



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION, (APIC)**  
**TANAGAR.**

**An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005**  
**Vide Case No. APIC- 1098/2023.**

Shri Nabam Pekhi, Join Secretary ..... **APPELLANT**  
RTI Activists Association, Lower Subansiri  
District Unit, village Taib, PO/PS Yazali  
PIN: 791120

**Vs**

The PIO, o/o the Executive Engineer Deptt. .... **RESPONDENT.**  
of PHE & WS, Yachuli Division (A.P)

**ORDER**

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 received from Shri Nabam Pekhi for non-furnishing of information by the PIO, o/o the Executive Engineer (PHE & WS), Yachuli Division (A.P) as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dt.16.08.2023.

This appeal was listed for hearing today on 16.10.2024 wherein both the PIO, Er. Shri Nani Tade, Executive Engineer (PHE & WS), Yachuli Division and the appellant, Shri Nabam Pekhi are present.

During the course of hearing the PIO submitted that he had recently joined the present place of posting and therefore, he is not fully aware of the case. However, he submitted the copies of documents furnished by his predecessor PIO to the appellant. The documents submitted by the PIO are (a) letter dt.24.11.2023 addressed to the Appellant, Shri Nabam Pekhi advising him to deposit a sum of Rs.370/- being the cost of 185 pages of documents @Rs.2/- p/page (b) index containing the list of information sought and furnished to the appellant which bears the signature of the appellant dt.29.11.2023 as acknowledgement of the receipt of the same and (3) Treasury Chalan No.5239 dt.29.11.23 for Rs.370/- being the cost of 185 page documents.

The documents brought in by the PIO also include a copy of the PIO's letter dt.21.12.2023 enclosing therewith copy of RTI application dt.05.12.2023 addressed to the Appellant with reference to RTI application dated 05.12.2023 and apprising therein that the information sought by the appellant in the said application is of general in nature spanning over long period of time and further requesting the appellant to ask for specific documents of specific scheme (project) to enable the PIO to furnish them easily.

On perusal of the aforesaid documents, this Commission finds that the information sought for by the appellant vide his application dt.16.08.2023 which pertain to Kuch Kuth Panchayat were in fact furnished to the appellant and was also dully received by him as aforesaid. It, however, reveals from the application dated 05.12.2023 that the appellant had sought the same information relating to RUBDI Panchayat along with the Kuch Kuth Panchayat and for the period 2020 to till date of application.

On being asked for confirmation of the receipt of the documents from the PIO and his satisfaction thereof, the Appellant admitted having received the information but could not reply as to whether he is satisfied or not. The appellant was, therefore, directed to confirm his satisfaction or otherwise of the information he had received against his application dt.16.08.2023 in respect of Kuch Kuth Panchayat within 15 days from today whereafter the next date of hearing shall be fixed and intimated to the parties. The appellant is also directed to re-submit request to the PIO for the specific information against the RUBDI Panchayat.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2024.


Sd/-  
(SANGYAL TSERING BAPPU)  
State Information Commissioner,  
APIC, Itanagar.

Memo No. APIC-1098/2023/271

Dated Itanagar, the 18 October, 2024

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1. The PIO, o/o the Executive Engineer Deptt. of PHE Division Yachuli, Lower Subansiri A.P PIN: 791001 for information.
2. Shri Nabam Pekhi, Join Secretary RTI Activists Association, Lower Subansiri District Unit Village Taib, Yazali Mobile no. 6909425236 PIN: 791120 for information.
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