



## **ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION**

### **ITANAGAR.**

**An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005**

**Case No. APIC-410/2024.**

**APPELLANT** : Shri Tamchi Gungte, Near KV – II Chimpu, PO/PS :  
Chimpu, Itanagar.

**RESPONDENT** : The PIO, o/o the Executive Engineer (PHED),  
Govt. of A.P, Khonsa Division, Tirap Distt.(A.P)

### **ORDER**

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 received from Shri Tamchi Gungte for non-furnishing of below mentioned information by the PIO, o/o the Executive Engineer (PHED), Govt. of A.P, Khonsa Division, Tirap Distt. as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dated 04.09.2024.

**A) Particular of information:** C/o “ Integrated Drinking Water Project through hybrid of lift and Gravity distribution system with value addition of Tourism components at Deomali in Tirap District, under the North east Special Infrastructure Development Scheme (NESIDS) in Arunachal Pradesh during the financial year 2022-23.

#### **B) Details of information required:**

1. Certified sanction order copy of the total list of project mentioned above;
2. Total lists of work components of the projects;
3. The certified copy of Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) with respect to the subject mentioned above;
4. The certified copy of Newspaper in which the NIT was published (at least 3 newspaper names (one national & 2 locals) along with the date of publication of newspaper as per Govt. approved order;
5. The Tender Evaluation copy (Technical Bid) along with the list of Firms participated in the tender processed of the work;
6. The name of firm who won the tender work with respect to the subject mentioned above;
7. The certified copy on which date the project has been started;
8. The Geo Coordinate information for work mentioned above;
9. The certified full agreement copy made in between the executing agency and the firm owner;
10. The certified copy of contractor registration of the winning firm;
11. The certified copy of contractor enlistment update reports, of tender winning firm;



12. The certified affidavit copy sworn before a competent magistrate to the effect that he/she does not have 2 (two) or more incomplete ongoing commitment (Project/contract to execute) at the time of bidding by the tender participant and winning firm. (as per rule SPWD/W-66/2012 Dtd. 01-08-2018) and
13. The certified copy of declaration letter from the contractor (if the tender participant is from different state) to the effect that he/she has not been debarred from tendering by authority in which contractor is registered {As per CPWD Works Manual 2014, Section 15.2.3(2)}.

Records reveal that the appellant had asked for the above-mentioned information from the PIO vide his application dt.04.09.2024 but could not obtain the same which prompted him to approach the Chief Engineer (PHED), Eastern Zone, Govt. of A.P, the First Appellate Authority (FAA) under section 19(1) of the RTI Act.

Records further reveal that the FAA fixed the hearing on 20.01.2025 but both the PIO and the appellant were absent and as such the FAA disposed off the appeal.

Since, the appeal was disposed of without any order or direction on merit but merely on the ground of absence of the parties, the appellant feeling aggrieved, filed his 2<sup>nd</sup> Appeal before this Commission under section 19(3) of the RTI Act vide his Memo of Appeal dt.29.11.2024.

This Appeal has, accordingly, been registered in this Commission as APIC-410/2024 and listed for hearing today on 02.04.2024 wherein the Appellant, Shri Tamchi Gungte is present in person and the PIO, Er. Shri Bharat Sonam, EE (PHED) Khonsa Division is present online (VC).

Heard the parties.

The PIO submitted that in response to the Appellant's application he had asked the appellant to collect the sought for information from his office by depositing a sum of Rs.520.00 being the cost of documents, but the appellant never turned up to collect the documents and filed the appeals before the FAA and this Commission. On the other hand the appellant submitted that he did not receive any communication from the o/o the PIO regarding the remittance of Rs.520.00 and collection of the information.

The PIO further submitted that the sought for information were also sent to the appellant through registered post which the appellant had duly received. The appellant, however, responded by saying that he did receive the documents sent through post but he is not satisfied as the documents furnished by the PIO were incomplete. The PIO replied that the left out information/documents shall be provided to the appellant.

This Commission, upon hearing the parties, directs the appellant to visit the o/o the PIO personally and collect the left out information within 2(two) weeks from today and in any case not later than 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2025 and intimate this Commission of his satisfaction or otherwise within a period of one week thereafter failing which this appeal shall stand disposed of and closed presuming that he had received the complete information and is satisfied therewith.

Given under my hand seal of this Commission on this 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2025.

Sd/-

**(S. TSERING BAPPU)**  
**State Information Commissioner,**  
**APIC, Itanagar.**

**Memo No. APIC- 410-/2024/513**

**Dated Itanagar, the 03 April, 2025**

Copy to:

1. The Chief Engineer Eastern Zone, PHED, Govt. of A.P, Namsai Division, Namsai District, the First Appellate Authority (FAA), for information and ensuring compliance of this order by the PIO concerned.
2. The PIO, o/o the Executive Engineer (PHED), Govt. of A.P, Khonsa Division, Tirap Distt. PIN: 792130 for information and compliance.
3. Shri Tamchi Gungte, Near KV – II Chimpu, PO/PS : Chimpu, Dist. : Papum Pare , PIN 791113, Arunachal Pradesh, Mobile No. 9233567279 for information.
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**APIC, Itanagar**

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Itanagar