



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION, APIC
ITANAGAR**

An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005.

Vide Case No. APIC-733/2023

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

Shri Tamchi Gungte -V/S- PIO-Cum-PD, DRDA, Koloriang, K/Kumey District.

ORDER

The 2nd hearing held on 13th February 2025, related to the APIC No.733/2023. The Appellant Shri Tamchi Gungte absent during the hearing with a letter of absence submitted to the Commission citing the reason for his absence which the Commission took note of.

The PIO –cum-Project Director (PD), Koloriang, Kurung Kumey found absent without intimating 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.

The Commission hereby observes:-

- (i) **That summon** was issued to the PIO on 3/12/2024 to be present in the hearing today. That, despite being served summons to the PIO he has failed in attending the hearing signifying disrespect to the order of this court.
- (ii) In the absence of both the parties the hearing of the appeal could not be proceeded, so the hearing is adjourned to be posted to another date.

Due to the absence of both the parties, the hearing of this appeal could not be proceeded on with and **the Commission hereby Orders:-**

- (i) To **issue bailable arrest warrant** to the PIO-cum-Project Director (PD), DRDA , Koloriang, to ensure his attendance in the next date of hearing.
- (ii) To serve this order to the Officer in-charge (OC) of Sagalee, Police Station to execute and return the arrest warrant on the next date of hearing.
- (iii) The order copy of the bailable arrest warrant be served to the SP Kurung Kumey, for compliance.

The Commission hereby orders;

Next date of hearing is fixed on 13th May'2025 at 2.30 hrs. (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 13th day of February, 2025 at 01:30 PM.

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

Memo. No. APIC-733/2023/554 Dated Itanagar, the ~~27~~²⁷ February, 2025

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1. The PIO-Cum-Project Director (PD), DRDA, Koloriang, K/Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh for information and necessary action. **Pincode- 791118.**
2. **FAA-Cum-The Director, Rural Development (RD), Itanagar, P/Pare District A.P.** for information and necessary action please. **Pincode- 791111**
3. Shri Tamchi Gungte, Near KV-II School, Chimpu, Itanagar, P/Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh for information and necessary action. Contact No- **9233567279/8257994249**
4. The computer Operator, for uploading on the website of APIC, please.
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