TELANGANA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

(Under Right to Information Act, 2005)
Samachara Hakku Bhavan, D.No.5-4-399, '4' Storied Commercial Complex,
Housing Board Building, Mojam Jahi Market, Hyderabad – 500 001.
Phone Nos: 040-24740665 (o); 040-24740592(f)

Appeal No. 8563/SIC-GSN/2020
Dated: 21-10-2021

Appellant : Sri K. Sachitanand, Hyderabad-500012.

Respondents : **The Public Information Officer (U/RTI Act, 2005) /**
O/o The Gram Panchayat Secretary, Nawabpet Village and
Mandal, Mahabubnagar District-509001.

The Appellate Authority (U/RTI Act, 2005) /
O/o The Mandal Parishad Development Officer, Nawabpet
Mandal, Mahabubnagar District-509001.

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Sri K. Sachitanand, Hyderabad-500012 has filed 2nd appeal dated 19-10-2020 which was received by this Commission on 21-10-2020 for not getting the information sought by him from the PIO / O/o The Gram Panchayat Secretary, Nawabpet Village and Mandal, Mahabubnagar District-509001 and 1st Appellate Authority / O/o The Mandal Parishad Development Officer, Nawabpet Mandal, Mahabubnagar District-509001.

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 20-06-2020 before the PIO / O/o The District Panchayat Officer, Mahabubnagar, Mahabubnagar District under Sec.6(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, requesting to furnish the information on the following points mentioned in his application:

I, K. Sachitanand son of Sri K. Malloji, Resident of H.No.15-5-236, Osmanshahi, Afzalgunj, Hyderabad -12, submit that I am needing the below mentioned information under Right to Information Act, 2005 and towards the fees I am enclosing herewith an Indian Postal Order for Rs.10/- bearing No.42F 947874, dated:20-06-2020.

Provide the attested true copies of letter (House Ownership Certificate) dated:30-12-2016 issued to K. Vijay Bhaskar regarding H.No.5-29, situated at Nawabpet, Village and Mandal, Mahabubnagar District issued by Village Secretary and also provide the attested copy of application made by K. Vijay Bhaskar for issuing the said certificate along with supporting affidavits, papers etc. for issuing the above said certificate.

Provide attested copies of records of H.No.5-29, situated at Nawabpet, Village and Mandal, Mahabubnagar District for the year 1977-78, 2013-14, 2018-19 and 2019-2020,

Provide Record of Map of the H.No.5-29 with dimension and sketch with attested.

Provide mutation application along with enclosures, mutation order copy and draft file with attested copies.

Provide the House numbers existing in Nawabpet village Grama Kantam along with dimensions and sketch of the houses.

Provide the information of the Officer who got mutated the H.No.5-29 in the name of K. Vijay Bhaskar.

The Public Information Officer / O/o The District Panchayat Officer, Mahabubnagar, Mahabubnagar District vide letter Memo. No. A1/245/2020 dated 27-06-2020, has transferred the application U/s. 6(3) of the RTI Act to the Public Information Officer / O/o The Gram Panchayat Secretary, Nawabpet Village and Mandal, Mahabubnagar District to furnish the information directly to the appellant under intimation to their office.

Since the appellant did not receive the information from the Public Information Officer, he filed 1st appeal dated 20-08-2020 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 21-10-2021.

The case is called on 21-10-2021. The Appellant is present. The Public Information Officer / Sri H. Surendar, Panchayat Secretary, O/o The Gram Panchayat Secretary, Nawabpet Village and Mandal, Mahabubnagar District is present. The First Appellate Authority / O/o The Mandal Parishad Development Officer, Nawabpet Mandal, Mahabubnagar District is absent.

The Appellant submitted that he did not receive the sought information from the Public Information Officer and filed an affidavit to this effect.

The deemed Public Information Officer / Smt. T. Deepthi, Panchayat Secretary is also present and submitted that she has not receive a copy of 6(1) application filed by the appellant.

The Public Information Officer submitted that he joined recently and sought time for furnishing the information to the appellant and filed an affidavit to this effect.

The Commission directed the Public Information Officer concerned to obtain a copy of 6(1) application from the appellant and to furnish complete information within two days from the date of receipt of this order and to report compliance to the Commission, failing which action will be initiated against the Public Information Officer under the provisions of Sec. 20 of the RTI Act.

With the above direction, the appeal is disposed.

Dr. Guguloth Shankar Naik
State Information Commissioner

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