

Central Information Commission  
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Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi-110066.

CIC/AA/A/2017/290  
CICOM/A/2017/00282  
CICOM/R/2017/01115

Name of the appellant : Mrs Nidhi Arora,  
B-I/192, Paschim Vihar,  
Delhi – 110 0063.

1.	Date of RTI application	Nil
2.	Date of reply of the RTI application	15.09.2017
3.	CPIO(s) who furnished reply	CPIO cum DO to CIC(RK)
4.	1 <sup>st</sup> Appeal Date	03.10.2017
5.	Diary No. of 1 <sup>st</sup> Appeal of the Dak Section	169408
6.	Diary date of the Dak Section	04.10.2017
7.	Date of receipt of 1 <sup>st</sup> Appeal in the office of FAA	06.10.2017
8.	Date of Decision	17.10.2017

**Brief facts of the case:-**

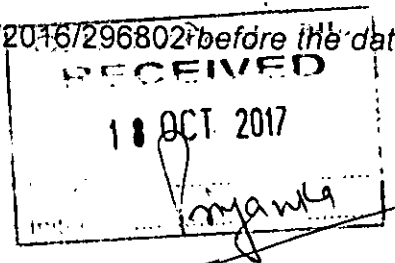
In the RTI application, the appellant has sought following information :-

*"Please confirm that 2<sup>nd</sup> Appeal no.CIC/SCOFI/A/2016/296802 has been decided on 22.08.2017 without admitting written submissions dated 27.07.2017 there against."*

2. Shri S.C. Sharma, CPIO cum DO to CIC(RK) vide letter dated 15.09.2017 has responded that:-

*"Your written submissions dated 27.07.2017 were available in your file No.CIC/SCOFI/A/2016/297802."*

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3. In the appeal, the appellant has stated that incorrect file number has been incorporated by the CPIO. The appellant has further made a reference of Appeal Nos.CIC/CC/A/2015/001633 & 002260 and stated that the CIC has contended that written submissions against said appeals were received after date of hearing though written submissions were submitted by her within specified limitation and were also read out in the hearing. Keeping in view the past experience, appellant seems to know that whether her written submissions dated 27.07.2017 were received and placed in case File No.CIC/SCOFI/A/2016/296802 before the date of hearing or not.



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**Decision with reasons:-**

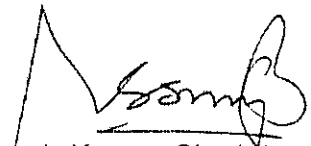
4. As far as information sought in the RTI application, it is to mention that CPIO cannot comment on the decision of the Commission. As regards incorrect case file number mentioned by the CPIO in his reply, the CPIO Shri S.C. Sharma has informed that this is a typographical error. The correct case file number is CIC/SCOFI/A/2016/296802 and written submissions dated 27.07.2017 was available in the concerned case file on the date of hearing i.e. on 22.08.2017.

5. It has been cross checked from the AppsCom software of the Commission that the written submissions dated 27.07.2017 was received in the Commission's Dak Section by hand on 27.07.2017, diarized vide Diary No.152365 dated 27.07.2017 and linked to the e-book of Appeal No.CIC/SCOFI/A/2016/296802 on 31.07.2017. Therefore, the statement of the CPIO that the above said written submissions were available in the case file on the date of hearing is found correct.

6. The appeal is, therefore, disposed off accordingly.

7. In case the appellant is aggrieved by the decision, she is free to file second appeal, if she so desires, before the Central Information Commission, Baba Gang Nath Marg, Munirka, New Delhi-110067 against this order within 90 days.

Dated the 17<sup>th</sup> October, 2017.

  
( Rakesh Kumar Singh )  
Additional Secretary & First Appellate Authority  
Tel: 26162290

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1. The CPIO, RTI Cell, CIC, New Delhi.

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