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Appeal No. CIC/BS/A/2015/002284

Appellant: Mr. A K Misra
Postal Training Centre
Saharanpur-247002, U.P.

Respondent: Central Public Information Officer
Sr. Supdt Deptt. Of Post, O/o Sr. Supdt.
of Post Offices, RMS 'A' Divn.
Allahabad-211001, U.P.

Date of Hearing: 17.03.2017

Dated of Decision: 17.03.2017

ORDER

Facts:

1. The appellant filed undated RTI application seeking information on 8 points regarding action taken on emails pertaining to reconciliation of difference of Rs. 3,000/- reflected in form 26AS; follow up on PTC Saharanpur vide letter no. Acctts-4/ch-111/1.Tax/14 dated 08.11.2014; amount of recovery of income tax for the period March, 2013 to September, 2013 made by HRO etc.

2. The CPIO responded on 31.03.2015. The appellant filed first appeal undated. The FAA responded on 26.05.2015. The appellant filed second appeal on 24.11.2015 before the Commission on the ground that information should be provided to him.

Hearing:

3. Both the parties participated in the hearing through video conferencing.

4. The appellant stated that he could not file the tax return on time due to non-deposit of the differential amount of TDS of Rs. 3,000/- by the respondent with the Income Tax authorities.

5. The appellant further stated that he has never been a tax defaulter and because of respondent this stigma is now attached with him.

6. The appellant also stated that there is a lacuna in online feeding of the deducted amount as out of total four months, only three months of deduction is shown in the record.

7. The respondent stated that the deduction of Rs. 3,000/- has been shown in LPC sent to DA(P) Lucknow.

8. The respondent further stated that there is no mistake on the part of the Saharanpur office.

Discussion/ observation:

9. No proper follow up action has been taken by the respondent. The respondent should reply to the e-mails of the appellant.

10. Complete details of deduction have not been given by the respondent. The respondent should reply to the appellant after reconciling the differential amount between Director, Postal Accounts, Lucknow and the respondent. After reconciliation, the correct information shall be provided to the appellant free of cost within 30 days.

Decision:

11. The respondent is directed to take action as per paras 9 and 10 above within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order. CPIO, CPMG office, Lucknow is directed to coordinate and as nodal CPIO for all these offices, furnish information.

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

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