





## ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION ITANAGAR

## BEFORE THE FULL BENCH COURT OF STATE INFORMATION COMMISSIONERS

No.APIC-657/2023

Dated, Itanagar the 21st May, 2024

## Appeal Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005

Appellant:

Shri Tamchi Gungte, Near, KV2 School, Chimpu, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh,

PIN-791113, (M) 9233567279/8257994249.

Vs

**Respondent:** 

Shri Nangram Pingkap, the SPIO-cum-Project Director, Govt. of A.P. o/o Project

Director, DRDA, Khonsa, Tirap District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-792130.

## ORDER

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 filed by Shri Tamchi Gungte, Near, KV2 School, Chimpu, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh for non-furnishing of information by the SPIO-cum-Project Director, Govt. of A.P. o/o Project Director, DRDA, Khonsa, Tirap District, Arunachal Pradesh as sought by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 vide Form-A Dated 02/05/2023 regarding total list of Project sanctioned under Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakaram (PMJVK), erstwhile-MSDP Scheme.

The 4<sup>th</sup> hearing is held today on 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2024 as scheduled. Shri Nangram Pingkap, the PIO-cum-Project Director, Govt. of A.P. o/o Project Director, DRDA, Khonsa, Tirap District, Arunachal Pradesh is represented by Shri Pisa Shakti, TA(RE). The Appellant Shri Tamchi Gungte is present. The representative of the PIO retariated that all the available information under the control of the PIO had been furnished to the Appellant on 11<sup>th</sup> July, 2023 and no other information are available in his office. On the other hand the Appellant has submitted that whatever information he has received are correct and satisfactory but many information have not been furnished so far. During the argument the PIO has submitted that the information sought for is of many schemes of financial year from 2013 to 2019 which is not traceable in the office as the officer keep on changing after every three years and no proper handing and taking was done.

Further, after hearing the submissions of both the parties and records available the Commission directs the PIO to give justifiable reasons for information which are not available in AFFIDAVIT duly signed before Judicial Magistrate or Notary Public and hand over to the Appellant latest by 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 with a copy to the Commission. Failing which the commission shall be compelled to initiate penal action under provision of the RTI Act, 2005. The court is adjourned for the next date of hearing.

Both the parties are directed to appear before the Commission's court in persons on the next date of hearing. In case the SPIO fails to appear the Commission shall impose penal provision under section 20(1) of the RTI Act and if Appellant remains absent the Commission shall dispose of the case without any further notice, presuming that the Appellant has received the information and satisfied with the same.

The next date of hearing is fixed on 30th July, 2024 (Tuesday) at 1030 hrs.

**Therefore,** Shri Nangram Pingkap, the SPIO-cum-Project Director, Govt. of A.P. o/o Project Director, DRDA, Khonsa, Tirap District, Arunachal Pradesh is hereby summoned to appear before this Court in person on the scheduled date and time without fail.

N.B: - PIO and Appellant can avail online mode of hearing by downloading "Webex App" from Google Play store, may contact Shri Himanshu Verma at Mob:- 8878891768 for further technical assistance.

Order copies be issued to all the parties.

Sd/-

(Rinchen Dorjee)
State Chief Information Commissioner
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
Itanagar

Dated, Itanagar the..May, 2024

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