





ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION ITANAGAR

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

No.APIC-66/2022

Dated, Itanagar the 8th March'2022

Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005

<u>Appellant</u>

Respondent

Shri Nabam Atung, & Shri Taba Bagang, C/o Aniay Drugs House, Near CHC, Doimukh, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh.

Vs

The PIO-cum-EE (WRD), Govt. of A.P., Sagalee Division, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh.

Dated of hearing held on: 8th March'2022.

ORDER

Whereas, an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 have been received from Shri Nabam Atung, & Shri Taba Bagang, C/o Aniay Drugs House, Near CHC, Doimukh, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh for non-furnishing of information by The PIO-cum-EE (WRD), Govt. of A.P., Sagalee Division, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh as sought for by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 on 28/10/2021 regarding MIP from Puyu River to Mara Happa Agri Field at Pilla-III village.

Whereas, the 1st hearing was held on 8th March'2022 at 1030hrs as scheduled. The PIO-cum-EE (WRD), Govt. of A.P., Sagalee Division, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh was found absent during the hearing. The Appellant Shri Nabam Atung was present. However, the PIO vide letter no. WRD/SGLSCH-3/RTI/2015-16 (vol-II) 457-458 Dated the 10th Feb'2022 informed the Commission that the Appellant had been intimated to pay the charges of document and collect the same vide letter No. WRD/SGL/SCH-03/RTI-04/2015-16 (Vol-II) Dated the Sagalee 7th Jan'2022 but the Appellant did not turn up to collect the information. The Appellant informed that he has not received any intimation letter from the PIO.

Whereas, the Commission viewed seriously the absenting of the PIO from performing statutory duty. The Commission asked the Appellant to receive the information after depositing the fees for the information, go through the same and convey his satisfaction or dissatisfaction in the next date of hearing.

The next date of hearing is fixed on 26th April'2022 at 1030hrs.

Therefore, the PIO-cum-EE (WRD), Govt. of A.P., Sagalee Division, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh is hereby directed to attend in person without fail in the next date of hearing. If the PIO is found absent in the next date of hearing, the Commission may be compelled to impose penalty under section 20(1) of the RTI Act 2005 on the PIO.

Sd/-

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

Memo No.APIC-66/2022/60-6 Copy to:

- 1. The FAA-cum- Superintendent Engineer(RWD), Govt. of A.P., Itanagar Circle, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh,
- 2. The PIO-cum-EE (WRD), Govt. of A.P., Sagalee Division, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh,
- 3. Shri Nabam Atung, C/o Aniay Drugs House, Near CHC, Doimukh, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh,
- 4. Shri Taba Bagang, C/o Aniay Drugs House, Near CHC, Doimukh, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh,
- 5. Computer Programmer, APIC, Itanagar, to upload in APIC Website.
- 6. Case file.

Registrar / Dy. Registrar Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission