

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: 6900/SIC-SK/2022

Date: - 26-09-2022

Appellant : Sri S. Lakhan Babu,
Karimnagar District.

Respondents : Public Information Officer
(U/RTI Act, 2005)
O/o the Director of Public Libraries,
Afzal Gunj, Hyderabad.

First Appellate Authority
(U/RTI Act, 2005)
O/o the Director of Public Libraries,
Afzal Gunj, Hyderabad.

Order

Sri S. Lakhan Babu, Karimnagar District has filed 2nd appeal dated: 18-05-2022 which was received by this Commission on 23-05-2022 for not getting the information sought by him from the PIO / O/o the Director of Public Libraries, Afzal Gunj, Hyderabad and 1st Appellate Authority / O/o the Director of Public Libraries, Afzal Gunj, 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: 29-01-2022 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. రాష్ట్ర పౌర గ్రంథాలయాల తరుపున ప్రభుత్వ ఆమోదితంతో తెలంగాణ లో మొత్తం ఏన్ని జిల్లా గ్రంథాలయ సంస్థలు, దాని అనుబంధ శాఖ గ్రంథాలయాలు నడుస్తున్నాయి, వాటి సమగ్ర వివరాల ధృవీకరణ కాపీ ప్రతి.
2. రాష్ట్ర పౌర గ్రంథాలయాల తరుపున వివిధ గ్రంథాలయాల సంస్థల, వాటి అనుబంధ శాఖల నిర్వహణకై 2018 నుండి 2021 వరకు ఇచ్చిన నిధుల వివరాలు, దీని యందు ఖర్చు చేసిన వివరాలకు (అంకాల వారిగా) సంబంధించిన సమగ్ర వివరాల ధృవీకరణ కాపీ ప్రతి.
3. తెలంగాణ రాష్ట్ర పౌర గ్రంథాలయాల హెడ్ ఆఫీస్ నందు, రిజినల్ గ్రంథాలయాలలో, మరియు వివిధ జిల్లాల వ్యాప్తంగా ఉన్న గ్రంథాలయాల సంస్థలు మరియు దాని అనుబంధ శాఖ గ్రంథాలయాలలో పనిచేస్తున్న మొత్తం సిబ్బంది యొక్క వివరాలు (ఎంప్లాయ్మెంట్ రిజిస్ట్రార్, పేరు, పుట్టిన తేదీ, హోదా, అర్హతలు, టైప్ (రెగ్యులర్/కాంట్రాక్ట్/బెట్ and more few points.

Stating that the appellant did not receive the information from the PIO, the appellant filed 1st appeal dated: 17-03-2022 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 was taken on file and Notices issued to both the parties for hearing on 26-09-2022 at 10.30 A.M.

The case is called on 26-09-2022. The appellant is absent. The PIO / Smt. C. Aparna, Assistant Director, O/o the Director of Public Libraries, Afzalgunj, Hyderabad is present and filed her affidavit stating that reply was given to the appellant vide letter Rc. No: 03/RTI/2022 dated: 11-03-2022 for point No: 1, 2, 3 & 6 and for point No: 4 & 5 the application was transferred to all the District Libraries with a request to furnish the information to the appellant. The PIO filed copies of the same before the Commission.

Heard the PIO and perused the material papers available on record. The Commission refers to the memo issued by the Government of India vide memorandum No: 10/2/2008-IR dated: 12-06-2008 by the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pension Department of Personnel & Training, New Delhi. (Refer to page No: 77, 78 & 79 of the RTI Act 2005 for reference).

The Commission directs the PIO to follow the procedure and strictly adhere to the provisions of the RTI Act 2005.

Since the PIO furnished the available information, the appeal is closed.

SYED KHALEELULLAH
STATE INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

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