

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

CIC/AA/A/P/2020/69
CICOM/A/P/20/00030
CICOM/R/P/2020/00019

Name of the Appellant: Shri Satish Dhankhar
H.No.- 583, Pocket - 2, Greenview Apartments,
Sector - 19, Dwarka, Delhi - 110 075

1.	Date of RTI application	06.01.2020
2.	Date of reply of the RTI application	05.02.2020
4.	CPIO (s) who furnished reply	Sh. R. P. Gorver, Deputy Registrar to IC-(YS)
3.	1 st Appeal Date	13.02.2020
5.	Date of Decision	11.03.2020

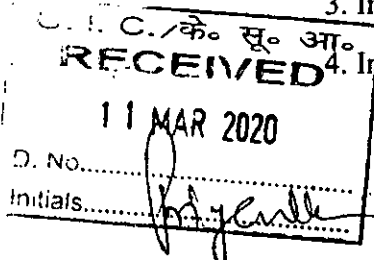
Brief Facts of the case:-

1. The appellant, through his RTI application asked for following information:
 1. Please provide information if Central Information Commission has received any appeal filed by Satish Kumar Dhankhar (CIC/ADDDM/A/2018/148643) dated 06.08.2018. Please update the status of the appeal and is there any information of listing. Please give proper information.
 2. Please share information how many appeals and complaints are pending in CIC since July 2018 till date.
 3. Please share information how many cases (appeals and complaints) are disposed off in the month of November and December 2019 separately. Please share bench wise data and cumulative figure also.
 4. Please share Information how many appeals and complaints are pending for more than one year with CIC, please share the number of cases pending having age more than 1 year.

Reply of CPIO:-

2. In response to the RTI application Sh. R. P. Gorver, Deputy Registrar to IC-(YS), CIC provided following information to the appellant:

1. Your appeal has been received and registered with the Commission vide appeal no. CIC/ADDDM/A/2018/148643. At present appeal is pending with the registry of IC(YS) for hearing.
2. Information is available in the website of the Commission.
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Ground of First Appeal:-

3. Aggrieved with the reply sent by the CPIO, the appellant filed 1st appeal before the First Appellate Authority, CIC alleging that:

"The PIO has not replied to the RTI application dated 07.01.2020 with in a stipulated period."

Decision with reasons:-

4. On perusal of the Appeal, RTI application and CPIO's reply it is observed that the RTI application dated 06.01.2020 of the appellant was received in RTI Cell, CIC on 10th January, 2020 and on same date it was forwarded to the concerned Registry of IC(YS) for disposal. The CPIO, DR to IC(YS), vide his letter dated 05.02.2020, sent reply to the appellant. Hence, the CPIO has responded to the RTI request well within the time of 30 days, as mandated under the RTI Act, 2005.

Further, the CPIO in his reply has clearly informed the appellant the status of his second appeal and for the rest of queries the appellant has already been informed that the desired information is available on CIC's website. It is worth mentioning here that Hon'ble Delhi High Court in Registrar of Companies & Ors. vs. Dharmendra Kumar Garg & Ors. [W.P.(C) 11271/2009] dated 01.06.2012 had observed that "once a certain information is placed in the public domain accessible to the citizens either freely, or on payment of a pre-determined price, that information cannot be said to be 'held' or 'under the control of' the public authority and, thus would cease to be an information accessible under the RTI Act."

In light of the above, the undersigned observes that the information provided by the CPIO, CIC is factual and as per provision of the RTI Act, 2005 and hence no further intervention is required on the part of FAA.

5. The appeal is being disposed of accordingly.

6. 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: March 11, 2020.

M. Balimane
11/3/2020
(Smt. Meena Balimane Sharma)

First Appellate Authority

Tel: 26162290

Copy to:-

1. Sh. T. B. J. S. Rajapa, CPIO, RTI Cell, CIC, New Delhi.
2. Sh. R. P. Gorver, Deputy Registrar to IC-(YS), CIC, New Delhi.

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11/6/2020