

CENTRAL INFORMATION COMMISSION

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Prof. M. Sridhar Acharyulu (Madabhushi Sridhar)

Central Information Commissioner

CIC/CC/A/2015/001855-SA

Sita Ram Tiwari v. PIO, KVS

Important Dates and time taken:

RTI: 21.10.2014	Reply: 13.11.2014	FAO: 11.12.2014
SA: 02.03.2015	Hearing: 20.09.2016	Decided on: 20.09.2016
Result: Closed.		

Parties Present:

1. Appellant: VC could not be connected.

Public authority: Mr. Rakesh Sharma and Mr. RK Pathak.

FACTS:

2. The appellant filed RTI Application seeking information pertaining recruitment rules, quota details, promotion for eligibility for the post of Principal in Kendriya Vidhyalaya Sangathan etc. CPIO gave information on 27.11.2014 which was upheld by FAA. Appellant filed second appeal before this Commission.

Decision :

3. The appellant retired long ago. Only after 2005, he started feeling that he should have been promoted as principal in 1998. The files show that he never made any representation before any authority for promotion. The CPIO stated that duly constituted DPC found him not fit to be promoted, he was furnished the minutes of DPC, he had approached up to Supreme Court, which also disposed of his case in 2007. The CPIO represented to the Commission that their department has to build up a huge file to respond to multiple RTI requests and representations of the appellant. The Commission has also finally decided this

case long ago in 2011. The RTI Act appears to have raised hopes among the retired employees to pursue their wishes and dreams. The Commission advises him not to repeatedly misuse RTI Act. If not, the public authority and the Commission will be compelled to reject his further RTI requests as redundant, repeated and frivolous as per the principle of *res judicata* which means a dispute which is finally adjudicated upon in every forum cannot be re-agitated. Hence, closed.

Sd/-

(M. Sridhar Acharyulu)
Central Information Commissioner

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(Dinesh Kumar)
Deputy Registrar

Copy of decision given to the parties free of cost.

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