



CENTRAL INFORMATION COMMISSION
Baba Gang Nath Marg, Munirka,
New Delhi – 110 067

Sh. R.R. Tripathy

....Appellant

VERSUS

Central Information Commission

.....Respondent

Case No:

1. **CIC/AA/A/2019/210**
2. **CICOM/A/2019/60149**
3. **CICOM/R/2019/50684**

Brief facts:

1. The Appellant, Sh. R.R. Tripathy vide his RTI application dated 20/08/2019 sought the following information from the CPIO, office of IC (DP):

- i. Copy of attendance register for Appellant and Complainant who appeared for hearing on 05/08/2019

2. In response to the above said RTI application filed by the Appellant, Sh. H.P. Sen, the concerned CPIO had informed the Appellant vide his reply dated 26/08/2019 that no attendance sheet either for Appellant or Complainant is available in the file.

3. The Appellant, being dissatisfied with the reply received from the concerned CPIO, filed a First Appeal dated 04/09/2019 before the undersigned mentioning therein that:

- i. The CPIO has wrongly denied the information which is fit to be provided to the Applicant.
- ii. The CPIO has adopted callous and casual approach while deciding the request of the Applicant.
- iii. The CPIO has not applied his mind while deciding the RTI request.
- iv. The information sought for is very much under the control of the CPIO which has been denied causing huge disrespect to the RTI Act.
- v. It is a general practice for the Complainant or Appellant to mark their attendance while appearing for hearing before the IC.
- vi. The information may kindly be provided to the Applicant.

4. I have gone through the case record and have not found any such record available to show that the attendance sheet marked either by the Appellant/Complainant is available on record. However, the CPIO is hereby directed to trace the record of attendance sheet, if available, either with him or with the In-



charge, Record Room, if the file has been sent to the Record Room. In case, the same is traced, it may be provided to the Appellant.

5. Hence, the Appeal is disposed off accordingly.

Sh. R.R. Tripathy is further informed if he is not satisfied with the order of the undersigned, he is free to file a Second Appeal under Section 19 (1) of the RTI Act, 2005 before the Hon'ble Information Commissioner Sh. Divya Prakash Sinha at the above mentioned address within a period of 90 days from the date of receipt of this order.



(Piyush Agarwal)

Registrar & First Appellate Authority
09/09/2019

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Central Information Commission



2. Sh. T. B. J. S. Rajappa
Nodal CPIO (RTI Cell)
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