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RIGHT TO INFORMATION

ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION
ITANAGAR.

An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005
Case No. APIC- 19/2026.

APPELLANT : Shri Nabam Tadap, Langdung Village, Sandupota Circle.
RESPONDENT : The PIO, o/o the EE (PWD), Doimukh Division, Papum Pare District.

ORDER

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 received from Shri Nabam Tadap for non-furnishing of below mentioned information by the PIO, o/o the EE (PWD), Doimukh Division, Papum Pare district as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dated 15.09.2025.

A. Particulars of information: c/o Approach road from Airport to HollongiMik Village.

B. Details of Information:

1) Furnish the certified copy of the guideline for implementation of Revised Estimated (RE) Scheme from Government of Arunachal Pradesh.
2) Furnish the certified copy of the cement concrete pavement 135 meters of photo copy.
3) Furnish the certified copy of the RCC Box Culvert (2.om span Ht 2.0m 1No of photo copy.
4) Furnish the certified copy of the longitudinal CC drain Trapezoidal 75 cm depthX100 cm width of Photo copy.
5) Furnish the certified copy of the Dry Len Concrete Pavement 135 meters of photo copy.
6) Furnish the certified copy of the pavement (3.75+0.60m shoulder both side-6.50) on drain side only of photo copy
7) Furnish the certified copy of the Name and details of the firm to whom the road project was awarded.
8) Furnish the certified copy of the measurement books of every bill paid for the said work of the contractors/firms.
9) Furnish the certified copy of the first & final bills form of every bill paid for said work of the contractor/firms
10) Furnish the certified copy of Geo tagging copy of the three stages: - Before the project commenced, after the project started and after the completion of the project.
11) Furnish the certified copy of the non tendering works order issued against said work.
12) Furnish the certified copy of the how many amount has been deduct for TDS/GST viz, CGST/SGST/Income tax or others taxable etc details please.
13) Furnish the certified copy of the cost justification of balance amount/fund.
14) Furnish the certified copy of the remaining Rs, 1741382 (Seventeen lakhs forty one thousands three hundred eighty two rupee) amount has been utilized or deposited? If utilized provide the work order or tender documents where the amount was utilized.

C. Period for which information is sought for: 2023 to 2025.

Brief facts emerging from the appeal:

Records in the appeal reveal that the appellant had requested the PIO for the aforementioned information but failed to obtain the same within the statutory period of one month which prompted him to file appeal before the First Appellate Authority (FAA), the Superintending Engineer (PWD), Capital Circle, Govt. of A.P. Itanagar under section 19(1) of the RTI Act vide their Memo of Appeal dt. 15.11.2025. But having failed yet again to obtain the information, he preferred second appeal before this Commission under section 19(3) of the RTI Act vide Appeal Memo dt. 02.01.2026.

Hearing and decision:

This appeal was heard 2(two) times on 10.06.2026 and 19.08.26.

On 10.06.26, this Commission, upon hearing the parties and on perusal of the documents / information furnished by the PIO, directed the PIO to furnish the left out information /documents or an appropriate replies with cogent reasons on affidavit to those queries wherever the information are denied. The PIO was also directed to comply with this direction within 1(one) month from the date of receipt of this order and report the compliance therewith to this Commission for further consideration of the appeal.

In compliance with the order of this Commission as above, the PIO, vide letter dt.15.06.2026, has furnished his replies.

The appellant, however, vide his letter dt.17.07.2026 had complained that the PIO did not comply with the order of this Commission and therefore, pleaded for appropriate action against the PIO under the relevant provisions of RTI Act, 2005.

In view of the appellant's complaint, this appeal was heard on19.08.26 and the following order was passed:

"Today on 19.08.2026, the appellant is present in person but the PIO, through his Junior engineer, informed vide letter dt. 19.08.2026 that due to his pre-occupation on account of visit of DONER Ministry officials, he will not be able to attend the hearing and requested for adjournment of the hearing.

This hearing of this appeal is, therefore, adjourned to 16th September, 2026. The PIO is directed again, in the interim, to furnish the information and report the compliance thereof to this Commission on that date failing which this Commission shall be constrained to initiate penal action under section 20 of the RTI Act, 2005."

On 16.09.26 while the appellant was present in person the PIO was represented by Er. Shri Yarkap Welly, AE-cum-APIO with the copy of PIO's letter dt.15.09.2026 by which the requested information were furnished to the appellant as under:

"Sub: Furnishing of information under RTI Act'2005. C/o Approach road from Airport to Hollongi Mikir village

Ref: Memo No. APIC-19/2026/836 Dated 21/08/2026

With reference to your RTI application ID No.86 dated: 17/09/2025, the incomplete information sought by you is furnished as per the statement given below:-

