

ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION, APIC ITANAGAR

An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005. Vide Case No. APIC-54/2025

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

Shri Riya Taram & Others -V/S- PIO-Cum-DFO, Anjaw Div Anjaw District

WARNING SUMMON

WHEREAS, in connection with the <u>APIC-No. 54/2025</u>, your personal appearance is required before the Commission on 11th November, 2025 at 02:30 PM. The 2nd hearing held on 31st July' 2025. The Appellants Shri Riya Taram, Bengia Tahar & Lokam Namdu all found absent during the hearing. The PIO –cum DFO Anjaw is also absent during the hearing 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 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.

During the last hearing the PIO stated before the Commission that the information(s) sought by the Appellant in their form'A' application is ready in his office and he has also intimated to the Appellants on dated 23/12/2024 though a letter posted through post office to collect the information(s) from the PIO's office after depositing the requisite fees for Rs 142/- (rupees one hundred forty two) only but till date, the Appellant failed to turn up.

The Commission seriously viewed the absence of both the parties and herby orders;.

The Commission hereby orders;

- (i) The PIO to provide all the information(s) to the Appellant on or before next date of hearing as sought in their form'A' application. Failing which necessary action shall be initiated against the PIO as per the provisions of RTI Act 2005.
- (ii) The Appellant to collect all the information(s) from the PIO's office on or before the next date of hearing, and to intimate the Commission regarding the receipt of the complete information(s) from the office of the PIO. Failing which his appeal shall be decided ex-parte.
- (iii) The next date of hearing has been intimated to the both the parties. No formal notice required to be issued.

The Commission ordered;

The next date of hearing be fixed on 11th Nov' 2025 at 2:30 PM (Afternoon).

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 31st day of July, 2025 at 12:30 PM.

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

Memo. No. APIC-54/2025 89. Copy to:

Dated Itanagar, the......August 2025

1. The PIO-Cum-Divisional Forest Officer, Anjaw, Anjaw District, Arunachal Pradesh for information and necessary action. **Pincode-792104**

 Shri Riya Taram, Shri Bengia Tahar & Shri Lokam Namdu, Riang tore Jollang, Near Catrholic Church, Itanagar, P/Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh for information and necessary action. Contact No-9383103387/9402443699

3. The computer Operator, for uploading on the website of APIC, please.

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