



ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION (APIC) ITANAGAR

File No. APIC-302/2024(Appeal)

Shri Sanjay Nikhangju

R/o Medical Colony, Bomdila

PO/PS: Bomdila, West Kameng District A.P

Pin: 790001. (M) 7629954465.

Versus

Appellant

Respondent

PIO, O/o the Bomdila Forest Division

West Kameng District A.P,

Pin Code: 790001

ORDER

Date of Hearing

06.02.2025

Date of Decision

06.02.2025

INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

Dani Gamboo

Relevant facts emerging from appeal:

The following were present: -

RTI application filed on

29.05.2024

SPIO replied on

Not on record

First appeal filed on

09.08.2024

First Appellate Authority's Order

27.08.2024

Second Appeal filed on

21.10.2024

The appellant filed an RTI application dated 29.05.2024 Seeking information pertaining to CAMPA schemes for CA, NPY & CAT Plans from the year 2018 to 2023.

Details of Information require:

- a) Compensatory forestation schemes ender CANPA with name of the projects.
- b) Non forest area/degraded forest area identified for compensatory forestation with Maps.
- c) Sanction order copies with details of implementations.
- d) Projects' Geo reference with audio- video visuals of locations of plantations.
- e) Payment details with money receipts or any other mode of payment we the contractors/suppliers/constriction agencies.

Period for which information required: 2018 to till date

The following were present.

Appellants

Present.

He states that irrespective of order issued by the FAA- Chief Conservator of Forest, Western Cicrcle, Banderdewa the PIO has not furnished information to the appellant.

Respondent PIO

Shri Kali Paja, Range Forest Officer, represented the PIO. He states that the appellant was asked to deposit requisite fee to furnish the information vide a letter dated 20.08.2024, a copy produced to this commission court today.

On interjection the appellant denied of having received the said letter, and the hearing at FAA took place on 27.08.2024 and no such letter was produced. The representative of the PIO could not produce any evidence of having delivered the letter to the appellant.

Decision:

The Commission after adverting to the facts and circumstances of the case and hearing the parties observes that the PIO has not furnished the information to the appellant in spite of order issued by the First Appellate Authority. PIO has not attended the hearing by FAA on 27.08.2024. Today also the PIO has not attended hearing at this commission court in person. The PIO is directed to furnish the information free of cost within 15 days from the date of issue of this order i.e 22.02.2025. A copy of letter no. BD/11/RTI/2018/683-87 dated 20.08.2024 from PIO – DFO Bomdila be furnished to the appellant. The appellant shall serve a copy of this order to the PIO and obtain the information and file a written submission of the status of information furnished to him to this commission.

Hearing adjourned. Next date of hearing shall be fixed on receipt of compliance report from the PIO and appellant.

Order pronounced in the Open Court of this Commission today this 06th day of February' 2025. Each copy of the Judgement / Order be furnished to the parties.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission / Court on this 06^{th} day of February' 2025.

Sd/-Dani Gamboo Information Commissioner

Authenticated true copy

Registrar / Dy. Registrar, APIC Date:
Memo No. APIC-302/2024/901
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Dated Itanagar the ..!. Feb.' 2025.

1. The Computer Programmer, APIC Itanagar with request to upload in APIC website and mail to concerned departmental email id.

2. Office copy.

Registrar / Dy. Registrar APIC, <u>Itanagar</u>

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Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
Itanagar