

**CENTRAL INFORMATION COMMISSION**

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**Appeal No.CIC/BS/A/2015/002149**

**Appellant:** Subrata Datta, S/o Prangopal Datta,  
C/o S C Das, A.D. Nagar, Road No. 14,  
Near Charipara Bus Stop, P.O.-S.D. Mission,  
Agartala, Distt- West Tripura-799003.

**Respondent** Central Public Information Officer  
Supdt, Deptt. Of Posts, O/o Director  
Postal Services, Agartala.

**Date of Hearing** 03.03.2017

**Date of Decision:** 03.03.2017

**ORDER**

**Facts:**

1. The appellant filed RTI application dated 01.06.2015 seeking information regarding the amount of commission paid both against Small Savings accounts and fixed/term deposit accounts to Smt. Indira Deb (Datta) D/o Late Sushil Kr. Deb and wife of appellant Mr. Subrata Datta, Small Savings Agent, holding License No. 225/AGRT/1991 for the years 2012-13, 2013-14 and 2014-15.

2. The CPIO responded on 05.06.2015 stating that information sought is personal in nature involving fiduciary relationship, disclosure of which is barred u/S. 8(j) & (e) of the RTI Act, 2005. The appellant filed first appeal dated 03.07.2015 before the first appellate authority (FAA). The FAA responded on 30.07.2015. The appellant filed second appeal to the Commission on 18.09.2015 on the ground that information should be provided to him.

**Hearing:**

3. The respondent participated in the hearing through video conferencing. The appellant did not participate in the hearing.

4. The respondent stated that the sought for information about the amount of commission paid to the appellant's wife Indira Deb (Datta), comes under the category of personal information. Its disclosure will also not serve any larger public interest. The respondent stated that the sought for information is exempted under section 8(1)(j) of the RTI act.

**Discussion/ observation:**

5. The sought for information is personal information. The steps/action taken by the respondent in dealing with the RTI application is satisfactory.

**Decision:**

6. No action is required in the matter at the level of this Commission.

The appeal is disposed of. Copy of the order be given to the parties free of cost.

**(Radha Krishna Mathur)**  
**Chief Information Commissioner**

Authenticated true copy  
(S.C. Sharma)  
Dy. Registrar