



**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-662/2023

Dated, Itanagar the 25th September, 2024

Appeal Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005

Appellant: Shri Tajing Saroh, Vill, Sipeng, Jomlo, Circle, PO/PS Rumgong, District Siang, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791001, (M) 8132005458.

Vs

Respondent: Smt. Oyi Borang Tatak, the PIO-cum-DDSE, Govt. of A.P. o/o of Deputy Director of School Education, Boleng, Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791102.

ORDER

1. This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 filed by Shri Tajing Saroh, Vill, Sipeng, Jomlo, Circle, PO/PS Rumgong, District Siang, Arunachal Pradesh for non-furnishing of information by the SPIO-cum-DDSE, Govt. of A.P. o/o of Deputy Director of School Education, Boleng, Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh as sought by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 vide Form-A Dated 21/11/2022 regarding Certified True Copy of the Appointment Order, Appointment Letter and Official Advertisement no. of the PRT(ISSE) of Siang District.

2. The PIO, complying with the directions of the Commission dated 30th July, 2024, through WhatsApp had submitted a copy of Treasury Challan against penalty amount and a copy of compensation amount being transferred to the account of the Appellant.

3. The Appellant vide letter no. NIL Dated 27th August, 2024 intimated his dissatisfaction on the order dated 30th July, 2024 and appealed the Commission to impose penalty of Rs. 25, 000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand) only with Rs. 10, 000/- (Rupees ten thousand) only as compensation for each cases separately, i.e. for appeal No. APIC-662/2023 and APIC-669/2023.

4. On scrutiny of the appeal No. APIC-662/2023 and APIC-669/2023, it is observed that Form-A applications were submitted to the PIO on same date 21/11/2022 and the information sought for are of similar nature, pertaining to appointment of staff under Education Department of Siang District. It is also observed that 1st Appeal Applications were submitted on same date i.e. on 28/02/2023 addressed to Director Elementary Education. Further, 2nd Appeal applications have been submitted on same date to the Commission, i.e. on 20/07/2023. The cases' have also been taken up simultaneously by the Commission on same dates and heard.

5. In view of the fact that the both cases relate to the same subject, treating them as separate cases is infructuous. Therefore, the Order Dated 30th July, 2024 is justified. The statute, RTI Act, 2005 does not have specific provision to review its judgment. Therefore, the Commission decides to dispose of both the cases, i.e., Appeal No. APIC-662/2023 and APIC-669/2023, with provision for the Appellant to seek information in fresh 'Form-A' application to the PIO, after the completion of the investigation process.

Therefore, the case is hereby disposed of.

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

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Dated, Itanagar the 28 September, 2024

1. The Director-cum-FAA, Govt. of A.P. O/o of the Directorate of School Education, Itanagar, PIN-791111, for information and necessary action please.
2. The Deputy Commissioner, Govt. of A.P. Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791102, for information and necessary action please.
3. Computer Programmer, APIC, Itanagar, to upload in APIC Website & send mail to all the parties.
4. Case file.

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Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
Itanagar