

# TELANGANA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

(Under Right to Information Act, 2005)

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## **Complaint No. 8413/SIC-GSN/2019**

**Dated: 10-12-2020**

Complainant : Sri M. Venkatesham, Kamareddy District-503122.  
Respondent : **The Public Information Officer (U/RTI Act, 2005) /**  
O/o The Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty,  
Heritage Complex, Huda Building, Hill Fort Road,  
Nampally, Hyderabad-500004.

## **ORDER**

Sri M. Venkatesham, Kamareddy District-503122 has filed a Complaint dated 23-07-2019 which was received by this Commission on 23-07-2019 for not getting the information sought by him from the PIO / O/o The Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty, # 5-10-192, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Heritage Complex, Huda Building, Hill Fort Road, Nampally, Hyderabad-500004.

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 17-06-2019 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: In-complete and obstructed information received for the RTI application made on Dated: 14 -05-2019 for Not sanctioning Asara Pension (Single women pension) to Padma Anasuya R/o Brahmanapally  
UID: 721524532220 SKS Id: 1830141362636 Pension Id: RRMGU68642**

**Ref: Application made 04-11-2018 (ref: RTI application 14 -05-2019)  
Application made to DRDA Kamareddy 17-12-2018 (ref: RTI - 14 -05-2019)  
RTI application made on Dated: 14 -05-2019  
SERP RTI reply dated: 28-05-2019  
DRDA RTI reply dated: 31-01-2019  
Application made to collector Kamareddy 18-04-2019  
Application made to Project director DRDA Kamareddy 18-04-2019  
Application made to SERP Hyderabad 14-05-2019**

I (M. Venkatesham R/o Yellareddy) on behalf of Padma Anasuya requested for RTI application on 14 -05-2019 but In-complete information received for the mentioned individual women is not getting Asara Pension (Single Women pension) even after visiting multiple times to MPP yellareddy & D.R.D.A. Kamareddy offices.

As per the understanding officials there is a sanctioning problem Asara Pension. Since there is no action in progress from officials end from few months on this application.

Note: RTI-2005 chapter 2-6-3-II RTI guidelines states that the application should be transferred to the appropriate or closely connected public authority and to be inform to the applicant if the requested information not available at office.

Requesting The Senior to Public Information Officer O/o Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty that kindly help me in providing the below requested copies under RTI Act-2005 chapter 2-J- II and 2-6-3-II as early as possible in the interested of equity and justice.

- 1) Guidelines and action taken why this is pending from long time
- 2) When was the application received and action taken on this application
- 3) Till date action taken by official's for sanction of Asara Pension (Single women pension)
- 4) If still taking long time what are the alternative / corrective methods of action plan or remedy for application issue?
- 5) Who will be responsible for last 2 years compensation.

If the records untraceable who are officials responsible for it, what is the retention period, rules under which the records destroyed if it is?

Please inform us if we required to pay any additional fee which represents the cost for providing information and mode of payment details.

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

As the Complainant did not receive the required information from the PIO even after 30 days of filing his application, 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.

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The Complaint was taken on file and notices were issued to both the parties for hearing on 10-12-2020.

The case is called on 10-12-2020. The Complainant is absent. The Public Information Officer / Sri Mujeebur Rehman Khan, DDO, O/o The Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty, Nampally, Hyderabad is present.

The Public Information Officer requested the Commission to allow one week time to furnish complete information to the complainant.

The Commission verified the material papers available on record and found that the then Public Information Officer vide letter No. 1186/SERP/RTI Act'2005/2019 dated 28-05-2019 furnished a copy of information received from the Director (SS). The Commission observed that the Public Information Officer failed to produce any proof of its acknowledgment having received the same by the complainant.

In the circumstances, the Commission directs the present Public Information Officer to send the information to the complainant once again by RPAD within a week's time and to report compliance to the Commission.

With the above direction, the complaint is closed.

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

**Authenticated by:**

**Section Officer**  
**Copy to: - IT Section/SF**

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