



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION, ITANAGAR
BEFORE THE HON'BLE COURT OF SHRI VIJAY TARAM, STATE INFORMATION
COMMISSIONER**

Bailable Warrant of Arrest
Order-XVI, Rule-10(3) CPC, 1908
R/W section 18(3) of RTI Act' 2005

To,

Dated Itanagar the 4th March' 2025.

Officer-In-Charge
Police Station, Basar
Leparada District
Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh.

Whereas, the PIO-cum-Executive Engineer, PWD, Basar Division, Leparada District has been duly served summon/order on **05/11/2024, 17/12/2024 & 04.03.2025** with WT message to appear before the Hon'ble Court of Shri **Vijay Taram**, State Information Commissioner on **04.03.2025**, but the **PIO-cum-Executive Engineer, PWD, Basar** Division, Leparada District failed to appear on the fixed dates and accordingly warrant of arrest is issued against him directing him to appear on **22nd day of May, 2025' at 10:30 AM**, in the court of the undersigned in connection with **APIC- Case No: 647/2023**. Therefore, you are hereby ordered to arrest and bring the said delinquent officer before the Court on **22nd day of May, 2025' at 10.30 am** without fail.

You are further ordered to return this warrant on or before the **22nd day of May, 2025'** with an endorsement certifying the day on and the manner in which it has been executed, or the reason why it has not been executed.


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

Memo. No: APIC-647 /2023/

Dated Itanagar the 4th March' 2025.

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1. The Deputy Commissioner, Leparada District (AP) for information please.
2. The Superintendent of Police, Leparada District, (AP) for information and compliance please.
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(Vijay Taram)
State Information Commissioner
APIC, Itanagar.

ORDER

The 3rd hearing held on 4th March' 2025 related to the APIC No-647/2023. The Appellant Shri Tamchi Gungte is present. The PIO-cum-EE, PWD, Basar Division, Leparada District, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, found absent without intimating to the Commission the reason for his 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.

Heard the Appellant:

During the hearing, on 04.03.2025, the Appellant stated before the Commission that the PIO has not furnished any of the information(s) as sought by him in his Form-A application till date. In the last hearing of 17.12.2024, this Commission had ordered to hand over information(s) to the Appellant for which the Appellant received it and again handed it back to the PIO for the reason that the information(s) were not properly compiled with, no covering letter. Therefore, the PIO assured to provide the information(s) in proper form on or before the next date of the hearing i.e today. But, the PIO is absent.

After hearing the Appellant and going through the Form-A application of the Appellant.

The Commission observed:

Despite orders from the Commission to provide information(s) to the Appellant during the Second hearing of this instant appeal, the PIO did not comply the order of the Commission which is contempt of the order of this Court.

(i) That PIO was ordered to furnish all the information(s) to the Appellant as applied in his form 'A' application on or before next date of hearing. ***Failing which necessary action shall be initiated against the PIO as per the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005. But, it is presumed that the PIO has not complied with the order.***

And therefore, the Commission hereby orders;

- (i) To issue bailable warrant of arrest to the PIO-cum-EE, PWD, Basar Division, Leparada District, directing the officer in-charge of Basar Police Station, Leparada District, to execute and return the bailable warrant of arrest and produce the errant PIO on the next date of hearing i.e on **22nd day of May, 2025' at 10:30 AM, without fail**, before this Court.
- (ii) The copy of this bailable arrest warrant be served to the Superintendent of Police, Leparada District for compliance.

- (iii) The copy of this bailable warrant of arrest be served to the Deputy Commissioner, Leparada District for compliance.
- (iv) Notice for the next date of hearing need not be served to the Appellant as he is present during the hearing today.

The Commission hereby orders;

The next date of hearing be fixed on 22nd day of May' 2025 at 10.30 AM.

N.B:- To avail online hearing please at least notify or get in touch one day prior to the hearing, download "**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 4th day of March' 2025, at 2.30 PM.

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

Memo. No: APIC-647/2023/580

Dated Itanagar the 10 March' 2025.

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