ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION, APIC

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An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005. Vide Case No. APIC-1169/2023 (Summon to appear in person)

(Or. 5, R.3 of CPC)

-V/S- PIO-Cum-EE, PHE&WS, Roing, L/Dibang Valley District Shri Riya Taram

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The Executive Engineer, PHE & WS Dept. Roing Division, Lower Dibang Valley, District, A.P. PinCode: 792110

ORDER

The 2nd hearing held on 16th January 2025, related to the APIC No-1169/2023. The Appellant Shri Riya Taram, present during the hearing but the PIO found absent without intimating to the Commission the reason for his inability to attend the hearing, which is unbecoming on the part of the who has to be reminded that the PIO besides public duties, also has to attend Court hearing 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.

Heard the Appellant.

The Appellant stated before the Commission that PIO has not furnished any of the information as sought by him in his form'A' application till date.

After hearing the Appellant, the Commission has seriously viewed the absence of the

PIO.

The Commission ordered;

- To issue summon notice to the PIO to appear in person or through online mode (i) before the Commission in the next date of hearing. Failing which necessary action shall be initiated against the PIO as per the provisions of RTI Act 2005.
- The next date of hearing has been intimated to the Appellant. No formal (ii) notice required to be issued.

The Commission ordered;

The PIO to be present in person in the next date of hearing the appeal and hence;

The next date of hearing be fixed on 28th March 2025 at 2.30 PM (Afternoon).

N.B:- To avail online hearing please, notify or get in touch one day prior to the hearing, by downloading "WEBEX MEETING APP" from Google Play store. For further technical assistance may contact Shri Himanshu Verma, IT Consultant (Mobile no. 8319014957).

It is so ordered this 16th day of January, 2025 at 01:30 PM.

Sd/-

(Vijay Taram) State Information Commissioner APIC, Itanagar.

Memo. No. APIC-1169/2023/1953 Dated Itanagar, the.......January, 2025 Copy to:

- Shri Riya Taram and Shri Lokam Tadam, C/o 3D Hottel, Chandranagar, Itanagar, P/Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh for information and necessary action. Contact no.-9383103387/9402443699
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