

Central Information Commission
Baba Gang Nath Marg,
Munirka, New Delhi - 110 067

CIC/AA/A/2020/23
CICOM/A/P/20/00011
CICOM/R/2019/00860

Name of the Appellant: Sh. Siba Sankar Patro.
K. Nuapalli, Debabhumi, Ganjam,
Odisha, Pin - 761135

1.	Date of RTI application	25.11.2019
2.	Date of reply of the RTI application	11.12.2019
4.	CPIO (s) who furnished reply	Sh. Krishan Avtar Talwar, CPIO, Central Registry-1
3.	1 st Appeal Date	20.01.2020
5.	Date of Decision	21.01.2020

Brief Facts of the case:-

1. In the RTI application, appellant asked for following information:
 - a). That, there is neither any acknowledgement, nor any intimation on date of posting w.r.t. the 2nd Appeal Dated. 22.04.2018 to the CIC thought the Post Master, Aska. The copy of the 2nd Appeal Dated. 20.04.2018 to the CIC, through the Post Master, Aska, is annexed herewith as (Annexure-1).
 - b). That, the concerned of the Indian Overseas Bank has been responded facetiously on the endorsed copy of the 2nd Appeal dated 20.04.2018 to the CIC. The copy of the Indian Overseas Bank's facetious response Dated 17.05.2018 is annexed herewith as (Annexure-2).

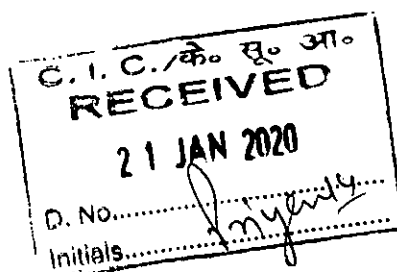
Reply of CPIO:-

2. The information dated 17.12.2019, provided by Sh. Krishan Avtar Talwar, CPIO, Central Registry-1, as under:

“Assistance was sought from the In-charge (Dak Section), custodian of the information. It has been intimated that your letter dated 20.04.2019 was diarized vide Dy. No. 126140 on 25.04.2019. Software of the Commission reflects that on it a file was registered vide No. CIC/IOVBK/A/2018/126140 on 26.04.2019. It will be listed for hearing in due course of time.”

Ground of First Appeal:-

3. Aggrieved with reply of CPIO. Sh. Sh. Krishan Avtar Talwar, CPIO, Central Registry-1, appellant filed the First Appeal stated that:



"That, it is clearly mentioned in the reply of your Ld. CPIO as the intimation dated. 20.04.2019 instead of 20.04.2018, as if, an exception, and bearing the case No. CIC/IOVBK/A/2018/126140 on 26.04.2019, for shunting the seeker which is creating the ambiguity w.r.t. correct Date of complaint and date of Dy. No. 126140 on 25.04.2019 or some other date, vide; File No. CICOM/R/2019/00860 dated. 11.12.2019 of your Ld. CPIO."

Comments of CPIO on First Appeal:

4. For Disposal of First Appeal written comments of CPIO were asked by the FAA. The CPIO in his comments has submitted that:

"The appellant in above RTI application had sought information on his Second Appeal dt. 20.04.2018 sent to the CIC through Post Master, Aska. Assistance was sought from I/C.Dak Section u/s 5(4) of the RTI Act, 2005. On the basis of it, it was duly intimated that the said Second Appeal has been diarized vide Dy. No. 126140 and on it a file was registered vide No. CIC/IOVBK/A/2018/126140. Inadvertently, the year 2018 was written as 2019. Thus, the factual information is that said Second appeal was diarized vide Dy. No. 126140 on 25.04.2018 and on it the said second appeal was got registered on 26.04.2018. The inadvertent mistake is highly regretted.

Decision with reasons:-

5. On perusal of the Appeal, RTI application and CPIO's reply, it is observed that there has been an inadvertent mistake on the part of CPIO during providing the information to the appellant. This has been admitted by CPIO in his comments. In light of the above the Sh. Krishan Avtar Talwar, CPIO, Central Registry-1 is hereby directed to send a correct reply to the appellant within 14 days after receipt of this decision regarding appellant's petition dated 20.04.2018.

6. The appeal is being disposed of accordingly.

7. 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 - 110 067 against this order within 90 days.

Dated January 21, 2020.



(Y. K. Singhal)

First Appellate Authority

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✓ 2. Sh. Krishan Avtar Talwar, CPIO, Central Registry-1, CIC, New Delhi.

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