

In view of the above, the 2nd appeal may be taken on file and Notices issued to both the parties for hearing on 01-07-2021 at 11.00 A.M.

In view of the Covid -19 Pandemic, the cases are heard over phone on 01-07-2021 with prior intimation to the concerned parties. The appellant responded and stated that the PIO has not furnished the information. The PIO / Sri. Kishan, Administrative Office, O/o the Revenue Divisional Officer, Mancherial District responded and stated that the information was furnished to the appellant vide letter Rc. No: I/4996/2019 dated: 29-06-2021 and filed a copy of the letter before the Commission.

Heard both the parties and perused the material papers available on record and observed that the appellant through his 6(1) application dated: 29-06-2019 seeking information on 3 points. Upon not getting any information from the PIO the appellant filed 1st appeal dated: 14-10-2019 and the District Revenue Officer, Mancherial District vide letter No: A2/RTI/1871/2019 dated: 31-10-2019 directed the PIO and the appellant to appear for hearing on 09-11-2019 and again vide letter No: A2/RTI/2003/2019 dated: 25-11-2019 directed to appear on 07-12-2019 for hearing. The Commission is of the view that inspite of directions given by the District Revenue Officer, Mancherial District, the PIO failed to furnish the information 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 Revenue Divisional Officer, Mancherial District 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.

With the above direction, the appeal is closed.

SYED KHALEELULLAH
STATE INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

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