





ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION ITANAGAR

BEFORE THE COURT OF SHRI RINCHEN DORJEE, STATE CHIEF INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

No.APIC-355/2022

Dated, Itanagar the 2nd August' 2022

Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005

Appellant

Shri Nabam Tapak, Lekhi Village, Near Iconic Dealer, PO/PS Nirjuli, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh. Respondent

The PIO-cum-Dy State Project Director, Govt. of A.P., SAMAGRA SHIKSHA / ISSE ,RMSA, Itanagar, P/Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh.

Dated of hearing: 2nd August' 2022.

ORDER

Vs

Whereas, an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 has been received from Shri Nabam Tapak, Lekhi Village, Near Iconic Dealer, PO/PS Nirjuli, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh for non-furnishing of information by The PIO-cum-Dy State Project Director, Govt. of A.P., SAMAGRA SHIKSHA / ISSE ,RMSA, Itanagar, P/Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh as sought by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 on 21/03/2022 regarding the details of appointment order of Samagara Shiksha/ISSE.

Whereas, the 1st hearing was held on 2nd August'2022 at 1030hrs as scheduled. The PIO-cum-Dy State Project Director, Govt. of A.P., SAMAGRA SHIKSHA / ISSE, RMSA, Itanagar, P/Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh and the Appellant Shri Nabam Tapak were found absent during the hearing.

Whereas, the Commission could not hear from the both the parties as both were absent. The commission viewed seriously the absenting of the PIO without any prior intimation and evading the statutory duty. If the PIO fails to appear in the next date of hearing the Commission shall be compelled to impose penalty on the PIO u/s 20(1) of the RTI Act 2005. Also, if the Appellant fails to appear in the next date of hearing the case shall be disposed of presuming that the Appellant is no more interested in the information. The next date of hearing is fixed on 23rd August' 2022 at 1030 hrs.

Therefore, the PIO-cum-Dy State Project Director, Govt. of A.P., SAMAGRA SHIKSHA / ISSE ,RMSA, Itanagar, P/Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh is hereby summoned to appear before this Court in person on the scheduled date and time without fail.

Sd/-

(Rinchen Dorjee) State Chief Information Commissioner Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission <u>Itanagar</u> Dated, Itanagar the 3 August'2022

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Copy to:

- 1. The FAA-cum- Secretary (Education), Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Civil Secretariat, Itanagar, for information and necessary action please.
- 2. The PIO-cum-Dy State Project Director (SAMAGRA SHIKSHA / ISSE ,RMSA) Govt. of A.P., Directorate of School Education, 2nd Floor, Itanagar, P/Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh,
- 3. Shri Nabam Tapak, Lekhi Village, Near Iconic Dealer, PO/PS Nirjuli, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh,
- 4. Computer Programmer, APIC, Itanagar, to upload in APIC Website.
- 5. Case file.

(M. Padung) Dv. Registrar, Information Commission