



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION, (APIC)
ITANAGAR, ARUNACHAL PRADESH**

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

Vide No. APICS-554/2023

**BEFORE THE COURT OF SHRI KHOPEY THALEY, STATE INFORMATION
COMMISSIONER**

Shri Lokam Namdu..... **Appellant**

-VERSUS-

PIO-Cum-Executive Engineer (PHE & WS),
Sangram Division, K/Kumey District **Respondent**

SHOW CAUSE NOTICE

(Form-4 CPC R/W Sec-20 (1) & (2) of the RTI Act, 2005.

To,

PIO-cum-Executive Engineer (PHE & WS),
Sangram Division,
Kurung Kumey District Pin code: 791118

WHEREAS, Shri Lokam Namdu Tania filled the Second Appeal against you before the Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission, Itanagar, on **16/06/2023 U/S 19 (3) of RTI Act, 2005** vide Appeal No. **APICS-554/2023**, wherein, alleging against you that you failed to furnish information sought by the Appellant under Form-A of his application dated **28/03/2023** relating to the matter as quoted in Form-A application.

WHEREAS, you, being PIO-cum-Executive Engineer (PHE & WS), Sangram Division, Kurung Kumey District, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh have refused to furnish the information sought under RTI Act, 2005 to the appellant **within the prescribed period of 30 days from the date of receipt of his application as provided under Sub-Section (1) of Section-7 of the Act without any reason, whereby, amounting to violation of the said sub-section of section-7, liable for imposing reasonable penalty against you under the sub section (1) of section-20 of the Act.**

WHEREAS, date of hearing of the Appeals was intimated to you well in advance but you are found absent consecutively in six hearings on **16/10/2023, 04/12/2023, 22/01/2024, 03/04/2024, 12/06/2024, 31/07/2024, 04/09/2024 and 09/10/2024** without intimation to the Commission. The Commission viewed seriously on the repeated absence of the PIO and showing reluctance attitude to appear before the Commission in every hearing, inspite of the directions of the Commission and **failed to furnish the information within prescribed period.**

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NOW THEREFORE, you are hereby directed to appear in person before the Commission (APIC), Itanagar for hearing and to furnish the reply of Show-Cause Notice against you on or before **18th November, 2024 at 1030 hours** under Section-20 of the RTI Act for violation of **Sub Section (1) of the Section-7 of the RTI Act, 2005 and failing which, matter will be heard and determined in your absence.**

GIVEN under my hand and seal of this Commission Court, on this **9th day of October, 2024.**

Sd/-
(Khopey Thaley)
State Information Commissioner
APIC-Itanagar

Dated Itanagar, the **14** October, 2024.

Memo No. APIC-554/2023/182
Copy to:-

1. The Chief Engineer (PHE & WS)-cum FAA, Western Zone, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar for kind information & necessary action ensure the compliance of this order by the PIO concerned without fail to avoid action under Section 20 of the RTI Act, 2005.
2. The Deputy Commissioner, Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh for kind information and necessary action please ensure the compliance of this order by the PIO concerned without fail to avoid action under Section 20 of the RTI Act, 2005.
3. Shri Lokam Namdu, Kankar Nallah, Naharlagun, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh for information. Contact No. 9362166831
4. The Computer Programmer/Operator, for uploading on the website of APIC and mail.
5. Office Copy.

Registrar/Dy. Registrar
APIC-Itanagar
Deputy Registrar
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
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