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ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION (APIC)
ITANAGAR

File No. APIC-633/2026(Appeal)

Shri Takam Dado Tare Appellant
G-Extension Naharlagun Papumpare
District AP. M) 8794021820
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versus

PIO, Respondent
O/o the Panchayat Raj (PR) Itanagar
Papumpare Dist. AP.
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ORDER

Date of Hearing: 13.11.2026
Date of Decision: 13.11.2026

INFORMATION COMMISSIONER : Dani Gamboo

Relevant facts emerging from appeal.

RTI application filed on	:	22.05.2026
SPIO replied on	:	26.05.2026
First appeal filed on	:	08.08.2026
First Appellate Authority's Order	:	30.06.2026
Second Appeal filed on	:	25.08.2026

Information sought:

The appellant has filed an RTI application dated 22.05.2026 seeking following information regarding all central fund schemes provided to the state of Arunachal Pradesh for the year 2025-26.

Details of information required: -

(a) Please provide the copy of fund sanction of all central Fund schemes received from the Central Ministry for the year 2025-26

(b) Please provide the copy of all central Fund schemes of fund sanction order to all Division level, Govt, of Arunachal Pradesh along with items of works, amount, location for the year 2025-26.

The following were present.

Appellant : present through VC. He states that the PIO has not furnished any information to him in spite several visits to the PIO office.

Respondent PIO : Absent.

Decision:

The commission after adverting to the facts and circumstances of the case, perusal of the records and hearing the appellant, observes that the FAA – Director, Panchayat Raj (PR) Itanagar has heard and disposed of the appeal case on 30.06.2026 with a direction to the appellant that he may file a fresh application quoting Notice No. APIC/CIC/09/2024/418 dated 19.11.2024.

The PIO is absent in today's hearing without any intimation of the reason thereof, which is a violation of statutory duty of a public authority under the provisions of RTI Act, 2005. Ex parte decision taken in the absence of PIO.

The PIO is directed to furnish information sought to the appellant within 2 weeks from the date of issue this order under intimation to this commission. The appellant shall serve a copy of this order to the office of the PIO, obtain acknowledgement and submit a copy of it to this commission. The PIO shall personally attend the next hearing or through his authorised representative.

Memorandum No. APIC/CIC/09/2024/418 dated 19.11.2024 has been already withdrawn vide No. APIC/CIC/09/2024 (Copy enclosed)

Therefore, the instant appeal case is remanded to First Appellate Authority. Therefore, the **FAA – Director (PR), Itanagar**, AP., following the principle of natural justice, shall conduct hearing giving fair and equal opportunity to both the appellant and the PIO and thereafter pass reasoned and speaking order on merit within three weeks from the date of receipt of this order under intimation to this commission. The appellant shall serve a copy of this order to the office of the FAA – Director (PR), Itanagar, obtain written acknowledgement and submit a copy of it to this commission.

The appellant is at liberty to approach this commission:

1. If the Appellant is not satisfied with the information furnished to him by PIO based on the judgement order passed by the FAA.

2. If the FAA has denied the requested information based on specific exemptions/ grounds provided under the RTI Act, 2005.

Order pronounced in the Open Court of this Commission today this 13th day of November' 2026. Each copy of the Judgement / Order be furnished to the parties.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission / Court on this 13th day of November' 2026.

Sd/- (Dani Gamboo)
Information Commissioner

Memo No. APIC-633/A/2026/ 1211 Dated Itanagar the 17 November'2026.

Copy to:

1. The FAA - Director (PR), Itanagar, for compliance.
2. Computer Programmer Itanagar APIC to upload in APIC website and mailed to concerned department email.
3. Office copy.

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