



## ARUNACHAL PRADESH STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION ITANAGAR

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(Before the Hon'ble Information Commissioner Mr. Genom Tekseng)

Appeal Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005.

APIC-No.409/2021(Appeal)

Shri Ram Kasang,  
C/o Tamchi Mary, Political Branch Civil  
Secretariat, Itanagar, Papumpare District,  
Arunachal Pradesh.

Appellant

-Versus-

PIO-Divisional Forest Officer, Khellong,  
Bhalukpong, West Kameng District,  
Arunachal Pradesh.

Respondent

Date of hearing: 08.04.2022

### ORDER

The appellant Ram Kasang is present. PIO-cum-DFO, Khellong, Bhalukpong, West Kameng is absent. Heard the appellant.

During the course of hearing, the appellant has informed that the PIO did not furnish any information despite commission's direction to furnish the information within 15 days.

Perusal of records shows that the PIO did not furnish the reply appropriately and time bond manner. Even he did not comply with FAA order dated 22<sup>nd</sup> November, 2021. It may be mentioned here that during last hearing on 04.03.2022 the commission directed the PIO to furnish the requested information within 15 days and Mr. T. Lamgu, learned Adv. of the PIO, who was also present during the hearing was also requested to inform the PIO that any further delay in furnishing the information may invite penal action U/S 20 of the RTI Act, 2005.

The commission also takes serious exception of the non-appearance of the PIO during today's hearing and also for non-compliance of the commission's direction. The commission, therefore, directs the PIO to furnish complete and correct information on

or before next date of hearing fixed on 13.05.2022, failing which action under section 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 shall be taken against you.

The PIO is directed to be present during next hearing on 13.05.2022 at 10:30 hrs. Take notice that in default of your appearance during the hearing on the date time mentioned above, case will be decided in your absence and there shall be no further adjournment.

A copy of this order may be supplied to the parties.

Sd-  
(Genom Tekseng)  
Information Commissioner

Memo No.APIC-409 /2021/ *92*

Dated Itanagar the 20<sup>th</sup> April, 2022.

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1. PIO-Divisional Forest Officer, Khellong, Bhalukpong, West Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh.
2. Shri Ram Kasang, C/o Tamchi Mary, Political Branch Civil Secretariat, Itanagar, Papumpare District, Arunachal Pradesh.
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