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Appeal No.CIC/VS/A/2015/000574

Appellant: Shri Chaman Khanna Balmiki
96/01 Chunniganj
Kanpur Nagar-208001

Respondent: CPIO:
Sr. DPO,
DRM's Office, RTI Cell
Allahabad (U.P.)

Date of Hearing: 14-12-2016
Date of Decision: 14-12-2016

ORDER

Facts:

1. The appellant filed an RTI application dated 14-8-2014 seeking information as to why Ms. Rani, wife of late Shri Ganga Prasad who had retired as Fitter from the Railways, is getting very low family pension of Rs. 5000/-. The appellant further wants to know whether pension fixation has been done and if not, when it will be done, for fixation of pension whether she has to apply afresh and if so, what is the procedure etc.

2. The appellant filed first appeal before the first appellate authority (FAA) on 23-9-2014. The response of PIO and FAA is not on record. The appellant filed a second appeal with the State Information Commission, Lucknow which was transferred to this Commission on 10.3.2015.

Hearing:

3. Both the parties participated in the hearing through video conferencing.
4. The appellant referred to his RTI application dated 14.8.2014 and stated that no information has been provided to him.

5. The respondent stated that point-wise reply was sent to the appellant on 17.11.2014.

6. The appellant stated that he has not received respondent's letter dated 17.11.2014.

Discussion/Observations:

7. The respondent should resend copy of their letter dated 17.11.2014 to the appellant alongwith copy of pension payment order and copy of death certificate etc. of late Shri Ganga Prasad in the context of the RTI request within 7 days of this order.

Decision:

8. The respondent is directed to take action as per para 7 above.

Appeal is disposed of. Copy of this order be given free of cost to the parties.

(Radha Krishna Mathur)
Chief Information Commissioner

Authenticated true copy:

(Subhash Chander Sharma)
Deputy Registrar