

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: 040-24740638 (o); 040-24740592(Fax)

Appeal No. 10882/SIC-Dr.Mohd.Ameer/2019

Dated: 20-04-2022

Appellant : **Sri P. MALLIKARJUN, R/o Hyderabad District**

Respondents : **The Public Information Officer (U/RTI Act, 2005) /
O/o The Deputy Commissioner, Circle-12, Mehidipatnam Circle,
Khairathabad, Hyderabad**

**The Appellate Authority (U/RTI Act, 2005) /
O/o The Zonal Commissioner, GHMC, Khairtabad Zone, Khairtabad,
Hyderabad.**

ORDER

Sri P. MALLIKARJUN, R/o Hyderabad District filed 2nd appeal dated 16-09-2019 which was received by this Commission on 18-09-2020 for not getting the information sought by him from the PIO / O/o The Electoral Registration Officer, 63 Nampally Consistency, Khairtabad Zone, GHMC, Khairtabad, Hyderabad and 1st Appellate Authority / O/o The Zonal Commissioner, GHMC, Khairtabad Zone, Khairtabad, 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 **11-03-2019** under Sec.6(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, before the PIO seeking the following information:

1. That I have deposited the requisite fee of Rs. 10 /- by way of Court fee stamp.
- That I am 'Citizen' of India and I am asking the information as 'Citizen'. I assure that I shall not allow/ cause to use/ pass/share/display/ or circulate the information received in any case and under any circumstances, with any person or in any manner which would be detrimental to the Unity and Sovereignty or against the Interest of India.

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

Since the appellant did not receive the information from the Public Information Officer, he filed 1st appeal dated **07-08-2019** before the 1st Appellate Authority requesting him to furnish the information sought.

As per the records enclosed it is noticed that the 1st Appellate Authority had failed to hear the case and pass appropriate orders on the 1st appeal filed before him.

As the appellant did not get information from the Public Information Officer, he preferred this 2nd appeal before this Commission requesting to arrange to furnish the information sought by him.

The 2nd Appeal was taken on file and notices were issued to the parties concerned for hearing on **20-04-2022**.

On **20-04-2022** the case is called. The Appellant is present. The Public Information Officer / Deputy Commissioner, Circle-12, Mehidipatnam, GHMC, Hyderabad is present. The 1st Appellate Authority is absent. The Assistant Municipal Commissioner is present on behalf of the 1st Appellate Authority.

The Appellant submitted that he did not receive the sought information from the Public Information Officer.

The Public Information Officer submitted that the information is prepared and submitted to the Head Office. A copy of the will be furnished to the appellant.

The record goes to show that the 6(1) application was filed on 11-03-2019 requesting to furnish action taken report on his representation dated 21-1-2019 and no information is furnished by the Public Information Officer even after three years.

The Commission directs the Public Information Officer to furnish the sought information to the appellant **within (15) days** from the date of receipt of this order and submit compliance to the Commission.

With the above direction, **the Appeal is closed.**

The Public Information Officer is **cautioned to** be prompt while dealing with application filed under RTI Act, 2005 and strictly adhere to the stipulated time limits with reference to Sec.7(1) of the RTI Act, 2005.

Dr. Mohd. Ameer
State Information Commissioner

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