



**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-156/A/2026

Dated, Itanagar the 5th May' 2026

Appeal Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005

Appellant: Shri Nabam Tadap, Zoo Tinali Road, Po. DNG College, Ps Chimpu, Itanagar, , Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791111, (M) 7085999455 / 9436013355.

Vs

Respondent: Shri Subu Hania, PIO-cum-Director, O/o the Directorate, Biological Zoological Park, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN- 791111.

ORDER

1). This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 filed by Shri Nabam Tadap, Zoo Tinali Road, Po. DNG College, Ps Chimpu, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, for non-furnishing of information by the Public Information Officer (PIO), O/o the Directorate, Biological Zoological Park, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, as sought by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 vide Form-A Dated 22/10/2025 regarding annually fund allocation from Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh/ India for feeding animals and birds and infrastructure development of Biological / Zoological Park, Itanagar.

2). **The 1st hearing was held on 5th May' 2026.** Shri Subu Hania, PIO-cum-Director, O/o the Directorate, Biological Zoological Park, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, was absent. The Appellant, Shri Nabam Tadap was present in person.

3). The Appellant submitted that the PIO had not furnished any information till date.

4). The absence of the PIO, without prior intimation and justifiable reason, was viewed seriously by the Commission.

5). The Commission hereby directs Shri Subu Hania, PIO-cum-Director, O/o the Directorate, Biological Zoological Park, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh to **SHOW CAUSE as to why Penalty should not be imposed on him under section 20 (1) of the RTI Act, 2005**, failing which disciplinary action shall be recommended under Section 20 (2) of the RTI Act, 2005.

6). Both the parties are directed to appear before the Commission's court on the next date of hearing without fail. If the PIO is found absent the Commission will initiate penal action under section 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, and issue Arrest Warrant under section 18 (3)(a) of the RTI Act, 2005 to compel attendance. In case, the Appellant is found absent the case would be disposed of.

6). The next date of hearing is fixed on 2nd June'2026 (Tuesday) at 1100hrs.

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

Dated, Itanagar the 12 May' 2026

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Copy to:

1. Shri Subu Hania, PIO-cum-Director, O/o the Directorate, Biological Zoological Park, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar-791111, for compliance.
2. Shri Nabam Tadap, Zoo Tinali Road, Po. DNG College, Ps Chimpu, Itanagar, , Arunachal Pradesh, PIN-791111, (M) 7085999455 / 9436013355 for compliance.
3. Computer Programmer, APIC, Itanagar, to upload in APIC Website.
4. Case file.

P. C. Singh

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