



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION
ITANAGAR**

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

No. APIC-36/2020

Dated, Itanagar the 18th August' 2020

Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005

Appellant

**Shri Vijay Pertin,
Village, Ithili,
P.O & P.S Lower Dibang Valley,
Arunachal Pradesh.**

Vs

Respondent

**Shri Kenjum Rina,
PIO-cum-DFO,
P.O & P.S, Roing,
Lower Dibang Valley District,
Arunachal Pradesh.**

Dated of hearing: 18th August' 2020.

ORDER

Whereas, an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 has been received from Shri Vijay Pertin, Village, Ithili, P.O & P.S Lower Dibang Valley, Arunachal Pradesh, for non-furnishing of information, by Shri Kenjum Rina, PIO-cum-DFO, P.O & P.S, Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh, as sought, by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 on 18/11/2019.

Whereas, 1st hearing was held before the Hon'ble Court of Shri Leki Phuntso, then the State Information Commissioner, APIC, Itanagar on 5th March'2020. The PIO had informed that the information was furnished to the Appellant on 20.01.2020. The Appellant was absent during the hearing, so to hear from the Appellant next hearing date was fixed. However, due to lock down imposed by MHA & State Govt. for COVID-19 pandemic from 25th March'2020 and retirement of Shri Leki Phuntso, State Information Commissioner on 7th April'2020 from APIC, Itanagar hearing could not be completed by Shri leki Phuntso, SIC before his retirement. Therefore, the hearing is being continued before the Hon'ble Court of Dr. JoramBegi, SCIC, Itanagar.

Whereas, the 2nd hearing was held before the Hon'ble Court of Dr. Joram Begi, SCIC, on 23rd June'2020 through online Video / Audio conferencing. Shri Kenjum Rina, PIO-cum-DFO, P.O & P.S, Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh, appeared in the hearing through online video conferencing and the Appellant attended the hearing through online audio conferencing. The Appellant informed the Commission that the PIO has furnished information for the Sl.no. 2, 4, 5, 6, & 7 as sought by him in Form-A, but the PIO is still to furnish information for the Sl.no. 1, 3, 8 & 9. The PIO informed that for the Sl.no.1, the Forest Department do not have DPR instead they prepare Estimates and the copy of the