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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 1<sup>st</sup> appeal dated 16-09-2019 before the 1<sup>st</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> Appellate Authority even after 30 days of filing his 1<sup>st</sup> appeal, he preferred this 2<sup>nd</sup> appeal before this Commission u/s 19(3) of the RTI Act, 2005 requesting to take action against the PIO and 1<sup>st</sup> Appellate Authority for not furnishing information sought by him and also to arrange to furnish the information sought by him.

The Appeal was taken on file and notices were issued to both the parties for hearing on 24-11-2020.

The case is called on 24-11-2020. The Appellant is absent. The Public Information Officer / Smt. B. Mahalakshmi, Assistant Commissioner, O/o The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Himayatnagar, Urdu Hall Lane, Hyderabad is present. The First Appellate Authority / O/o The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Himayatnagar, Urdu Hall Lane, Hyderabad is absent.

The Public Information Officer submitted that the appellant was permitted to verify the file No. 8930/CPR&TR/B3/2004 on 11-10-2019 and vide letter No. 6809/CPR&RE/B2/2019 dated 21-10-2019 the appeal was closed.

The Commission observed that there is no evidence produced by the Public Information Officer having verified that record by the appellant.

Therefore, the Commission directs the Public Information Officer to allow the appellant to verify the record with reference to Sec.2(j) of the RTI Act on a mutually convenient date within two weeks from the date of receipt of this order and to report compliance.

With the above direction, the appeal is closed.

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

**Authenticated by:**

**Section Officer**  
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