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**Appeal No.CIC/BS/A/2015/002190**

Appellant: Pratap Narayan Verma  
Sitapur Pradhan Dakghar, Sitapur-261001, UP

Respondent: Central Public Information Officer  
Deptt. of Posts, O/o the Supdt. of Post Office,  
Khiri Divin. Khiri-262701, UP

Date of Hearing: 01.03.2017  
Date of Decision: 01.03.2017

**ORDER**

**Facts:**

1. The appellant filed RTI application dated 29.06.2015 seeking information on 4 points regarding reasons for not displaying on notice board of Superintendent Office, the list of selected candidates for the job of Branch Dakpal and other related issues.

2. The CPIO responded on 27.07.2015. The appellant filed first appeal dated 28.07.2015 before the first appellate authority (FAA). The FAA responded on 04.09.2015. The appellant filed second appeal to the Commission on 20.10.2015 on the ground that information should be provided to him.

**Hearing:**

3. The appellant did not participate in the hearing. The respondent participated in the hearing through counsel in person.

4. The respondent stated that they did not display the list of selected candidates as per the directions of their regional office.

5. The respondent further stated that in tune with the directions of the regional office they have intimated about the selection only to the selected candidates.

6. The respondent also stated that they had invited applications by way of notification for the aforesaid recruitment.

**Discussion/ observation:**

7. The selection process should be transparent and cannot be done clandestinely, thereby keeping the general public in dark.

8. The information pertaining to the said recruitment shall be published on the website/notice board in the larger public interest. The respondent shall disclose the criteria for selection, marks obtained by the candidates in the order of merit and publish the results including the list of the selected candidates on the website/notice board within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order and send a compliance report to the Commission. The appellant shall also be informed of these details.

**Decision:**

9. The respondent is directed to take action as per para 8 above. The matter may be put up for compliance after 15 days.

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**