

Central Information Commission

Baba Gang Nath Marg,
Munirka, New Delhi -110067.

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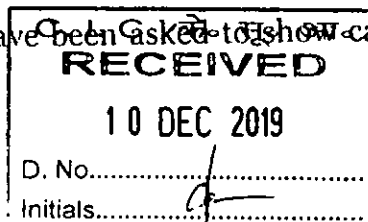
Name of the appellant: Shri Purnendu Prakash,
Kunj Bhawan, Road No. 15,
West Patel Nagar,
Near Ravi Chauk,
Patna -800023.

1.	Date of RTI application	30.08.2019
2.	Date of reply of the RTI application	23.09.2019 & 04.10.2019
3.	CPIO(s) who furnished reply	CPIO(s)/consultant(s), Sh. Jeewan Chandra (M&R), and Shri R Sitarama Murthy – DR to IC(SC)
4.	1 st Appeal Date	15.10.2019
5.	Diary No. of 1 st Appeal of the Dak Section	18440
6.	Diary date of the Dak Section	22.10.2019
7.	Diary date of 1 st Appeal in the office of FAA	20.11.2019
8.	Date of Decision	09.12.2019

Brief facts of the case:-

In the RTI application dated 30.08.2019, appellant seeking information on 07 points is as under:-

1. The question "Has the Commission power to reconsider or review its order(s) on merit?" and its answer "No" in the head of FAQ of the official website of the Central Information Commission www.cic.gov.in are uploaded on which date, month & year?
2. My protest/feedback registered FEEDBACK section of www.cic.gov.in on 19/07/2019, is not yet responded by the CIC. It seems that it is decided by the CIC not to respond in this case. Provide me the name & designation of the person in Central Information Commission who decided or directed not to reply to my protest/feedback registered in FEEDBACK section of www.cic.gov.in on 19/07/2019?
3. In hearing of second appeal/complaints by the Information Commissioner Sri suresh Chandra, how many CPIOs have been asked to show cause for denial of



information to applicants or for not responding to RTI applications; from 1st January 2019 to 19th July 2019?

4. In hearing of second appeal/complaints by the Information Commissioner Sri suresh Chandra, how many CPIOs have been asked to show cause for denial of information to applicants or for not responding to RTI applications; from 20th July 2019 to 10 September 2019?
5. Whether any First Appellate Authority of any Public Authority has ever been asked to show cause by the Information commissioner Sri Suresh Chandra for any cause while hearing of second appeal/complaints; from 01 February 2019 to 19th July 2019?
6. Whether any CPIO of any Public Authority has ever been punished by the Information Commissioner Sri Suresh Chandra for any cause while hearing of Second Appeals/Complaints; from 01 February 2019 to 19th July 2019?
7. What are the responsibilities of the Information Commissioner of Central Information Commission regarding compliance of Section 4 of the RTI Act 2005 by public authorities? Provide me the relevant documents.

2. The two CPIOs Shri Jeewan Chandra, CPIO/Consultant (M&R) provided the information on two points, Point Nos. 1 & 2 vide letter dated 23.09.2019 and CPIO – DO to IC(SC) provided the information on Point Nos. 3, 4, 5 & 6 vide letter dated 04.10.2019 to the appellant. Aggrieved with the reply, appellant filed the First Appeal in the Commission.

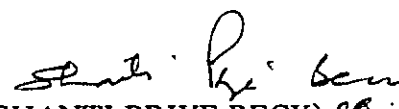
Decision with reasons:-

3. On perusal of the RTI application, CPIO's reply and appeal, it is observed that the reply against Point No.1 & 2 is not specific. Shri Jeewan Chandra, CPIO is directed to give specific reply to the Appellant within 10 days of the receipt of this order.

4. As the information ascertained from Shri R.Sitarama Kurthy, CPIO it is seen that no information is available in the matter sought for point Nos.3,4,5 and 6. Therefore, I am in agreement with the reply of the CPIO. Against Point No.7 regarding responsibilities of Information Commissioners, the CPIO has drawn attention to the RTI Act, 2005 and RTI Rules 2012. I am in agreement with the reply of the CPIO.

5. The Appeal is disposed off. 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 09th December 2019.

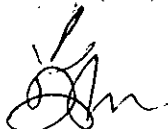

(SHANTI PRIYE BECK) *ag. 1;*
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First Appellate Authority
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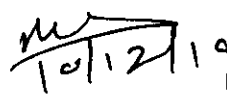
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- ✓ 1. Shri TBSJ Rajappa, CPIO, RTI Cell, CIC, New Delhi.
- ✓ 2. Shri Jeewan Chandra, CPIO, SO(M&R), CIC, New Delhi
- 3. Shri R. Sitarama Murthy, CPIO, DR to IC(SC)



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