

CENTRAL INFORMATION COMMISSION
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Complaint No. CIC/SA/C/2016/000008

Complainant: Siddharth Murarka
2/4, 1st Cross, Old Hanuman Lane,
3rd Floor, Kalbadevi, Mumbai-400002

Respondent: Central Public Information Officer
Secy, Bar Council of India, 21,
Rouse Avenue, Institutional Area,
New Delhi-110002.

2. CPIO
Bar Council of Maharashtra & Goa,
High Court Extension Buildings, Fort,
Mumbai-400032

Date of Hearing: 07.07.2016
Dated of Decision: 07.07.2016

ORDER

Facts:

1. The RTI application is not on record.
2. The complainant filed complaint on 05.01.2016 with the Commission that the Bar Council of India, as well as Bar Council of Maharashtra and Goa have diluted and not complied with the certain provisions including section 4(1)(b) of the RTI Act etc.

Hearing:

3. The respondent participated in the hearing personally. The complainant did not participate in the hearing.
4. The respondent stated that in fact the complainant had not filed a RTI application but addressed representation to various authorities including the Bar Council of India as well as the Central Information Commission regarding compliance of section 4(1)(b) of the RTI Act. The respondent stated

that as the complainant did not file a RTI application, hence the complaint has been incorrectly registered by the Commission.

Discussion/observations:

5. The Commission observed that the complainant addressed his representation regarding compliance of section 4 (1)(b) of the RTI application to many authorities including this Commission. The Complainant did not file a RTI application before the respondent and has not made out a case for filing of complaint before the Commission.

Decision:

6. The case is dropped. No intervention is required in the matter at the level of this Commission.

The complaint is disposed of. Copy of the decision be given free of cost to the parties.

(Radha Krishna Mathur)
Chief Information Commissioner

Authenticated true copy

(S.C. Sharma)
Dy. Registrar