

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 – 500001.

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Appeal No: 2922/SIC-SK/2020

Date: - 30-07-2021

Appellant : Sri Maddileti Maramungala,
Hyderabad.

Respondents : Public Information Officer
(U/RTI Act, 2005)
O/o the District Educational Officer,
Hyderabad District.

First Appellate Authority
(U/RTI Act, 2005)
O/o the District Educational Officer,
Hyderabad District.

Order

Sri. Maddileti Maramungala, Hyderabad has filed 2nd appeal dated: 29-02-2020 which was received by this Commission on 03-03-2020 for not getting the information sought by him from the PIO / O/o the District Educational Officer, Hyderabad District and 1st Appellate Authority / O/o the Regional Joint Director, School Education, Abids, 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: 01-12-2019 before the PIO requesting to furnish the information under Sec. 6(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, on the following points mentioned in his application:

I am, M. MADDILETI Advocate HC/TS to submit that I want the following information u/s sect. 6 of RTI Act 2005 for which the required fee of Rs 100/- through D.D drawn in favour of RTI-Hud. schol edu. under the instruction given serial attached please kindly send this intimation.

1. Smt. M. Sujathamma, Hindupurmit, Anna Aided High schol, Chadarghat, Hud filed WP NO 31027/2011 before the High Court emld. 2

And more few points.

Stating that the appellant did not receive the information from the PIO, the appellant filed 1st appeal dated: 24-01-2020 before the 1st Appellate Authority requesting him to furnish the information sought by him u/s 19(1) of the RTI Act.

Stating that the appellant did not get the information from the PIO / 1st Appellate Authority even after 30 days of filing his 1st appeal, he preferred this 2nd appeal before this Commission requesting to take action against the PIO and 1st Appellate Authority for not furnishing information sought by him and also to arrange to furnish the information sought by him u/s 19(3) of the RTI Act, 2005.

In view of the above, the 2nd appeal may be taken on file and Notices issued to both the parties for hearing on 30-07-2021 at 11.00 A.M.

In view of the Covid -19 Pandemic, the cases are heard over phone on 30-07-2021 with prior intimation to the concerned parties. The appellant responded and stated that the PIO has not furnished the information. The PIO / Sri. Md. Muqaram, Deputy Educational Officer, Charminar Zone, Hyderabad responded and stated that the information was furnished to the appellant on 27-07-2021 and filed the copies of the information furnished to the appellant before the Commission.

Heard both the parties and perused the material papers available on record and observed that the appellant filed 6(1) application dated: 01-12-2019 seeking the action taken on the orders issued by the Hon'ble High Court of Telangana. The PIO ought to have given a specific reply to the appellant.

The Commission took a serious view and directs to issue **Show Cause Notice** to the present PIO & the then PIO / O/o the Deputy Educational Officer, Charminar Zone, Hyderabad for not furnishing the information to the appellant within the stipulated period of 30 days as per Section 7(1) of the RTI Act 2005. The action on the **Show Cause Notice** will be dealt separately.

The Commission directs the PIO to give a specific reply to the appellant within One (1) week from the date of receipt of this order through Registered post with acknowledgement due and to report compliance to the Commission.

With the above direction, the appeal is closed.

SYED KHALEELULLAH
STATE INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

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