## ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION, APIC **ITANAGAR**

An appeal case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 Vide Case No. Appeal-925/2023,

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

Shri Buli Bhai....

Appellant

Versus

PIO-cum- Executive Engineer (WRD), Raga

Respondent

Kamle District

Date of hearing

11/11/2024

Date of decision/Judgment:

10/02/2025

INFORMATION COMMISSIONER: Shri Khopey Thaley

Relevant facts emerging from Appeal:

RTI application file on

06/07/2023

PIO replied on

First appeal file on

10/08/2023

First Appellate Authority's order:

2<sup>nd</sup> Appeal dated

19/09/2023

### Information sought:

The appellant file an RTI Application dated 06/07/2023 seeking Details regarding Expenditure and Implementation of under SADA/ADA/SIDF/RIDF/RE/CSS of under Kamle District.

As per the case record, PIO has never conducted the hearing under his jurisdiction.

Being dissatisfied, the appellant filed First Appeal dated 10/08/2023. No hearing has been conducted by the First Appellate in this regard. Feeling aggrieved and dissatisfied, appellant approached the Commission with instant Second Appeal.

# The following were present.

Appellant

Shri Buli Bhai found absent.

Respondent:

PIO-cum-Executive engineer (WRD), Raga Div. present.

State Information Commission
Arunachai Pradesh Information Commission

#### JUDGEMENT ORDER

This is an appeal filed under sub-section (3) of Section 19 of the RTI Act, 2005. Brief fact of the case is that the appellants Shri Buli Bhai on 06/07/2023 filed an RTI application under Form-'A' before the PIO-Cum-Executive Engineer (WRD), Raga Division, Kamle District, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh whereby, seeking various information, as quoted in Form-A application. The Appellant, being not satisfied with the information received from the PIO, filed the First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority on 10/08/2023. Appellant, again having not received the required information from the FAA, filed the Second Appeal before the Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission on 19/09/2023 and the Registry of the Commission (APIC), having receipt of the appeal, registered it as APIC No. 925/2023 and processed the same for its hearing and disposal.

Accordingly, matter came up for hearing before the Commission for two time i.e on 11/11/2024 and 10/02/20255. In this hearing of the appeal on 10<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2025, the PIOcum-Executive Engineer (WRD) present in person but the appellant Shri Buli Bhai found absent without any intimation to the Commission.

On the last hearing dated 11/11/2024, both the parties were present and the representative of the PIO has stated before the Commission that the information sought by the appellant is kept ready to furnish the information on deposit of Rs. 3,000/- (Rupees three thousand) only for charges of paper. The appellant was directed to collect the information within a month from the date of order. It has been more than 2(two) months but till date the appellant has not collected the information inspite of the order given.

Therefore, the Commission deems that the appellant has no more interest to collect the information and the appellant has been given sufficient time. The Commission deems fit to dispose off the appeal case in his absence. Accordingly, the appeal case No. 920/2023 (Appeal) is disposed off and closed once for all.

Judgment/Order pronounced in the open Court by the Commission today on this 10th day of February, 2025. Each copy of Judgment/Order be furnished to the parties.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission/Court on this 10th day of February, 2025.

> (Khopey Thaley) State Information Commissioner APIC, Itanagar. Dated Itanagar, the ..... February, 2025.

Memo.No.APIC-925/2023/ 583

Copy to:

1. The PIO-cum-Executive Engineer (WRD), Raga Division, Kamle District, Arunachal Pradesh, for information and necessary action please. Pin code- 791120

2. Shri Buli Bhai, G-Sector, Naharlagun, Papum Pare District for information and necessary action. Contact No. 7085775809

3. The Computer Programmer for upload on the Website of APIC, please.

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(Khopey Thaley)

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