SL. No.	Information sought (as per Form- A)	Information furnished/Replied	Remarks
1	Furnish the certified copy of the guideline for implementation of Revised Estimated (RE) Scheme from Government of Arunachal Pradesh.	Sanction order Copy has guideline for execution of work Copy enclosed.	Annex-I
2	Furnish the certified copy of the cement concrete pavement 135 meters of photo copy	Not in the estimate scope	
3	Furnish the certified copy of the RCC Box Culvert (2.0m span Ht 2.0m) 1No of photo copy.	RCC box culvert photo copy enclosed	Annex-II
4	Furnish the certified copy of the longitudinal CC drain Trapezoidal 75 cm depthX100 cm width of Photo copy.	CC drain photo copy enclosed	Annex-III
5	Furnish the certified copy of the Dry Lean Concrete Pavement135 meters of photo copy.	Since the C.C pavement is not in the scope of work hence Dry lean concrete were doses not Arise.	
6	Furnish the certified copy of the pavement (3.75+0.60m shoulder both side-6.50) on drain side only of photo copy.	Granular sub-base pavement photo copy enclosed.	Annex-IV
7	Furnish the certified copy of the Name and details of the firm to whom the road project was awarded.		
8	Furnish the certified copy of the measurement books of every bill paid for the said work of the contractors/firms.	Measurement books Copy enclosed	Annex-V
9	Furnish the certified copy of the first & final bills form of every bill paid for said work of the contractor/firms	First & final bills form of every bill copy enclosed	Annex-VI
10	Furnish the certified copy of Geo tagging copy of the three stages: Before the project commenced, after the project started and after the completion of the project.	Geo-tag report from Website download and Furnished for three Nos visit Copy enclosed	Annex-VII
11	Furnish the certified copy of the non tendering works order issued against said work.	The work was executed by various contractor listed at through work order copy enclosed	Annex-VIII
12	Furnish the certified copy of the how many amount has been deduct for TDS/GST viz, CGST/SGST/Income tax or others taxable etc details please.	The statement TDS/GST/CGST/SGS T/NT can be read in pass order of first and final bill enclosed.	
13	Furnish the certified copy of the cost justification of balance amount/fund.	All fund were utilized in work.	

14	*Furnish the certified copy of the remaining Rs, 1741382 (Seventeen lakhs forty one thousands three hundred eighty two rupee) amount has been utilized or deposited? If utilized provide the work order or tender documents where the amount was utilized*	*Physically and financially 100% fund used.*	

Enclosed: As stated above.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer cum PIO, Doimukh Division,
PWD, AP, Doimukh."

This Commission, upon perusal of the information / documents furnished by the PIO, as above, observed that the PIO has furnished all the requested documents as except the queries at. Sl. 2, 5 and 14. Therefore, the PIO was directed vide order dt.16.09.26 to furnish appropriate the replies/documents to those three queries on an affidavit as required under the RTI Act within 7 days from the date of receipt of the order so as not to compel this Commission to invoke section 20 of the RTI Act, 2005.

In compliance with this Commission's direction as above the PIO, vide letter dt.28.09.26 had furnished the affidavit sworn in on 18.09.2026 (as reproduced below), the contents whereof, it is noticed, are in consonance with the submission of the PIO during the course of hearing.

"Sir,

With reference to the above cited subject, enclosed Please find herewith a copy of affidavit in regard to appeal No.APIC-19/2026/901 Dated 18/09/2026 in the matter of RTI of shri Nabam Tadap, Appellant is submitted for your further necessary action. The original copy of affidavit has already been submitted to appellant shri Nabam Tadap.

Yours faithfully
Sd/
Executive Engineer
PWD, Doimuk Division, Doimoukh."

AFFIDAVIT

The Executive Engineer, Doimukh Division, PWD, AP Dolmukh, do hereby solemnly affirm and declare on oath as under:

1. *That the Applicant Sri Nabam Tadap submitted RTI application (Form-A) Dated: 15/09/2025 for the work "C/o Approach road from Airport to Hollongi Mikir Village".*
2. *That the requested information has been duly furnished to the appellant vide letter (1) No.DD/RTI/2025-26/2509, Dtd: 27/08/2025 and (2) No.DD/RTI/2026-27/2266-67, Dtd: 15/09/2026.*
3. *The information sought under Sl. no. 2 is not available in the Division Office as the information asked for is neither covered under the scope of work nor included in the estimate. The detailed estimate has already been furnished to the RTI applicant.*

4. *That as regard to the information sought in Sl. no. 5, since the C.C. Pavement is not in the scope of work then the question of Dry Lean Concrete work does not arise.*
5. *That as regard to the information sought in Sl. no. 14, the fund for the said work has already been utilized and the work has been completed in all respect. The work order copy is being furnished (copy enclosed).*

Sd/
Deponent

VERIFICATION

Verification at Doimukh on this 28th Sept' 2026 that, the contents of the above affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, no Part of it is false and nothing material bas been concealed there from.

Sd/
Deponent

Sd/
Executive Magistrate
Papum Pare District
Doimukh."

Now that the PIO has complied with the direction of this Commission and the requirement of law under the RTI Act, 2005, this appeal does not require any further adjudication in this Commission and consequently it stands disposed of and closed.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission on this 26th Oct., 2026.

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

Memo No. APIC-19/2026 /179 **Dated Itanagar, the** 28 Oct/o **Sept., 2026**

Copy to:

1) The Superintending Engineer (PWD), Govt. of A.P Capital Circle Itanagar, the First Appellate Authority (F.A.A) for information.
2) The PIO, o/o the EE (PWD), Doimukh Division, Papum Pare District (A.P) (Pin code-791112), Itanagar for information.
3) Shri Nabam Tadap, PO-NIT Jote, PS-Balijan, Papum Pare District (Pin code-791113), (Phone No. 9436013355) for information.
4) The Computer Programmer/Computer Operator for uploading on the website of APIC, please.
5) Office Copy.
6) S/Copy.

28.10.26

Registrar/ Deputy Registrar
APIC

Registrar
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
Itanagar