



**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-365/A/2025

Dated, Itanagar the 21st October' 2025

Appeal Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005

Appellant: Shri Bamang Pacho, Near Main Power House, IG Park, House No. IMC 491, W-10, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791111, (M) 9402275313.

Vs

Respondent: The PIO-cum-EE (PWD), Sangram Division, Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791118.

ORDER

1). This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 filed by Shri Bamang Pacho, Near Main Power House, IG Park, House No. IMC 491, W-10, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, for non-furnishing of information by the PIO-cum-EE (PWD), Sangram Division, Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh, as sought by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 vide Form-A Dated 06/02/2025 regarding **various work under Budget Estimate (BE) 2023-2024**.

2). The 1st hearing was held on 21st October' 2025(Tuesday) at 1100 hrs. The PIO-Cum EE(PWD), Sangram Division, District Kurung Kumey was absent from hearing nor was a representative present on his behalf. Shri Bamang Pacho, the Appellant was present.

3). Shri Bamang Pacho, the Appellant informed the Commission that the PIO-CUM-EE(PWD), Sangram Division, Kurung Kumey District had not furnished information as sought by him.

4). The PIO is hereby issued a Show Cause as to why he should not be penalized under Section 20(1) of RTI Act, 2005 for wilful absence and non-compliance of the directions of the Commission. The wilful absence and gross violation of the provisions of the RTI Act 2005 is viewed seriously.

5). The next date of hearing is fixed on 02/12/2025 (Tuesday) at 1100 hrs.

6). If the PIO does not attend the next hearing and also does not furnish the information to the Appellant, the Commission shall impose a penalty under Section 20(2) of the RTI Act and also recommend disciplinary action against the officer, issue arrest warrant under 18(3) (a) of the RTI Act to compel the attendance in the court hearing.

7). The Appellant is also directed to appear in person in the next date of hearing failing which the case shall be disposed of without any further notice, presuming that the Appellant is no more interested in the information.

N.B: - PIO and Appellant can also avail online mode of hearing by downloading “Webex App” from Google Play store. May contact IT consultant, **Shri Himanshu Verma** at **Mob:- 8319014957** for further technical assistance at least one day prior to date of hearing.

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-365/A/2025

Dated, Itanagar the 22 October' 2025

Copy to:

1. The Deputy Commissioner, Kurung Kumey District to ensure attendance of the PIO-Cum- EE(PWD), Sangram Division, Arunachal Pradesh.
2. The FAA-cum-Chief Engineer, PWD Western Zone, Itanagar, Mowb-II, PIN-791111 to ensure attendance of the PIO-cum-EE (PWD), Sangram Division, Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh, before the Hon'ble Court of State Chief Information Commissioner, APIC, Itanagar.
3. The PIO-cum-EE (PWD), Sangram Division, Kurung Kumey District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791118 for compliance.
4. Shri Bamang Pacho, Near Main Power House, IG Park, House No. IMC 491, W-10, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791111, (M) 9402275313 for compliance.
5. Computer Programmer, APIC, Itanagar, to upload in APIC Website.
6. Case file.

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