

**CENTRAL INFORMATION COMMISSION**  
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**Appeal No. CIC/BS/A/2016/000253**  
**CIC/BS/A/2016/000254**  
**CIC/BS/A/2016/000263**  
**CIC/BS/A/2016/000262**  
**CIC/BS/A/2016/000261**  
**CIC/BS/A/2016/000260**

**Appellant:** Pramod Kumar  
Village and Post Gauspur Izra, Thana Hajipur  
Sadar, Distt. Vaishali, Bihar,

**Respondent:** Central Public Information Officer  
Supdt., Deptt. Of Posts O/o the Supdt. Of Post  
Offices, Vaishali Divn., Hajipur-844102, Bihar.

**Date of Hearing:** 29.03.2017  
**Dated of Decision:** 29.03.2017

**ORDER**

**Facts:**

1. The appellant filed RTI applications dated 26.06.2015, 21.07.2015, 18.07.2015, 25.06.2015 seeking information regarding appointment order and educational and domicile certificates of Rural Branch Post Master Post Offices at Malpur, Chechar, Navanagar, Mahuva Vaisali, Taiyyabur, Chand Sahai Shadullah Chak etc.
2. The CPIO responded on 24.08.2015. The appellant filed first appeal dated 03.09.2015. The FAA responded on 08.10.2015. The appellant filed second appeal on 19.11.2015 before the Commission on the ground that information should be provided to him.

**Hearing:**

3. The appellant and the respondent participated in the hearing.

4. The appellant stated that the sought for information in all of his 6 appeals is similar in nature and these cases can be heard together.
5. The appellant stated that he has not been given complete information. The appellant stated that Mahuva post office did not provide information stating that the sought for information pertains to third party. The appellant stated that the Roll Number and Roll Code have not been given. The appellant stated that he is also seeking the name of school and copy of the educational certificates of these post masters.
6. The respondent stated that the merit list of the candidates has been provided to the appellant. The respondent stated that with regard to Mahuva post office, a third party was concerned. The respondent stated that the third party had refused to provide his information. The respondent stated that there is no larger public interest that would be served in disclosure of the third party information.
7. The respondent stated that they will provide the Roll Number and Roll Code of the candidates to the appellant.

**Discussion/ observation:**

8. The Hon'ble Supreme Court in Civil Appeal No. 6362 of 2013 Union Public Service Commission versus Gourhari Kamila decision 06-08-2013 has observed that the education and experience certificates are personal information.
9. Hence, education qualification and name of school etc. cannot be provided to the appellant, being personal information. No larger public interest has been claimed by the appellant.

**Decision:**

10. The respondent is directed to provide information to the appellant as stated in para 7 above within 30 days of this order.

The appeals are disposed of. Copy of the order be given to the parties free of cost.

**(Radha Krishna Mathur)**  
**Chief Information Commissioner**

Authenticated true copy  
(S.C. Sharma)  
Dy. Registrar