



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION (APIC)
ITANAGAR

File-No. APIC-No.593/2023(Appeal)

Shri Bengia Apo

Village Tayang PO/PS: Koloriang
Kurung Kumey District AP.
Pin: 791118. (M) 9362559211

Appellant

Versus

Shri Nangbia Tada

PIO cum EE PWD
Sangram Division Kurung Kumey
District Arunachal Pradesh.
Pin: 791118.

Respondent

Date of Hearing: 09.12.2024
Date of Decision: 09.12.2024

INFORMATION COMMISSIONER : Dani Gamboo
Relevant facts emerging from appeal.

RTI application filed : on 12.01.2023
SPIO replied : Not on record
First appeal filed : on 21.02.2023
First Appellate Authority's Order : Vide letter dated 28.02.2023, FAA cum SE (PWD) Yachuli has directed the EE cum PIO (PWD) Sangram to furnish the sought information to the appellant.
Second Appeal filed on : 27.06.2023

Information sought:

The appellant filed RTI application dated 12.01.2023 seeking following information regarding name of Firm, tender Press Release, Name of Contractor, Work engagement, DPR, Fund utilization certificate, NIT details of payment, cheque/ demand draft, Photographs of the work if any: -

- C/O Ring Road of koloriang Township (phase-1). ADA-2018-19.

- b. Augmentation and retrofitting of old DC Office koloriang K/Kumey District. CCI 2019-2020.
- c. C/o Road from koloriang to Mallapu. Additional RE (2018-19).
- d. Special repair of circuit House at koloriang, Kurung Kumey District. SIDF 2019-2020.
- e. C/o PWD Sub-Division Office Koloriang, SIDF & Additional (RE) 2018-19.
- f. Maintenance and Renovation of various road under PWD Sub Division Koloriang Budget Estimate 2021-22.
- g. C/o office cum Residential Complex at koloriang Under SIB Itanagar.

Period: As Project concerned.

Previous hearings:

- First : On 13.10.2023, PIO absent & appellant present.
- Second : On 15.12.2023, PIO is represented by Shri Manma Nikja & appellant present.
- Third : On 12.04.2024, PIO absent & appellant absent.
- Fourth : On 17.05.2024, PIO present & appellant present.
- Fifth : On 29.08.2024, PIO absent & appellant present.

In fifth hearing, "*The commission has issued **SHOW CAUSE NOTICE to Shri Nangbia Tada, PIO O/o the EE, PWD, Sangram**, ordered the PIO to submit a written explanation of his conduct and provide the commission a valid cause, why penalty should not be imposed against him as provided in section 20 (1) of the RTI Act, 2005 for violation of sub section (1) of the section 7 of RTI Act, 2005 and it should reach to this commission on or before 20th September 2024*".

Relevant facts emerging during hearing:

The following were present:

- Appellant : Present.
He states that PIO has not furnished the information sought irrespective of repeated order of this commission court including a show cause notice issued to him.
- Respondent PIO : Absent

Decision:

The commission after adverting to the facts and circumstance of the case, hearing the parties and perusal of the records, observes that the PIO, the Executive Engineer, Sangram Division PWD has not attended the last two hearings which

appears to be deliberate. He has not responded to show cause notice dated 05.09.2024 issued to him.

As required under para 41 of guidelines to the appellate authority, a repeat show cause notice shall be issued to the PIO, the Executive Engineer, PWD Sangram Division through the Chief Engineer, PWD Central Zone-A under intimation to the Principal Secretary, PWD, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh who shall ensure implementation of provisions in the RTI Act.2005 by the concerned PIO.

Order pronounced in the Open Court of this Commission today this 9th day of Dec' 2024. Each copy of the Judgement / Order be furnished to the parties.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission / Court on this 9th day of Dec' 2024.

Sd/-
(Dani Gamboo)
Information Commissioner

Authenticated true copy



Registrar / Dy. Registrar, APIC

Date: Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission

Memo No. APIC-593/2023/ 311

Dated Itanagar the 11 Dec.' 2024.

Copy to:

1. The Principal Secretary (PWD), Govt, of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.
2. The Chief Engineer, PWD, Central Zone -A, Itanagar.
3. Computer Programmer Itanagar APIC to upload in APIC website and mailed to concerned department email.
4. Office copy.



Registrar / Dy. Registrar
(APIC) Itanagar
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
Itanagar