



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION

ITANAGAR.

**An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005
Case No. APIC- 738/2023.**

APPELLANT :Shri Tamchi Gungte, General Secretary, Arunachal Pradesh Peoples' Right Forum (APPRF) near KV-II School Chimpu, Itanagar (A.P).

RESPONDENT :The PIO, Er. Shri Nangram Logu, APO (Technical), o/o the Project Director (RD), Kurung Kumey District, Koloriang.

ORDER

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 received from Shri Tamchi Gungte for denial of information by the PIO, o/o the Project Director (RD), Govt. of A.P, Kurung Kumey District, Koloriang as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dated 01.05.2023.

This appeal has been listed for 10th time today on 07.05.2025, the earlier 9 (nine) times being on 23.08.2024, 11-09-2024, 09.10.2024, 06.11.2024, 27-11-2024, 18.12.2024, 31.01.2025, 21.02.2025, 21.03.2025.

In the earlier 5 hearings, the PIO, o/o the Project Director, RD, Koloriang, Kurung Kumey District did not appear. In the 4th hearing, this Commission, taking serious view of the continued absence of the PIO, had warned him that penal action under section 20 of the RTI Act, 2005 shall be initiated against him if he does not appear in the next hearing also.

In the next hearing (5th hearing) also the PIO did not appear but Er. Shri Nongram Logu, APO (Tech.), RD appeared and during the course of hearing this Commission was informed that the APO (Tech.) is the Technical Officer In-charge of various schemes of RD deptt.. This Commission, therefore, deemed it appropriate to appoint Er. N. Logu, APO (Tech.) as the PIO in place of the PD (RD) and, accordingly, this Commission appointed him as the PIO in terms of Section 19(8)(a)(ii) of the RTI Act. 2005.

In the following 4 hearings, the newly designated PIO also did not attend due to pre-occupation in official duties. In today's hearing, however, the PIO, Shri Nangram Logu was present with the information / documents requested by the Appellant, Shri Tamchi Gungte who was also present.

During the course of hearing the documents/information brought in by the PIO was handed over to the appellant who went through the same and expressed his satisfaction therewith.

In the premises as above, this appeal stands disposed off and closed.

Given under my hand seal of this Commission on this 7th May, 2025.

Sd/-
(S. TSERING BAPPU)
State Information Commissioner,
APIC, Itanagar.

Memo No. APIC-738/2023/ 730 Dated Itanagar, the 8 May, 2025

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2. The PIO, Er. Shri Nangram Logu, APO, (Technical), o/o the Project Director (RD), Govt. of A.P, Koloriang, Kurung Kumey District, PIN: 791118 for information.
3. Shri TamchiGungte, General Secretary, Arunachal Pradesh Peoples' Right Forum (APPRF) near KV-II School, PO/PS Chimpu, Itanagar (A.P), PIN: 791113, Mobile No. 8257994249/9863641729 for information.
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