

Central Information Commission
Baba Gang Nath Marg,
Munirka, New Delhi -110067.

CIC/AA/A/2019/11
CICOM/A/2019/00008
CICOM/R/2018/01132

Name of the appellant : Shri Chandranshu Mehta
A-261, Sector-9,
New Vijay Nagar,
Ghaziabad (UP) – 201 009.

1.	Date of RTI application	22.11.2018
2.	Date of reply of the RTI application	21.12.2018
3.	CPIO(s) who furnished reply	DO to ex. IC(SA)
4.	1 st Appeal Date	07.01.2019
5.	Diary No. of 1 st Appeal of the Dak Section	7273
6.	Diary date of the Dak Section	08.01.2019
7.	Diary date of 1 st Appeal in the office of FAA	11.01.2019
8.	Date of Hearing	04.02.2019

Appellant was present. Shri T.K. Mohapatra, Director cum CPIO and Shri T.BJS Rajappa, CPIO, RTI Cell were present.

Decision with reasons:-

2. During the hearing, appellant has stated that he is aggrieved with the response of CPIO on Points 9,11,12 & 13 of the RTI application. In the RTI application, he has sought certified copy of explanation received by the Commission, before 16.11.2018 or on 16.11.218 from Ms. Vinodi Sharma, respondent CPIO, Sangeet Natak Akademi during hearing held on 05.11.2018 in case F.Nos. CIC/SANAK/A/2018/117881, CIC/SANAK/A/2018/ 117888, CIC/SANAK/A/2018/127290 and CIC/SANAK/A/2018/ 143174. But CPIO, Shri T.K. Mohapatra replied that "No such copy is available in the e-book of case file." The reply given by the CPIO is not correct as he sought same information from respondent CPIO, Sangeet Natak Akademi who provided copy of explanation in each case sent by her through email on dated 16.11.2018 to the email I/D registryicsa@gmail.com.

Shri T.K. Mohapatra, CPIO has submitted that appellant has not mentioned about any email in the RTI application and only sought copy of explanation and as there

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was no such letter in the e-book, he has replied accordingly. He has no intention of denial of any information to the appellant.

3. Since the public authority in this case has now been allocated to the registry of IC(VN), direction is accordingly given to Shri Ashok Kumar Assija, CPIO & DO to IC(VN) to go through aforementioned case files and provide certified copy (as per DoPT OM No.10/1/2013-IR dated 06.10.2015) of emails dated 16.11.2018 vide which explanations were sent to the Commission (if available) to the appellant within 2 weeks from the date of receipt of the order.

4. The appeal is, therefore, disposed of.

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

Dated the 04th February 2019.

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

Copy to:-

1. Shri T.B.J.S. Rajappa, CPIO, RTI Cell, CIC, New Delhi.

2. Shri Ashok Kumar Assija, CPIO & DO to IC(VN), CIC, New Delhi.

3. Shri T.K. Mohapatra, CPIO, CIC, New Delhi.

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