

# Telangana State Information Commission

(Under Right to Information Act, 2005)  
D.No.5-4-399, Samachara Hakku Bhavan (Old ACB Building),  
Mojam-jahi-Market, Hyderabad – 500 001  
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**Appeal No:5879/SIC-MNR/2021**

**Date: - 23-02-2022**

Appellant : Sri Kiran Baireddy, H.No. 2-3-64/1/47/A/40, Thirumala Nagar, Amberpet, Hyderabad - 500 013.

Respondents : Public Information Officer (U/RTI Act, 2005)  
O/o the GM, SCCL., Kothagudem, Bhadradri – Kothagudem District.

First Appellate Authority (U/RTI Act, 2005)  
O/o the GM, SCCL., Kothagudem Area, Bhadradri – Kothagudem District..

## **Order**

Sri Kiran Baireddy has filed second appeal dated **24-04-2021** which was received by this Commission on **24-04-2021** for not getting the information sought by him from the Public Information Officer/ O/o the General Manager, SCCL., Kothagudem, Bhadradri – Kothagudem District and the First Appellate Authority/ O/o the General Manager, SCCL., Kothagudem, Bhadradri – Kothagudem 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 **21-01-2021** before the Public Information Officer requesting to furnish the information under Sec. 6(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 on the following points mentioned:

***Please furnish the details of the officer with designation for permitted to publish the results of E & M Management trainee exam as stated by Sri A. Ananda Rao GM (Personal) RC, Ir & PM SCCL Ltd., as per press released on 19-09-2020.***

The Public Information Officer through Letter dated 22-01-2021 informed to the applicant that he investigation is not yet completed in the case, as such cannot be furnished as per Sec. 8(h) of RTI Act, 2005.

Stating that the appellant was not satisfied with the reply of the Public Information Officer, he filed 1<sup>st</sup> appeal dated **02-03-2020** before the First Appellate Authority requesting him to furnish the information sought by him u/s 19(1) of the RTI Act, 2005.

Stating that the appellant did not get any response from the First Appellate Authority, he preferred this 2<sup>nd</sup> appeal before this Commission requesting to arrange to furnish the information sought by him u/s 19(3) of the RTI Act, 2005.

In view of the above, notice is issued to both the parties to attend for hearing on **23-02-2022 at 10.30 AM.**

The Case is heard on 23-02-2022. The appellant is present and stated that the PIO has not furnished any information sought by him. The Sri PIO/ Sri D,Srinivas, Dy.GM, Corporate, Kothagudem Area, Bhadradi Kothagudem District is present and stated that a letter Ref No.CRP/RTI-PIO/3308/321, dated.05-03-2021 was forwarded to the appellant stating that since the appellant is seeking similar information through repeated RTI applications the present application is rejected as per Central Information Commission, vide decision No.CIC/AD/A/2013/001326-SA, dated.25-06-2014. The PIO further submitted a copy of the letter along with the copy of the postal receipt as a proof of dispatch.

Heard both the parties and perused the material papers available on record. The Commission took a serious view against Public Information Officer for not furnishing the sought information to the appellant within the stipulated period of 30 days as per section 7(1) of the RTI Act 2005. The Commission warns the PIO not to repeat such lapses in future and strictly adhere to the provisions of the RTI Act 2005.

The Commission directs the PIO to furnish the information sought by the appellant through his 6(1) application dated.29-01-2021 within two(2) weeks through RPAD and to report compliance to the Commission. If the PIO fails to comply with the instructions issued, action will be initiated against the PIO as per Section 20 of RTI Act, 2005.

With the above direction, the appeal is closed.

**MYDA NARAYAN REDDY**  
**STATE INFORMATION COMMISSIONER**

**Authenticated by:**

**Section Officer**  
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