



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION
ITANAGAR**

**BEFORE THE HON'BLE COURT OF MAJOR GENERAL JARKEN GAMLIN, AVSM, SM,
VSM (RETD), STATE CHIEF INFORMATION COMMISSIONER**

No.APIC-91/2025 (Appeal)

Dated, Itanagar the 11th June, 2025

Appeal Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005

Appellant: Miss Till Perme, C/o Adv. Tabit Tapak, Sood Village, Near Hotel Polin, PO-Naharlagun, PS- Papu Hill, District Papum Pare, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791110, (M) 8974639728.

Vs

Respondent: Shri Taken Doke, The PIO-cum- JDLM, Govt. of A.P., O/o Directorate of Land Management, Itanagar, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791111.

ORDER

- 1). This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 filed by Miss Till Perme, C/o Adv. Tabit Tapak, Sood Village, Near Hotel Polin, PO-Naharlagun, PS- Papu Hill, District Papum Pare, Arunachal Pradesh, for non-furnishing of information by the Public Information Officer, Govt. of A.P., O/o Directorate of Land Management, Itanagar, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh, as sought by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 vide Form-A Dated 24/10/2024 regarding Information related to acquisition process initiated by the Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh Department of Land Management for Indian Army or any other Central Government organization.
- 2). The 1st hearing was held on 1st April, 2025. Shri Taken Doke, The PIO-cum- JDLM, Govt. of A.P., O/o Directorate of Land Management, Itanagar, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh had submitted that information sought for by the Appellant fell under the category of exemption under section 8 (a) of the RTI Act, 2005. Moreover, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh vide memo No. Secy (LM)-06/2021/10 Dated Itanagar the 15th March'2021 has directed not to share any sensitive Govt documents / papers and not to release information through RTI for national security reasons.
- 4). The representative of the Appellant Adv. Talho Tabing submitted that they were seeking information which do not fall under the exemption section. Also, the statutory law cannot be suppressed by government memos.

5). The Commission in view of submissions from both the parties and document available, directed the PIO to furnish to the Appellant the information which does not fall under the exemption section. The Appellant was apprised about the need to maintain confidentiality in so far as Army land details are concerned. The Commission had directed the Appellant Ms. Till Perme to give justifiable reasons within fifteen days from the date of issue of this order, as to why information related to the land acquisition for military be furnished, failing which the case will be disposed of.

6). The representative of the Appellant, Adv. Talho Tabing visited the Commission and appealed for scheduling a date of hearing. On 10th June, 2025, through whatsapp, he submitted a letter No. nil dated 10/06/2025 stating that "... furnishing the reasons for requesting the information is legally barred under section 6(2) of the RTI Act, 2005," and requested for a hearing.

7). The Commission decided to fix a date of hearing.

8). **The next date of hearing is fixed on 15th July, 2025 (Tuesday) at 1100hrs.**

9). **Therefore, Shri Taken Doke, The PIO-cum- JDLM, Govt. of A.P., O/o Directorate of Land Management, Itanagar, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh, is hereby summoned to appear before this Court in person on the scheduled date and time without fail, failing which penalty under section 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 may be imposed against the PIO. In case the Appellant is found absent the case would be disposed of.**

Order copies be issued to all the parties.

Sd/-

[Major General Jarken Gamlin, AVSM, SM, VSM (Retd)],
State Chief Information Commissioner
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission

Itanagar

Memo No. APIC-91/2025

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Dated, Itanagar the 13 June, 2025

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1. Shri Taken Doke, The PIO-cum- JDLM, Govt. of A.P., O/o Directorate of Land Management, Itanagar, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791111, for compliance.
2. Miss Till Perme, C/o Adv. Tabit Tapak, Sood Village, Near Hotel Polin, PO-Naharlagun, PS- Papu Hill, District Papum Pare, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791110, for compliance.
3. Computer Programmer, APIC, Itanagar, to upload in APIC Website & send mail to all the parties.
4. Case file.

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Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
Itanagar

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Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
Itanagar