

ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION, APIC

<u>ITANAGAR</u> An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005. (Summon to appear in person) Vide Case No. APIC-133/2024 (Or. 5, R.3 of CPC)

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Shri Jumnya Dini -V/S- PIO-EE, PWD, Gensi Division, Lower Siang District

Order

WHEREAS, in connection with the <u>APIC-No. 133/2024</u>, the 2nd hearing held on <u>22nd</u> <u>August,2024</u> related to the <u>APIC No-133/2024</u>. The Appellant Shri Jumya Dini and the PIO found absent consecutively for two times i.e. on 16.05.2024 & 22.08.2024 without intimating to the Commission the reason for their inability to attend the hearing, which is unbecoming on the part of the PIO, who has to be reminded that, the PIO besides public duties, also has to attend Court hearings when an appeal is preferred against him as per the provisions of the RTI, Act,2005, which is a statutory duty binding upon the PIO. And the appellant absenting consecutively for two times in the hearing without intimation to the Commission, of his inability to attend the hearing makes the Commission deem that the Appellant is not serious on his appeal.

Viewing seriously on the absence of both the parties: the Commission ordered;

- (i) To <u>warning summon</u> to both the parties to appear in person or through online mode before the Commission in the next date of hearing.
- (ii) Failing which necessary action shall be initiated against both the parties as per the provisions of RTI, Act, 2025 and therefore;

The Commission ordered;

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- The PIO and the Appellant to be present in person in the next date of hearing the appeal and hence;
- (ii) The next date of hearing be fixed on 1st October, 2024 at 2:30 PM (Afternoon)

N.B:- the PIO & the Appellant can also avail online mode of hearing by downloading "<u>Webex</u> <u>App</u>" from Google Play store and may contact *shri Himanshu Verma* at *Mob:-8878891768* for further technical assistance.

It is so ordered this 22nd day of August,2024 at 12:30 PM.

Sd/-(Vijay Taram) State Information Commissioner APIC, Itanagar.

Dated Itanagar, the............August,2024

- **Memo. No. APIC-133/2024**/144 Copy to:
 - 1. PIO-EE, PWD, Gensi Division, L/Siang District, Govt of Arunachal Pradesh for information and necessary action please. **Pin Code**-7921125.
 - 2. Shri Jumnya Dini, Liru Village, P.O- Likabali, L/Siang District Arunachal Pradesh for information please. Contact No. 7642036639/6009058553.
 - 3. The computer Operator, for uploading on the website of APIC, please.
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