## Central Information Commission Baba Gang Nath Marg. Munirka. New Delhi – 110 067

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Name of the Appellant:

Sh. Omprakash Kashiram

3/16, Amol Apartment, Waldhuni,

Kalyan, Pin - 421 301

1.	Date of RTI application	06.12.2019
2.	Date of reply of the RTI application	09.01.2020
4.	CPIO (s) who furnished reply	Sh. T. B. J. S. Rajappa (CPIO, RTI Cell)
3.	1 <sup>st</sup> Appeal Date	12.01.2020
5.	Date of Decision	22.01.2020

### Brief Facts of the case:-

1. In his RTI application, the appellant has asked for copies of documents / information against 5 points pertaining to reasons for not providing compensations by Chief Information Commissioner to the victims of accidents in Upphar Cinema Hall, Arpita Hotel, Takshila Complex, Surat, Kamala Compound, Mumbai etc. and other related information.

## Reply of CPIO:-

2. The information dated 09.01.2020, provided by Sh. T. B. J. S. Rajappa, CPIO (RTI Cell), as under:

"In reference to your RTI application dated 06.12.2019, it is to inform you that you have not sought any information in points 1 to 3, and the subject matter of these paras is beyond the jurisdiction of CIC.

Regarding points 4 and 5, no such information is available in CIC."

# Ground of First Appeal:-

- 3. Aggrieved with reply of CPIO, Sh. T. B. J. S. Rajappa, RTI Cell, the appellant filed the First Appeal stated that
  - a). "during last 15 years the Chief information Commissioner has not nominated the public information officers and first appellate authority under section 5(1) of RTI Act. 2005 and this injustice with country for not nominate the PIO under section 5(1) of RTI Act, 2005 among 11 Commissioners."
  - b). All orders received from PIO, Central Registry have been returned due to the RTI matter is concerned with Chief Information Commissioner. An amount of Rs. 25 crores may be given in recent fire in all over of India by issue order to

- all state Government and Central Government and ministry of Road and Highways where lot of people were dead to due fire by high technologies."
- c). Shri Talwar is not aware that rule 8 of RTI Rules 2012 is applicable for PIOs/FAAs of Central Government Organizations not for commissions. Shri Talwar does not know there is two departments in Central Information Commission, one is office of the Chief Information Commissioner along with 11 commissioners of Central Information Commission, New Delhi.

## 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.

"The appellant described certain cases of Fire accidents and no information was sought in points 1, 2 and 3. He sought documents attested by commissioner of CIC in points 4 & 5. Accordingly replied by RTI Cell. But in First appeal he is mentioning about Shri Talwar who is not relevant in this RTI Case."

#### Decision with reasons:-

- 5. On perusal of the Appeal, RTI application and CPIO's reply, it is observed that the appellant, through his RTI application, has not asked for any specific information, which is held by CIC and under its control. Likewise, in his first appeal, the appellant has not complained against the reply given by the CPIO, RTI Cell, CIC. In light of above, the reply given by the CPIO is factual and as per provision of the RTI Act, 2005. Therefore, further intervention is not required on the part of the FAA, in the matter.
- 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 22, 2020.

(Y. K. Singhal)
First Appellate Authority

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