

### ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION (APIC) <u>ITANAGAR</u>

## F No.APIC-No.1134/2023(Appeal)

Shri Tania June (Laah)

**Appellant** 

Respondents

President Arunachal RTI Activists Association E-Sector Naharlagun, PO/PS: Naharlagun Papumpare District A.P. Pin: 791110, (M) 8131848230.

Versus

PIO, DFDO, Department of Fisheries,

Basar, Leparada Disrict. A.P.

Pin: 791101.

FAA,

DC, Basar, Leparada District.

A.P.Pin: 791101.

Date of Hearing:

19.09.2024

Date of Decision: 19.09.2024

INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

Dani Gamboo

Relevant facts emerging from appeal:

RTI application filed on

11.08.2023

SPIO replied on

Not on record

First appeal filed on

10.10.2023

First Appellate Authority's Order

Not on record

Second Appeal filed on

06.12.2023

#### Information sought:

The appellant filed an RTI application dated 11.08.2023 seeking following information:

Regarding appointment letter copies and education qualification certificate copies of UDC/LDC/PEON/DRIVER/WC T/WC R/all MTS post of entire Lepa Rada district.

- 1. Appointment order copies.
- 2. Class X passed certificate copies.
- 3. Joining report copies.
- 4. DPC copies.
- 5. Advertisement and local newspaper copies.
- 6. Class XII passed certificate copies.
- 7. Seniority list copies.

Period: from 2017 to till date

# Relevant facts emerged during hearing:

The following were present: -

**Appellant** 

Absent

Submitted an application informing about his inability

to attend today's hearing

**Respondent PIO** 

: Present through VC.

**FAA** 

: Absent

Statement of Appellant

Statement of PIO

- PIO states that he has sent the information to the

appellant on 9.11.2023 by post. But there is no proof

of acknowledgement of having received the

information from appellant.

Statement of FAA

#### Decision:

The Commission after adverting to the facts and circumstances of the case, hearing the parties and perusal of the records, observes that FAA has not disposed of the first appeal filed to him. So this appeal case is decided and determined exparte.

As laid down at para-38 of the Guidelines for the FAA issued by the GoI and the State Govt. OM No. AR-111/2008 Dated 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2008,. adjudication on the appeals under RTI Act is a quasi-judicial function. It is, therefore, necessary that the Appellate Authority should see to it that the justice is not only done but it should also appear to have been done. In order to do so, the order passed by the appellate authority should be a speaking order giving justification for the decision arrived at.

The instant appeal case is remanded to First Appellate Authority. Therefore, the FAA - DC, Basar, Leparada Disrict, following the principle of natural justice, shall conduct hearing giving fair and equal opportunity to both the appellant and the PIO and thereafter pass reasoned and speaking order on merit within three weeks from the date of receipt of this order.

The appeal is disposed of accordingly at Commission.

Sd/-Dani Gamboo Information Commissioner

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Registrar / Dy Registral Information Commission

Date:

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Dated Itanagar the 7.7 Sept, 2024.

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