

Central Information Commission
2nd Floor, 'B' Wing, August Kranti Bhawan,
Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi-110066.

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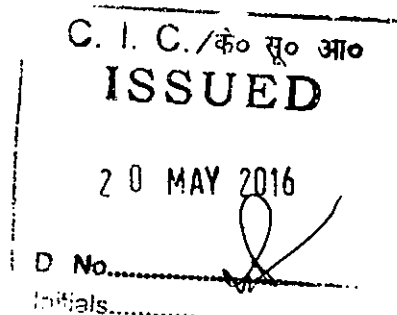
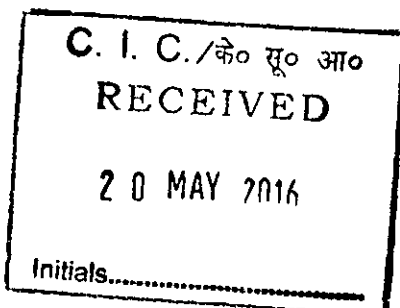
Name of the appellant : Shri Prasanta Basu Ray,
Deziray Complex, Barabazar,
Chandernagar, Dist. Hooghly,
Pin – 712 136 (WB).

1.	Date of RTI application	24.08.2015
2.	Date of reply of the RTI application	25.02.2016 & 09.03.16
3.	CPIO(s) who furnished reply	DO to IC(SH) & DO to IC(SB)
4.	Date of filing 1 st Appeal	28.10.15 & 17.03.16
5.	Diary No. of 1 st Appeal of Dak Section	171561 & 123085
6.	Diary date of 1 st Appeal of Dak Section	01.11.15 & 21.03.16
7.	Diary date of 1 st Appeal in the office of FAA	03.11.15 & 22.03.16
8.	Date of Hearing	17.05.2016

The appellant was heard through video conferencing when Shri V.K. Sharma, CPIO cum DO to IC(VS) was present. Shri Vijay Bhalla, CPIO cum DO to IC(SH) was not present.

Decision with reasons:-

1. The appellant intimated during the hearing that he has filed RTI application on 24.08.2015 and he has received the reply from Shri Vijay Bhalla, DO to IC(SH) vide his letter dated 25.02.2016 after six months with some pleas and pretexts to cover the lapses of abnormal delay and the unreasonable delay demands to be deemed as refusal of request. In this regard, the FAA is agreed with the explanation given by Shri Vijay Bhalla, DO to IC(SH) vide Para No.2 of his letter dated 25.02.2016. Further, the appellant stated during the hearing that his complaint dated 06.04.2015 made under section 18(1) has been registered as an appeal No.CIC/SH/A/2015/001212 instead of complaint. The appellant has been informed that during the hearing of his above mentioned appeal, the appellant can intimate the 2nd Appellate Authority to treat the appeal as complaint as has been made by the appellant. Further, the appellant has requested to give him the priority in hearing of the above mentioned appeal as per the provision for senior citizen. **Direction is accordingly given to Shri Vijay Bhalla, CPIO**



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cum DO to IC(SH) to give the priority of his above mentioned appeal as per the provision of the RTI Act for senior citizen. A copy of the passport as provided by the appellant in support of his senior citizen claim is enclosed.

2. During the hearing, the appellant has not said about non-receipt of reply of Point 3(i) & (ii). However, in the first appeal, the appellant has stated that he has not received the reply of point 3 (i) & (ii) of the RTI application. During the hearing, Shri V.K. Sharma, CPIO cum DO to IC(SB) has intimated that No.3(ii) has been transferred to the registry of IC(SB) by DO to IC(SH) vide letter dated 25.02.2016 and he has provided the factual information vide his letter dated 09.03.2016 to the appellant.
3. The point 3(i) has been transferred by DO to IC(SH) to DO to CIC for furnishing the reply. However, this should have been transferred to DR in Central Registry. On point 3(i) of the RTI application, the appellant has sought the diary number of the 2nd appeal against DOP&PW dated 10.08.2015. **Direction is accordingly given to Shri Dinesh Kumar, CPIO cum DR in Central Registry to provide the information to the appellant within 5 working days from the date of receipt of the order.**
4. The appeal is, therefore, disposed of accordingly.
5. In case the appellant is aggrieved by the decision, he is free to file second appeal, if he so desires, before the CIC in Room No.185, August Kranti Bhawan, Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi-110066 against this order within 90 days.

Achla Sinha

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Additional Secretary & First Appellate Authority

Tel: 26162290

Copy to:-

1. The CPIO, RTI Cell, CIC, New Delhi.
2. Shri Vijay Bhalla, DO to IC(SH), CIC, New Delhi.
3. Shri Dinesh Kumar, DR in CR, CIC, New Delhi.

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