Telangana State Information Commission

(Under Right to Information Act, 2005)
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Complaint No: 9171/SIC-BM/2019 **Date: 18-03-2020**

Complainant : Sri. E. Buchi Reddy,
Peddapally District.

Respondent : Public Information Officer
(U/RTI Act, 2005)
O/o the District Agriculture Officer,
Karimnagar District.

Order

Sri. E. Buchi Reddy, Peddapally District has filed a complaint dated: 05-08-2019 which was received by this Commission on 08-08-2019 for not getting the information sought by him from the PIO / O/o the District Agriculture Officer, Karimnagar District.

The brief facts of the case as per the complaint and other records received along with it are that the complainant herein filed an application u/s 6(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 dated: 29-06-2019 before the PIO requesting to furnish the below information:

1. whether the Dealer Sri Rama Fertilizers & ticides karimnagar conducted sales of "CORAGEN""(Chloratraniliprole 18.5%) Manufactured by E.I. Dupont India Pvt d during the period 01-01-2018 to 31-05-2019. if so how much Quantity of sales conducted during this period.

2. Provide the copies of purchase invoices by the dealer to the quantity of "CORAGEN" sales conducted during this period (01-01-2018 to 31-05-2019).

The PIO / Agriculture Officer, Karimnagar District vide letter dated: 30-07-2019 informed the complainant that the information sought could not be furnished as per section 8(1)(d) of the RTI Act and rejected the application.

Aggrieved with the reply from the PIO, the complainant preferred this complaint before this Commission requesting to direct the PIO to furnish the information sought by him u/s 18(1) of the RTI Act, 2005.

The complaint was taken on file and notices were issued to both the parties for hearing on 18-03-2020.

The case is called on 18-03-2020. The complainant is absent. The Deemed APIO / Ms. M. Haritha, Agriculture Officer (Urban), O/o the District Agriculture Officer, Karimnagar District is present and submitted that a reply was given vide letter dated: 30-07-2019 informing that the information sought could not be furnished as per section 8(1)(d) of the RTI Act and vide letter dated: 13-08-2019 the complainant was requested to visit their office on 19-08-2019 for verification of records. The PIO filed copies of the letters before the Commission.

The PIO further submitted that in a similar case in Appeal No: 7521/SIC-BM/2019 dated: 17-02-2020 the Commission heard the case and the same was closed.

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Heard the PIO and perused the material papers available on record and observed that the PIO has acted diligently by giving an opportunity for verification of records, but the complainant has failed to utilize the same.

In view of the above submissions, the complaint is closed.

BUDDHA MURALI
STATE INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

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