

TELANGANA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

(Under Right to Information Act, 2005)

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

Phone Nos: 040-24740665 (o); 040-24740592(f)

Appeal No. 11509/SIC-GSN/2019

Dated: 22-12-2020

Appellant : Sri Rajender, Mahabubnagar District.

Respondents : **The Public Information Officer (U/RTI Act, 2005) /**
O/o The Commissioner of College Education (CCE),
Government of Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Appellate Authority (U/RTI Act, 2005) /
O/o The Commissioner of College Education (CCE),
Government of Telangana, Hyderabad.

ORDER

Sri Rajender, Mahabubnagar District has filed 2nd appeal dated 21-09-2019 which was received by this Commission on 30-09-2019 for not getting the information sought by him from the PIO / O/o The Commissioner of College Education (CCE), Government of Telangana, Hyderabad and 1st Appellate Authority / O/o The Commissioner of College Education (CCE), Government of Telangana, Hyderabad.

The brief facts of the case as per the appeal and other records received along with it are that the appellant herein filed an application dated 24-04-2019 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:

I have the honour to submit the following few lines for your kind consideration and favourable orders. I am intending to obtain certain following information from your good office contemplated under section(6) of the right to information Act 2005.

1. Please provide, details are you following UGC (University Grant Commission) guidelines. According to UGC guidelines which has increased honorarium salary for Guest Faculty working in Government Degree College Telangana State Rs.1500/- per period/Lecturer, and maximum Rs.50,000/- per month No.F.25-1/2018(PS/MISC).
2. Increase of honorarium salary for guest faculty working in Government Degree College: It is applicable only those who Qualified in NET/SET/Ph.D, according to UGC guidelines please give information. No. F.25-1/2018(PS/MISC).
3. Please give details information the increase of honorarium salary for Guest Faculty working in Government Degree College according to UGC guidelines it will be effect from Jan 28, 2019 No. F.25-1/2018(PS/MISC) UGC are you implementing from that date and whether it is applicable to Guest Faculty working in Government Degree College in Telangana State from that date.
4. Please give details how many Guest Faculty working in Government Degree College and how many persons are qualified candidates according to UGC guidelines working in Telangana State.
5. Please give details the work load of Guest Faculty working in Government Degree College in Telangana State and how many hours have to stay in college.

The Public Information Officer has not furnished the information to the appellant.

Since the appellant did not receive the information from the Public Information Officer, he filed 1st appeal dated 01-07-2019 before the 1st Appellate Authority u/s 19(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 requesting him to furnish the information sought by him.

The 1st Appellate Authority has not responded to the appellant.

As the appellant did not get the information from the Public Information Officer and non response from the 1st Appellate Authority even after 30 days of filing his 1st appeal, he preferred this 2nd appeal before this Commission u/s 19(3) of the RTI Act, 2005 requesting to take action against the PIO and 1st Appellate Authority for not furnishing information sought by him and also to arrange to furnish the information sought by him.

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The Appeal was taken on file and notices were issued to both the parties for hearing on 22-12-2020.

The case is called on 22-12-2020. The Appellant is present. The Public Information Officer / Sri B. Vijay Kumar, Assistant Director, O/o The Commissioner of College Education (CCE), Government of Telangana, Hyderabad is present. The First Appellate Authority / O/o The Commissioner of College Education (CCE), Government of Telangana, Hyderabad is absent.

The Public Information Officer submitted that vide letter No. CCE-GDCS/RTI/3/2020-RTI dated 17-12-2020, sought information was furnished to the appellant through Registered Post.

The Appellant submitted that he was not satisfied with the information received from the Public Information Officer and also filed an affidavit to this effect.

The Commission directed the Public Information Officer to invite the appellant to their office for verification of records and to furnish the desired information with reference to the application filed U/s.6(1), within one week from the date of receipt of this order and to report compliance to the Commission.

With the above direction, the appeal is closed.

Dr. Guguloth Shankar Naik
State Information Commissioner

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Section Officer
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