

CENTRAL INFORMATION COMMISSION

2nd Floor, August Kranti Bhawan,
Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi-110066

Decision No. CIC/YA/A/2014/001619/SB

Dated 19.09.2016

Appellant : Shri Rajesh Bhardwaj,
17-D, MIG, Sheikh Sarai,
New Delhi-110 017.

Respondent : Central Public Information Officer,
Central Information Commission,
2nd Floor, B-Wing, August Kranti Bhawan,
Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi-110 066.

Date of Hearing : 19.09.2016

Relevant dates emerging from the appeal:

RTI application filed on : 18.02.2014

CPIO's reply : 02.04.2014

First appeal filed on : 28.03.2014

Second Appeal filed on : 02.06.2014

ORDER

1. Shri Rajesh Bhardwaj filed an application dated 18.02.2014 under the Right to Information Act, 2005 (RTI Act) before the Central Public Information Officer (CPIO), Central Information Commission (CIC) seeking information on eleven points including (i) status of his appeals and (ii) Commissioners, etc.

2. The appellant filed a second appeal dated 02.06.2014 before the Commission on the grounds that the CPIO has failed to provide the desired

information within the time prescribed under the RTI Act. He further submitted that penalty be imposed on the person responsible and compensation be awarded in his favour.

Hearing:

3. The appellant Shri Rajesh Bhardwaj was not present despite notice. The respondents S/Shri U.C. Joshi, DS & CPIO(CR), Sushil Kumar, DS, K.K. Pukhral, SO(L) and A.K. Sharma, CPIO, CIC were present in person.

4. The respondent submitted that information has been provided to the appellant on point nos. 1, 2(a), 2(b), 2(c) and 2(d) of the RTI application vide letter dated 02.04.2014, on point nos.3, 4,5, and 7 vide letter dated 07.07.2014 and on point nos. 10 and 11 vide letter dated 02.07.2014. The respondent further submitted that since the information sought on point nos. 6(a) to (c) was concerned with JS(MR), CIC, the RTI application was transferred to him on 07.07.2014 for providing the information directly to the appellant and the requisite information was provided by the JS(MR) to the appellant on 27.08.2014

Decision:

5. The Commission, after hearing the submissions of the respondent and perusing the records, observes that due information has been provided to the appellant. Hence, no further action is required in the matter.

6. With the above observations, the appeal is disposed of.
7. Copy of decision be given free of cost to the parties.

(Sudhir Bhargava)
Information Commissioner

Authenticated true copy

(V.K. Sharma)
Designated Officer