

# TELANGANA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

(Under Right to Information Act, 2005)

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Housing Board Building, Mojam Jahi Market, Hyderabad – 500 001.

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**Complaint No. 11498/SIC-GSN/2019**

**Dated: 11-11-2020**

Complainant : Sri Pilli Sathyanarayana, Jangaon District-506167.  
Respondent : The Public Information Officer (U/RTI Act, 2005) /  
O/o The Principal Chief Conservator Forests (HoFF),  
Aranya Bhavan, Saifabad, Hyderabad.

## **ORDER**

Sri Pilli Sathyanarayana, Jangaon District-506167 has filed a Complaint dated 19-09-2019 which was received by this Commission on 30-09-2019 for not getting the information sought by him from the PIO / O/o The Principal Chief Conservator Forests (HoFF), Aranya Bhavan, Saifabad, Hyderabad.

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 dated 10-07-2019 before the PIO under Sec.6(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, requesting to furnish the information on the following points mentioned in his application annexed.

**Sub : Supply of Information under RTI - Regarding income to the Government (Forest Department) from the Burood Societies since last ~~4~~ years in the state - Regarding.**

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Kindly arrange to supply the following information under RTI, since last ~~4~~ (four) years i.e., 2015-16 to 2018-19.

1. Year of supply of Bamboo to the Burood Societies under subsidy rates.
2. The total number of Burood Societies were existing in the year through out the State.
3. The Total number of Bamboos to be supplied to the Burood Societies as per Govt. Order. (Each member to get 2000 Bamboos every year).
4. Actual supply of Bamboos made to Burood Societies in the year.
5. The total cost of Bamboos collected from the Burood Societies in the shape of Challans or Bank Drafts throughout the State.
6. The expenditure made by the Department for felling of Bamboos supplied to societies (Buroods) in the State.
7. The expenditure made by the Department in transport of Bamboos from Forest to the Bamboo Depot.
8. The total handling (i.e., loading of Bamboos in trucks (Lorries) in forest, Classification and lotting in the Depot) charges paid by the Department.
9. The net amount of Profit left after payment of above expenditure, i.e., felling, transport and handling charges regarding the Bamboos supplied to the Burood Societies.

The above information is sought under RTI, may kindly be supplied within the schedule time.

The Public Information Officer has furnished the information to the complainant vide Rc. No. 11938/2019/TS-RTI, dated 16-08-2019.

The Complainant having not satisfied with the information received from the PIO, he preferred this Complaint before the Commission u/s 18(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 requesting to arrange to furnish the information sought by him.

The Complaint was taken on file and notices were issued to both the parties for hearing on 11-11-2020.

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The case is called on 11-11-2020. The Complainant is present. The Public Information Officer / Smt P. Sri Lakshmi, Deputy Conservator of Forests (MIS), O/o The Principal Chief Conservator Forests (HoFF), Aranya Bhavan, Saifabad, Hyderabad is present.

The Public Information Officer submitted that vide letter Rc. No. Rc. 11938/2019/TS-RTI dated 16-08-2019 available and held information was furnished to the complainant.

The Complainant submitted that he has received information from the Public Information Officer, but he was not satisfied with the information received.

The Public Information Officer further submitted that the details sought in 6(1) application filed by the complainant was available with the District Forest Officers/Forest Divisional Officers, a letter was circulated to all the Circle Heads vide letter Ref No. 8699/2017/Prod-3, dated 12-06-2019.

The Commission directs the complainant to seek information from the concerned DFOs/FDOs by filing separate applications U/s.6(1) of the RTI Act, as there are more number of public authorities involved.

With the above direction, the complaint is closed.

**Dr. Guguloth Shankar Naik**  
**State Information Commissioner**

**Authenticated by:**

**Section Officer**  
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