



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

**An apple case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005**

**Vide Case No.APIC- 32/2025**

**BEFORE THE HON'BLE COURT OF SHRI KHOPEY THALEY, THE STATE INFORMATION  
COMMISSIONER, UNDER SECTION 19(3) OF RTI ACT, 2005.**

Shri Riya Taram  
Jollang, Itanagar. ....

**Appellant.**

**-VERSUS-**

PIO-cum-Executive Engineer (PWD) .....  
Changlang Division.

**Respondent.**

Date of hearing : 07/07/2025  
Date of decision/Judgment : 07/07/2025

INFORMATION COMMISSIONER : Shri Khopey Thaley  
Relevant facts emerging from Appeal:

RTI application file on : 13/11/2024  
PIO replied on :  
First appeal file on : 09/12/2024  
First Appellate Authority's order :  
2<sup>nd</sup> Appeal dated : 09/01/2025

**Information sought :**

The appellant file an RTI Application dated 13/11/2024 seeking Details regarding release relevant information according to the copy of your earlier furnished RTI documents.

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

Being dissatisfied, the appellant filed First Appeal dated 09/12/2024. No any hearing has conducted by the First Appellate Authority in this regard. Feeling aggrieved and dissatisfied, appellant approached the Commission with instant Second Appeal.

**The following were present.**

Appellant : Shri Riya Taram present in person.

Respondent : PIO-cum-EE (PWD), Changlang Division present in person.

**JUDGEMENT**

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 Riya Taram on 13/11/2024 filed an RTI application under Form-'A' before the PIO-Cum-Executive Engineer, (PWD), Changlang Division, Changlang 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

**09.12.2024**, Appellant, again having not received the required information from the FAA, filed the Second Appeal before the Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission on **09/01/2025** and the Registry of the Commission (APIC), having receipt of the appeal, registered it as **APIC No. 32/2025** and processed the same for its hearing and disposal.

Accordingly, matter came up for hearing before the Commission for first time i.e on 07/07/2025. In this hearing of the appeal on 7<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2025, both the parties the Appellant Shri Riya Taram and the PIO-cum-EE(PWD), Changlang Division present in person.

As per the case record submitted by the appellant there is no order copy of the First Appellate Authority but the PIO today intimated that hearing was conducted before the First Appellate Authority and the summon was also sent to the appellant to appear in the hearing. On the day of First hearing before the First Appellate Authority which was on 23/12/2024, the appellant was found absent. Today the appellant has requested one more date for hearing before the FAA and the case to be remand back to the First Appellate Authority-cum- Chief Engineer (PWD), Western Zone, Namsai. Request accepted.

Accordingly the appeal case No. 32/2025 is remand back to First Appellate Authority for giving one more opportunity to the appellant and to dispose the case..

Judgment/Order pronounced in the open Court of this Commission today on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2025. Each copy of Judgment/Order be furnished to the parties.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission/Court on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2025.

Sd/-  
(Khohey Thaley)  
State Information Commissioner  
APIC, Itanagar,  
Dated Itanagar, the .. July 2025.

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Copy to:

1. The FAA-cum-Chief Engineer (PWD), Western Zone, Namsai, Namsai District, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh for information and necessary action please. Pin code: 792103
2. The PIO-cum-Executive Engineer (PWD), Changlang Division, District Changlang, Arunachal Pradesh for information and necessary action please. Pin code: 792120
3. Shri Riya Taram, Shri Bengia Tahar & Shri Lokam Namdu, Huto Colony Jollang, C/o Riang Store beside Catholic Church, Jollang, Papum Pare District for information & necessary action. **Contact No. 9383103387.**
4. The Computer Programmer for upload on the Website of APIC, please.
5. Office Copy.

*Prajyoti*  
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APIC, Itanagar  
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