

**CENTRAL INFORMATION COMMISSION**  
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**Appeal No. CIC/VS/A/2015/000575**

Appellant: Prabhu Shankar  
H.No. 1273/25, Rambagh, Ajmer 305001 Rajasthan

Respondent: Central Public Information Officer  
CPO/Admn.  
North Western Rly, HQ, Jaipur, Rajasthan.

Date of Hearing: 08.12.2016  
Dated of Decision: 08.12.2016

**ORDER**

**Facts:**

1. The appellant filed RTI application dated 18.09.2014 seeking information regarding selection process and list of selected candidates under VRS scheme for which exam was held on 08.12.2013 etc.
2. The CPIO responded on 14.11.2014. The appellant filed first appeal on 25.11.2014 with the First Appellate Authority (FAA). The FAA responded on 19.12.2014. The appellant filed appeal on 12.03.2015 before the Commission with the plea that the sought for information has not been provided to him.

**Hearing:**

3. The appellant and the respondent both participated in the hearing.
4. The appellant stated that he has received information but under VRS quota, he has not been given appointment letter. The appellant stated that the Railway has issued notification dated 28.05.2012 for recruitment of post in group 'D'. The appellant stated that as per notification, son of employees who had taken VRS need not qualify for physical test. The appellant stated he had qualified in written examination but later on railway said that he has to qualify in physical test also.

5. The respondent stated that the VRS scheme for safety category employees is different from the recruitment notified in the said notification. The respondent stated that the appellant had failed in the physical test.

**Discussion/ observation:**

6. The action/steps taken by the respondent in dealing with the RTI application is satisfactory. It is observed that the grievance of appellant has to be addressed through redressal mechanism of the railway and not under the RTI Act.

**Decision:**

7. No further intervention of the Commission is required in the matter.

The appeal is 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