

TELANGANA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

(Under Right to Information Act, 2005)

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Complaint No. 10982/SIC-Dr.Mohd.Ameer/2020

Dated: 15-06-2022

Complainant : Sri RAJI REDDY BETHI, R/o Jagityal District

Respondents : 1. The Public Information Officer (U/RTI Act, 2005) /
O/o The District Collector, Karimnagar District.

2. The Public Information Officer (U/RTI Act, 2005) /
O/o the Municipal Commissioner, Jagityala Municipality, Jagityala

ORDER

Sri RAJI REDDY BETHI, R/o Jagityal District has filed a Complaint dated 15-12-2020 which was received by this Commission on 19-12-2020 for not getting the information sought by him from the PIO / O/o The District Collector, Karimnagar District.

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 25-09-2020 under Sec.6(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, before the PIO seeking following information:

1. నేను, తేది: 13.12.2020 నాడు, ఒక పిర్యాదిని రిజిస్టర్ పోస్ట్ ద్వారా మీ కార్యాలయంనకు పంపియుంటిని, అట్టి పిర్యాదిని అనుసరించి మీ కార్యాలయం నుండి శాఖ పరమైన విచారణ జరిపిన వాటి వివరాలు అనగా (ఎ) శాఖ పరమైన విచారణ జరుపుటకు నియమించిన అధికారి పేరు, చోదా కార్యాలయం చిరునామా, (బి) విచారణ జరిపిన అధికారికి సహాయకులుగా పనిచేసిన అధికార్లు పేర్లు, చోదాలు (సి) విచారణ జరిపిన తేది, నెల, సం॥ నివేదికల తేఖ నెంబర్ (డి) మీ కార్యాలయానికి విచారణ జరిపిన నివేదికలు సమర్పించిన తేది, నెల, సం॥తో కూడిన లిఖిత పూర్వక సమాచారం నా చిరునామాకు పంపగలరు.

The PIO has not furnished the sought information to the complainant.

As the complainant did not receive the sought information from the PIO even after 30 days of filing his application, he preferred this Complaint before the Commission requesting to arrange to furnish the information sought by him.

The Complaint was taken on file and notices were issued to the parties concerned for hearing on 15-06-2022.

On 15-06-2022 the case is called. The Complainant is absent. The Public Information Officer / Superintendent, O/o the District Collector, Karimnagar is present.

The Public Information Officer submitted that part information was furnished to the Complainant on 7-5-2021.

On a perusal for the material papers it is observed that the 6(1) application was transferred to Public Information Officer, O/o the District Collector, Jagityal U/s. 6(3) of RTI Act, 2005 who in turn transferred the 6(1) application to the Public Information Officer, O/o the Municipal Commissioner, Jagityal.

The Public Information Officer, O/o the Municipal Commissioner, Jagityal submitted that they have received the 6(1) application yesterday evening only and requested to grant some time to furnish information to the Complainant.

The Commission directs the Public Information Officer, O/o the Municipal Commissioner, Jagityal to furnish sought information to the Complainant within (15) days and submit compliance to the Commission.

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

The Commission took a serious view of the fact that the 6(1) application was transferred U/s. 6(3) of RTI Act, 2005 after abnormal delay and warned the Public Information Officer, O/o the District Collector, Karimnagar and Jagityal to be more careful in future while dealing with the applications filed under RTI Act, 2005.

Dr. Mohd. Ameer
State Information Commissioner

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