

**CENTRAL INFORMATION COMMISSION**

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**File No : CIC/VS/A/2015/001869-AB**

**In the matter of:**

Shanker Lal Nigam  
H. No. D-62, Hanuman Nagar, Linepar,  
Moradabad, U.P. 244001

...Appellant

VS

Central Public Information Officer,  
DRM Office Northern Railway, Moradabad

...Respondent

	<b>Dates</b>
RTI application	: 05.02.2015
CPIO reply	: Not on record
First Appeal	: 24.03.2015
FAA Order	: Not on record
Second Appeal	: 23.06.2015
<b>Date of hearing</b>	<b>: 22.02.2017</b>

**Information sought:**

The appellant wanted to know the reason for non payment of family pension to Miss Rosenil Cooper, unmarried daughter of Late G.D. Cooper and other related information.

**Grounds for Second Appeal**

The CPIO did not provide the desired information.

**Order**

**.Appellant** : **Present**  
**Respondent** : **APIO, Ms. Rajni, APO**

During the hearing the appellant submitted that he received the requisite reply on 12.12.16 but he was not satisfied with the reply. The respondent APIO submitted that they had provided the requisite reply. Since the same was not available in the case record, the respondent APIO was asked to read the same over the VC facility. She was intimated to send a copy of the same to the Commission through e-mail for perusal & record.

On perusal of the case record, it was seen that reply provided was not proper as it was interim in nature. The information which was not with the concerned department should have been transferred u/s 6(3) of the RTI Act within 5 days from the receipt of the RTI application to the particular dept holding the said information but it was not done by the respondent.

The respondent APIO is directed to provide point wise reply complete in all respects to the appellant along with certified copies of documents as available on record free of charge u/s 7(6) of the RTI Act within 21 days of the receipt of the order subject to the consent received from Miss Rosenil Cooper u/s 11 of the RTI Act. For this purpose, CPIO/PIO, HQ, may take assistance of any other office/department u/s 5(4) of the RTI Act.

A compliance report with proof of despatch of the said reply to the appellant shall be submitted within 07 days thereafter to the Commission for record.

***With the above direction, the appeal is disposed of.***

**[Amitava Bhattacharyya]**  
**Information Commissioner**

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(A.K. Talapatra)  
Deputy Registrar