Appellate Authority, the Appellant preferred his Second Appeal under section 19(3) of the RTI Act vide his Appeal Memo dt.06.09.2023 which had been registered in the State Information Commission as APIC No.743/2023 dt. 07.08.23.

**Hearing and decision**:

This appeal was listed for hearing for 8 (eight) times on 14.06.2024, 24.07.2024, 23.08.2024, 11.09.2024, 09.10.24, 20.11.2024, 04.12.02024 and 15.01.2025. But the earlier PIO, the PD (RD), Koloriang, Kurung Kumey District failed to attend the hearing even once resulting in the issue of show cause notice to him under Section 19(8) (b) & (c) r/w section 20 of



the RTI Act, 2005. In the hearing of the show cause notice on 09.10.2024 the PD (RD)-cum-PIO yet again failed to appear but deputed Er. Shri Nangram Logu, Asstt. Project Officer (Technical)-cum-Nodal Officer {Model Village Scheme(CMAGY)}, o/o the Project Director, RD, Koloriang, Kurung Kumey District along with his reply dt.23.09.2024 against the show cause Notice dt.13.09.2024.

The PD (RD)-cum-PIO, in his reply to the show cause notice submitted that he was unaware of the summon notice and that he was also facing some health complication. He, therefore requested for absolving him of penal action under the RTI Act for his absence from the hearing. But as regards furnishing of information to the applicant/appellant, the PIO submitted that he had already directed the Asstt. Project Officer (Technical), the Engineer i/c and the Nodal Officer of Model Village under CMAGY (RD), Koloriang to furnish the information. During the course of hearing on 09.10.2024, Er. Shri Nangram Logu, who represented the PIO in the hearing also informed the Commission that the sought for information is available with him and that the same will be provided to the applicant/appellant within 2-3 days.

This Commission, considering the PD(RD)-cum-PIO's replies dt.23.09.2024 to the show cause notice dt.13.09.2024 and taking a sympathetic view of his health problems, closed the said show cause notice. However, as regards the information sought by the Applicant /Appellant, this Commission, in exercise of the powers under Section-19(8) (a) (ii) of the RTI Act, appointed Er. Shri Nangram Logu, the Asstt. Project Officer (Technical), the Engineer i/c - Nodal Officer of Model Village under CMAGY (RD), Koloriang as the PIO for the purpose of this particular appeal and accordingly, directed him to appear in person before this Commission on 04/12/24 along with the information(s) sought for by the Appellant. But he did not appear for hearing without any information compelling this Commission to serve Show Cause Notice dt.05.12.2024 to him under section 19(8)(b) & (c) r/w section 20 of the RTI Act, 2005 for disobeying the order of this Commission and violation of the provisions of section 7 (1) of the Act.

The said show cause notice was listed for hearing today on 15.01.2025 wherein the PIO, Er. Shri Nangram Logu, APO is present with the information as sought for by the appellant a copy whereof is also endorsed to this Commission. But the appellant, Shri Bamang Pacho is absent without any information who, however, informed over phone that he will collect the information from the PIO.

This Commission, upon careful perusal of the documents/replies furnished by the PIO vis-à-vis the 8 (eight) point information as sought by the appellant vide his application dt.06.04.2023, is of the view that the PIO has dully complied with the direction of this Commission and accordingly, the show cause notice dt. 05.12.2024 is hereby closed and consequently this appeal stands disposed of.

**Given under my hand and seal of this Commission on this 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2025.**

Sd/-

**(Sangyal Tsering Bappu)  
State Information Commissioner,  
APIC, Itanagar**

**Memo No. APIC- 743/2023/516**

**Dated Itanagar, the 16 January, 2025**

Copy to:-

1. The Director (RD), Govt. of A.P, Itanagar for information.
2. The Deputy Commissioner, Kurung Kumey District, Govt. of A.P, Koloriang for information.
3. The Project Director, RD, Kurung Kumey District, Koloriang Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh for information.
4. The PIO, Er. Shri Nangram Logu, Asstt. Project Officer (Technical)-cum-Nodal Officer {Model Village Scheme(CMAGY)}, o/o the Project Directed, RD, Kurung Kumey District, Koloriang.
5. Shri Bamang Pacho Forest Park Near Main Power House, House No. IMC 491-W-10 Itanagar Arunachal Pradesh Pin, 791111 (M) 9402775313 for information.
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**APIC, Itanagar.**

**Registrar**

Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission  
Itanagar.