



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION  
ITANAGAR**

**BEFORE THE COURT OF DR.JORAM BEGI, STATE CHIEF INFORMATION COMMISSIONER**

No.APIC-166/2020

Dated,Itanagar the 16<sup>th</sup>March' 2021

**Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005**

**Appellant**

**Shri Vijay Pertin,  
Vill; Ithili,  
PO/Ps Roing,  
Lower Dibang Valley District, Vs  
Arunachal Pradesh.  
(m) 7085172418,**

**Respondent**

**Shri Jumbom Geyi,  
PIO-cum-EE(Hydro Power),  
Anini Hydro Power Division,  
Department of Hydro Power  
Development,  
Dibang Valley District,  
Arunachal Pradesh.**

**Dated of hearing held on : 16<sup>th</sup> March' 2021.**

**ORDER**

Whereas, an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 has been received from Shri Vijay Pertin, Vill; Ithili, PO/Ps Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh, for non-furnishing of information, by Ms Rupa Mimi, PIO/APIO-cum-AE(Hydro Power), O/o Assistant Engineer Hydro Power Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh, as sought, by the Appellants under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 on 20/07/2020, regarding C/o Community hall at Bolung village.

Whereas, the 1<sup>st</sup> hearing was held on 19<sup>th</sup> January'2021. Ms Rupa Mimi, the said PIO/APIO-cum-AE(Hydro Power), O/o Assistant Engineer Hydro Power Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh, and the Appellant Shri Vijay Pertin were present during the hearing. The Appellant informed the Commission that the PIO/APIO has furnished some information but he is not satisfied with the information for Sl.no. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, & 9. Ms Rupa Mimi, AE(Hydro Power), Hydro Power Roing, informed that she is not the PIO so she had forwarded the application to PIO-cum-EE(Hydro Power), Anini Hydro Power Division, Department of Hydro Power Development, Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh. But, PIO-cum-EE(Hydro Power), Anini Hydro Power Division, directed her to furnish information as the information are available with her and the same were furnished to the Appellant.

Whereas, the Commission made it clear to both the parties that as per Arunachal Pradesh Govt. notification, Executive Engineer is the Public Information Officer (PIO) and Chief Engineer / Superintend Engineer is the First Appellate Authority (FAA) in the work departments. Information has to be furnished to the Appellant with authentication of the PIO not by the APIO. So, the Commission decided to summon the PIO-cum-Executive Engineer (Hydro Power), Anini Hydro Power Division, in the next date of hearing. Meanwhile, the PIO is directed to furnish the remaining information to the Appellant within 20 (twenty) days from the date of issue of this order.

Whereas, the re-scheduled 2<sup>nd</sup> hearing was held on 16<sup>th</sup> March'2021. Shri Jumbom Geyi, PIO-cum-EE(Hydro Power), Anini Hydro Power Division, and the Appellant Shri Vijay Pertin were present during the hearing. The Appellant informed the Commission that the PIO has not furnished information as directed in the last hearing. The PIO informed that all the information sought by the Appellant are in the custody of the APIO and due to bad road communication it is difficult to communicate with the subordinate staff at Roing. The PIO also informed that he has not received order copy of the previous hearing so he could not furnish the information to the Appellant. The PIO appealed the Commission to give time to furnish information in view of bad road connectivity from Anini to Roing and fag end of the financial year.

Whereas, the Commission giving reasonable opportunity directed the PIO to furnish **complete, correct & authenticated** information for **Sl.no. 3, 4,5,6,7,8 & 9** as sought in the Form-A to the Appellant on or before 13<sup>th</sup> April'2021, failing which u/s 20(1) of the RTI Act-2005, penalty of Rs. 25, 000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand) only shall be imposed on the PIO. The Commission also asked the Appellant to receive the information go through and convey his satisfaction or dissatisfaction in the next hearing.

**The next date of hearing is fixed on 20<sup>th</sup> April'2021, 10:30 hrs.**

Therefore, **Shri Jumbom Geyi, PIO-cum-EE(Hydro Power), Anini Hydro Power Division, Department of Hydro Power Development, Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh**, is hereby summoned to appear before this Court **in person** on the scheduled date and time without fail.

Sd/-

(Dr.Joram Begi)

State Chief Information Commissioner  
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission  
Itanagar

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Dated, Itanagar the 18 March'2021

1. Shri Jumbom Geyi, PIO-cum-EE(Hydro Power), Anini Hydro Power Division, Department of Hydro Power Development, Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh,
2. Ms Rupa Mimi, APIO-cum-AE(Hydro Power), O/o Assistant Engineer Hydro Power Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh,
3. Shri Vijay Pertin, Vill; Ithili, PO/Ps Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh,
4. Computer Programmer, APIC, Itanagar, to upload in APIC Website,
5. Case file.

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Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission  
Itanagar