

CENTRAL INFORMATION COMMISSION

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Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi-110066

Decision No. CIC/SB/A/2015/000077

Dated 06.10.2016

Appellant : Shri Gheesu Lal,
14, Dr. B.D. Marg,
New Delhi-110001.

Respondent : Central Public Information Officer,
Department of Personnel & Training,
North Block,
New Delhi-110001.

Date of Hearing : 06.10.2016

Relevant dates emerging from the appeal:

RTI application filed on : 23.03.2015

CPIO's reply : 22.04.2015

First appeal filed on : 06.05.2015

FAA's order : 22.05.2015

Second Appeal filed on : 30.06.2015

ORDER

1. Shri Gheesu Lal filed an application dated 23.03.2015 under the Right to Information Act, 2005 (RTI Act) before the CPIO, Department of Personnel & Training seeking information on nine points regarding reservation for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes, including (i) details of information being provided by DOPT to Recognized Associations about latest issues/matters on reservation policy from 2001, (ii) if so, give details, if not reasons for it and (iii) names and addresses of Associations/Branches recognized after 2000.

2. Shri Gheesu Lal filed a second appeal on 30.06.2015 on the grounds that para-wise complete information/details have not been provided by the CPIO stating that all O.Ms and Orders of DOPT are available on its Website and that the First Appellate Authority (FAA) disposed of his appeal without any hearing. The appellant requested the Commission to hear this case and call the PIO during the course of hearing so that all information/details are obtained. The appellant also requested the Commission to allow him to appear in the hearing along with Shri Phool Chand in support of his case.

Hearing:

3. Both the appellant Shri Gheesu Lal and the respondent Shri K. Salil Kumar, Under Secretary and CPIO, DOPT were present in person.

4. The appellant submitted that he is satisfied with the information provided to him and hence, he is no longer interested in pursuing the matter.

Decision:

5. The Commission observes that the information sought for by the appellant has been provided to him. Hence, no further action is required in the matter.

6. With the above observations, the appeal is disposed of.

7. Copy of the decision be provided free of cost to the parties.

(Sudhir Bhargava)
Information Commissioner

Authenticated true copy

(V.K. Sharma)
Designated Officer