

# 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: 040-24740667 (o); 040-24740592(f)

**Appeal No.14958/SIC-KSR/2022**

**Dated: 02-01-2023**

Appellant : Sri Mahanandi Bai, H No. 6-3-179/1,  
Jai Nagar Colony, New Bhoiguda, Secunderabad.

Respondents : **The Public Information Officer (U/RTI Act, 2005) /**  
O/o. the Tahsildar, Chegunta Mandal, Medak Dist

**The Appellate Authority (U/RTI Act, 2005) /**  
O/o. the Revenue Divisional Officer,  
Toopran Division, Medak Dist.

## **ORDER**

Sri Mahanandi Bai has filed 2<sup>nd</sup> appeal dated 13-10-2022 which was received by this Commission on 13-10-2022 for not getting the information sought by him from the PIO / O/o. the Tahsildar, Chegunta Mandal, Medak Dist and 1<sup>st</sup> Appellate Authority / O/o. the Revenue Divisional Officer, Toopran Division, Medak Dist.

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 **08-03-2019** 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:

3. Particulars of information

(a) Concerned Office/Department : Department of Revenue

(b) Particulars of information required:

- (i) Please furnish the proceedings mutaling the names of Third parties.
- (ii) Please furnish the documents submitted by the Third parties to mutale their name in Revenue records.

4. Format in which information is required: copies

5. Mode of delivery expected: speed post

6. The information can be furnished within 30 days as prescribed under Section 6 (1).

7. Without prejudice to my rights under the RTI Act 2005, to facilitate faster retrieval of information, I would like to state that the information could be available in the O/o Tahsildar, Cheguntta Mandal, Medak District.

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 **14-12-2019** 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 1<sup>st</sup> Appellate Authority failed to hear the case and pass appropriate orders on the 1<sup>st</sup> appeal filed before him.

As the appellant did not get the information from the Public Information Officer / 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.

Basing on the material papers available on record, the appeal was taken on file and notices were sent to the parties concerned directing them to appear before this Commission for hearing on 02-01-2023.

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The case is called on 02-01-2023. The Appellant is present. The Public Information Officer is absent. Sri M.Mogulaiah, Typist is present on behalf of the Public Information Officer. The First Appellate Authority is absent.

The Appellant stated that in 2021, he received a reply from the Public Information Officer stating that the information is not traceable.

The representative of the Public Information Officer submitted that the sought information is not traced out in their office and hence a reply was furnished to the appellant informing the same vide letter No.RTI/24/2019 dated 28-12-2019.

The Commission directed the Public Information Officer to make a thorough search in their office and furnish the information to the appellant, within two weeks from the date of receipt of this order and submit compliance report to the Commission.

With the above direction, the appeal is closed.

**Katta Shekar Reddy**  
**State Information Commissioner**

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