

## ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION, APIC ITANAGAR

An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005. Vide Case No. APIC-201/2024

(Summon to appear in person) (Or. 5, R.3 of CPC)

PIO-

Shri Nyape Tao

V/S-

DPO, Likhabali, L/Siang District

## Order

WHEREAS, in connection with the APIC-No. 201/2024, the 2<sup>nd</sup> hearing held on 8<sup>th</sup> August, 2024 related to the APIC No-201/2024. The Appellant Shri Nyape Tao and the PIO found absent 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 i.e. on 13.06.2024 & 08.08.2024 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;

- warning summon to both the parties to appear in person or (i) To through online mode before the Commission in the next date of hearing.
- As per the order passed in the last hearing by this Court, the Appellant *(ii)* was to collect the information(s) from the office of the PIO by depositing requisite fees of Rs. 27/-(rupees twenty-seven only) on or before next date of hearing. Failing which his appeal shall be ex-parte. But the Appellant has not collected decidedthe information(s) is perceived by the Commission and therefore;

The Commission ordered;

- The PIO and the Appellant to be present in person in the next date of (i) hearing the appeal and hence;
- The next date of hearing be fixed on 19th September, 2024 at 10:30 (ii) AM (Morning)

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

## It is so ordered this 8<sup>th</sup> day of August,2024 at 4:30 PM.

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

## Memo. No. APIC-201/2024/12-6 Copy to:

- 1. PIO-Cum-DPO, Likabali, L/Siang District, Govt. of A.P for information and necessary action please. Pin Code-791125.
- 2. Shri Nyape Tao, Bali Village, PO/PS- Likabali, L/Siang District Arunachal Pradesh for information please. Contact No. 6009093687.
- 3. The computer Operator, for uploading on the website of APIC, please.
- 4. Office Copy.

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Registrar Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission Itanagar