## TELANGANA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

(Under Right to Information Act, 2005)

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## <u>Appeal No. 13875/SIC-Dr.Mohd.Ameer/2021</u> Dated: 23-05-2022

Appellant : Sri V. SRINIVASA CHARY, R/o Karimnagar District

Respondents : The Public Information Officer (U/RTI Act, 2005) /

O/o The Tahsildar, Thimmapur Mandal, Karimnagar District

The Appellate Authority (U/RTI Act, 2005) /

O/o The Revenue Divisional Officer, Collectorate Complex,

Karimnagar District.

## <u>ORDER</u>

**Sri V. SRINIVASA CHARY, R/o Karimnagar District** filed 2<sup>nd</sup> appeal dated 27-10-2021 which was received by this Commission on 27-10-2021 for not getting the information sought by him from the PIO / O/o The Tahsildar, Thimmapur Mandal, Karimnagar District and 1<sup>st</sup> Appellate Authority / O/o The Revenue Divisional Officer, Collectorate Complex, Karimnagar District.

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 14-07-2021 under Sec.6(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, before the PIO seeking the following information:

The Public Information Officer through letter No. C/328/2021 dated 26-08-2021 furnished reply to the appellant.

Stating that the information furnished by the Public Information Officer is incomplete / incorrect, the appellant filed  $1^{st}$  appeal dated 16-08-2021 before the  $1^{st}$  Appellate Authority requesting him to furnish the information sought.

The First Appellate Authority through notice No. K1/4211/2021 dated 08-09-2021 posted the first appeal for hearing on 18-09-2021.

As the appellant did not get information from the Public Information Officer, he preferred this 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 23-05-2022.

On 23-05-2022 the case is called. The Appellant is absent. The Public Information Officer / Naib Tahsildar, Thimmapur Mandal, Karimnagar District is absent. The Senior Assistant is present on behalf of the Public Information Officer. The 1st Appellate Authority is absent.

The representative of the Public Information Officer submitted that the sought information was furnished to the appellant on 26-8-2021, 17-9-2021 and 24-9-2021 stating that the sought information is personal information and is exempted as per orders in SLP Civil No.27734/2012.

The appellant did not choose to attend the hearing nor filed affidavit offering his version.

The record goes to show that the appellant in his 6(1) application sought the service book of Sri G.Ramesh, Naib Tahsildar, Thimmapur Mandal duly attested. The Public Information Officer ought to have furnished the service book while severing the personal data of the individual.

The Commission directs the Public Information Officer to furnish service book of the individual duly severing his personal data 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.

Dr. Mohd. Ameer State Information Commissioner

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