

CENTRAL INFORMATION COMMISSION

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

Decision No. CIC/YA/A/2014/001840

Dated 17.07.2017

Appellant : Gopal Kansara
S/o Shri Udai Lal Ji, Deogarh
Madaria, District- Rajsamand, Rajasthan-
313331

Respondent : The Central Public Information Officer
(CPIO), Central Information Commission, II
Floor, Wing 'B', August Kranti Bhawan,
Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi- 110066

Date of Hearing : 17.07.2017

Relevant dates emerging from the Appeal:

RTI application : 26.03.2014
CPIO's reply : 29.04.2014
First Appeal : 08.05.2014
Second Appeal : 15.05.2014

ORDER

1. The appellant filed an application under the Right to Information Act, 2005 (RTI Act) before the Central Public Information Officer (CPIO), Central Information Commission, seeking information on five points, including, inter alia (i) a copy of the list of officers working in the Commission along with the details of their parent cadre and their joining in the Commission, and (ii) a copy of the list of the retired Government Servants who have been engaged as Consultants in the Commission.

2. The appellant filed a second appeal before the Commission on the grounds that he was not satisfied with the information furnished by the CPIO as incomplete information had been furnished by the CPIO. The appellant is also aggrieved with the non-disposal of his first appeal by the First Appellate Authority (FAA). The appellant requested the Commission to direct the CPIO to provide complete information.

Hearing:

3. The appellant, Shri Gopal Kansara, was not present despite notice. The respondents, Shri A. K. Sharma, CPIO, RTI Cell, CIC and Ms. Savita Taluja, Section Officer (Administration) were present in person.

4. The respondent submitted that vide the CPIO's reply dated 29.04.2014 point wise and complete information was furnished to the appellant.

Decision:

5. The Commission, after hearing the submissions of the respondent and perusing the records, observes that incomplete information, in response to the RTI application, was furnished to the appellant by the respondent. The Commission, therefore, directs the CPIO, CIC to provide a copy of the direction (s), if any, issued by the Department of Personnel and Training (DoPT) or the applicable Act (s), in the matter of the appointment of the outsourced staff in the Commission, in terms of point no. 5 of the RTI application, to the appellant, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this Order.

6. With the above observations, the appeal is disposed of.

7. Copy of the decision be provided free of cost to the parties.

(Sudhir Bhargava)
Information Commissioner

Authenticated true copy

(S.S. Rohilla)
Designated Officer