



# ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION (APIC) ITANAGAR

### File No. APIC-06/2025(Appeal)

Shri Serpi Flago

**Appellant** 

R/o near M.E School Tigdo Village PO/PS: Doimukh, Papumpare District A.P (M) 9436414993. Pin: 791112.

Versus

1.PIO, Respondents

O/o the Executive Engineer (EE)

RWD, Hayuliang Division, Anjaw District Hawai Govt. of A.P. Pin Code: 792104

2.FAA, Chief Engineer (CE)

RWD, PMGSY, Govt. of AP Itanagar Papumpare District. Pin: 791111

ORDER

Date of Hearing: 20.03.2025 Date of Decision: 20.03.2025

**INFORMATION COMMISSIONER** : Dani Gamboo

Relevant facts emerging from appeal:

RTI application filed on : 30.09.2024
SPIO replied on : Not on record
First appeal filed on : 28.11.2024
First Appellate Authority's Order : Not on record
Second Appeal filed on : 31.12.2024

### Information sought:

The appellant filed an RTI application dated 30.09.2024 seeking following information regarding release of fund against Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojna (PMGSY) Scheme (PFMS Scheme Code: 9179 State Scheme Code: AR 59)

1. Special Maintenance of road from PWD road to Braigong (Stage-I).

- 2. Special repair & maintenance of road from Bajigam to Chakka (Stage-I).
- 3. Special repair & maintenance of road from PWD road to Braigong (Stage-I)
- 4. Special repair & maintenance of road, i from PWD road to Glotong (Stage-I).
- 5. Special repair & maintenance of road from BRO to Chiprugam (Stage-I) .
- 6. Special repair & maintenance of road from PWD road to Dwilaing (Stage-I)
- 7. Special repair & maintenance of road from Bajigam to Chakka (Stage-I).
- 8. Special repair & maintenance of road from PWD road to Braigong (Stage-I)
- 9. Special repair & maintenance of road from PWD road to Glotong (Stage-I)
- 10. Special repair & maintenance of road from BRO to Chiprugam (Stage-I)
- 11. Special repair & maintenance of road from PWD road to Dwilaing (Stage-I)
- 12. Special repair & maintenance of road from Hayuliang (Dalai-Bridge point) to Bajigam (Stage-I)
- 13. Special repair & maintenance of road from Hayuliang (Dalai-Bridge point) to Bajigam (Stage-I)
- 14. Special repair & maintenance of road from PWD road to Dwilaing (Stage-I)

### Details of information required: -

- 1. Furnish the Photocopy of Sanction Orders and DPR of said project.
- 2. Furnish the photocopy of details Project report.
- 3. Furnish the photocopy of technical sanction estimate copy.
- 4. Furnish the photocopy of requisition letter of Concern authority and fund placement letter.
- 5. Furnish the photocopy of Newspaper cutting of advertisement calling for NIT published in local newspapers.
- 6. Furnish the photocopy of Bill sheet against whom the work has been awarded and mode of payment.
- 7. Furnish the photocopy of actual payment receipts (APR) against the scheme to proof that whoever received the amount.
- 8. Is there any provision of alteration of the sanction amounts? If yes then furnish the details copy.
- 9. Furnish the photocopy of allocation Fund against the said work.
- 10. Furnish the photocopy of agreement executed between RWD and executing firm.
- 11. Furnish the No. of firm who took participate during tender bidding process.
- 12. Furnish the photocopy of name of the contractor and M/S Firm who got selected.
- 13. Furnish the photocopy of the already instalments payment to the contractors.
- 14. Photocopy of field/site verification report and geo-tagging report.
- 15. Furnish the photocopy of cheque, counterfoils/Cheque leaf's or online transaction payment details.
- 16. Furnish the certified copy of worksite photographs before and after.

- 17. Furnish the certified copy of Measurement Book (MB) related the payments made to the contractor.
- 18. Furnish Photocopy of guidelines for the said allotted work.
- 19. Furnish photocopy of Completion report of instalment wise and completion report (CR) of Whole work.
- 20. Furnish the photocopy of mapping of said work.
- 21. Furnish the details:
- (a). Furnish the total no's of Bridges and culverts that lies under this stretch that were repaired or newly constructed under the sanction work order.
- (b). Furnish the details of labours engaged and their rate of per day wages charged with other miscellaneous expenditures.
- 22. Furnish the certified the total sanction amount released from state Govt. or central govt. for special maintenance of said project.
- 23. Furnish the name of the Firm to whom the special maintenance work is being executed or executing in said project.
- 24. Furnish the present status report of maintenance works.
- 25. Furnish the total amount released for special maintenance work so far, along with the name of the Firm executing the work.
- 26. Furnish the Bank Guarantee amount deposited by the executing firms.
- 27. Furnish the certified copy of special maintenance remaining amount to be released.

Period:

Applicable 24.03.2021, 11.8.2022

The following were present.

Appellant

: Present. He states that he has not received any information documents from the PIO nor FAA has heard the appeal case.

Respondent PIO

Absent.

FAA

Absent.

#### Decision:

The Commission after adverting to the facts and circumstances of the case, hearing the parties and perusal of the records, observes that FAA has not disposed of the first appeal filed to him.

As laid down at para-38 of the Guidelines for the FAA issued by the GoI and the State Govt. OM No. AR-111/2008 Dated 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2008, adjudication on the appeals under RTI Act is a quasi-judicial function. It is, therefore, necessary that the Appellate Authority should see to it that the justice is not only done but it should

also appear to have been done. In order to do so, the order passed by the appellate authority should be a speaking order giving justification for the decision arrived at.

Therefore, the instant appeal case is remanded to First Appellate Authority. Therefore, the FAA – Chief Engineer (RWD), PMGSY, Itanagar, Papumpare District, following the principle of natural justice, shall conduct hearing giving fair and equal opportunity to both the appellant and the PIO and thereafter pass reasoned and speaking order on merit within two weeks from the date of receipt of this order i.e on or before 03.04.2025.

The appellant is at liberty to file  $2^{nd}$  appeal afresh if not satisfied with the decision of the FAA / or PIO has not provided satisfactory information after order issued by the FAA. Fee for such  $2^{nd}$  appeal, if done, shall be exempted.

## The appeal is disposed of accordingly at Commission.

Sd/-Dani Gamboo Information Commissioner

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