

# Telangana State Information Commission

(Under Right to Information Act, 2005)  
D.No.5-4-399, Samachara Hakku Bhavan (Old ACB Building),  
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**Appeal No: 3676/SIC-SK/2020**

**Date: - 12-08-2021**

Appellant : Sri K. Bal Reddy, Sangareddy District.

Respondents : Public Information Officer  
(U/RTI Act, 2005)  
Panchayat Secretary,  
Gummadidala Gram Panchayat,  
Sanga Reddy District.

Public Information Officer  
(U/RTI Act, 2005)  
The Mandal Parishad Officer,  
Gummadidala Village,  
Sanga Reddy District.

First Appellate Authority  
(U/RTI Act, 2005)  
The Mandal Parishad Development  
Officer, Gummadidala Village,  
Sanga Reddy District.

## **Order**

Sri. K. Bal Reddy, Sangareddy District has filed 2<sup>nd</sup> appeal dated: 17-03-2020 which was received by this Commission on 20-03-2020 for not getting the information sought by him from the PIO / O/o the Integrated Collectorate, Sangareddy Division, Sangareddy District and 1<sup>st</sup> Appellate Authority / O/o the Integrated Collectorate, Sangareddy Division, Sangareddy 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: 27-08-2019 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:

- 1) Please provide me the Information of number of borewells dug from 02-Feb-2019 to 30-Aug-2019 in Gummadidala Village, Gummadidala Mandal, Sangareddy District.
- 2) Please provide information of all borewells depth and provide information on brand name of casing, cables, motorpumps and starters used in each borewell dug between 02-Feb-2019 and 30-Aug-2019.
- 3) Please provide cost of each borewell to get into operation claimed by contractor between 02-Feb-2019 and 30-Aug-2019 in Gummadidala Village, Gummadidala Mandal, Sangareddy District.
- 4) Please provide the xerox copies of MB records maintained between 02-Feb-2019 to 30-Aug-2019.

The PIO / O/o the Integrated Collectorate, Sangareddy Division, Sangareddy District vide Lr. No. B4/1754/2019 dated. 04-09-2019 transferred the application U/s 6(3) of the RTI Act to O/o the Mandal Parishad Development Officer, Gummadidala Village, Sangareddy District with a request to furnish the information to the appellant.

Stating that the appellant did not receive the information from the PIO, the appellant filed 1<sup>st</sup> appeal dated: 01-11-2019 before the 1<sup>st</sup> 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 / 1<sup>st</sup> Appellate Authority even after 30 days of filing his 1<sup>st</sup> appeal, he preferred this 2<sup>nd</sup> appeal before this Commission requesting to take action against the PIO and 1<sup>st</sup> 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 2<sup>nd</sup> appeal may be taken on file and Notices issued to both the parties for hearing on 12-08-2021 at 10.30 A.M.

The case is called on 12-08-2021. The appellant is present and stated that the PIO has filed incomplete information. The PIO / Sri A. Dayakar Rao, Mandal Parishad Officer and Sri A. Chandrashekar, Mandal Praja Parishad Development Office, Gummadidala Village, Sanga Reddy District are present and stated that they have furnished part information to the appellant on 27-05-2020 & complete information was furnished on 24-06-2020, but failed to submit the postal receipt or the acknowledgement of 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: 27-08-2019 before the PIO / O/o the District Collector, Sanga Reddy District and the PIO vide letter No: B4/1754/2019 dated: 04-09-2020 transferred the application to the PIO / O/o the MPDO, Gummadidala Mandal with a request to furnish the information to the appellant, Upon not filing the documentary evidence the Commission cannot accept the submissions of the PIO.

The Commission took a serious view and directs to issue **Show Cause Notice** to the present PIO & the then PIO / Sri A. Dayakar Rao, Mandal Parishad Officer and the PIO / Sri Devender Goud, Panchayat Secretary, Gummadidala Gram Panchayat, Sanga Reddy District and for not furnishing the information to the appellant. The action on the **Show Cause Notice** will be dealt separately.

The Commission directs the PIO to furnish the available and complete information to the appellant once again within One (1) Week from the date of receipt of this order duly attesting the copies 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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**Section Officer**  
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