

**Central Information Commission, New Delhi**  
**File No. CIC/SH/A/2016/000096**  
**Right to Information Act-2005-Under Section (19)**

**Date of hearing** : 20th January 2017

**Date of decision** : 20th January 2017

**Name of the Appellant** : **SHRI VIJAY KUMAR SHARMA**  
**C/O. SHRI K. K. JHA,**  
**H -462, SATYAM VIHAR, KESHAV PURAM,**  
**KANPUR, UP-208 017**

**Name of the Public Authority/Respondent** : **CENTRAL PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER,**  
**INDIAN OIL CORPORATION LIMITED**  
**U.P. STATE OFFICE-1, INDIAN**  
**OIL BHAVAN, TC 39-V, VIBHUTI**  
**KHAND, GOMTI NAGAR, LUCKNOW,**  
**UP- 226 010**

**RTI Application filed on** : 02/12/2013

**CPIO replied on** : 11/05/2015

**First Appeal filed on** : 30/06/2015

**First Appellate Authority order on** : 21/09/2015

**2<sup>nd</sup> Appeal received on** : 29/12/2015

The Appellant was present at the NIC Studio, Kanpur.

On behalf of the Respondents, Shri Anup Kumar Agarwal, Chief Manager was present at the NIC Studio, Lucknow.

**Information Commissioner** : **Shri Sharat Sabharwal**

**Information sought**

This matter concerns an RTI application filed by the Appellant, seeking information on twelve points on various issues relating to LPG connections. The appeal is in the context of compliance with the Commission's order No. CIC/SH/A/2014/000552 and CIC/SH/A/2014/001204 dated 8.4.2015.

## **The CPIO reply**

In compliance of the CIC order No. CIC/SH/A/2014/000552 and CIC/SH/A/2014/001204 dated 8.4.2015, the CPIO provided a detailed reply to all the points.

## **Grounds of the First Appeal**

Not satisfied with the CPIO's reply on point Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 7 and 12.

## **Order of the First Appellate Authority**

The FAA upheld the CPIO's reply.

## **Grounds of the Second Appeal**

Information was not provided as per the direction given by the Commission vide order Nos. CIC/SH/A/2014/000552 and CIC/SH/A/2014/001204 dated 8.4.2015.

## **Relevant facts emerging during the Hearing, Discussion and Decision**

The Appellant stated that the Commission had passed an order No. CIC/SH/A/2014/000552 and CIC/SH/A/2014/001204 dated 8.4.2015, in which the CPIO was, inter alia, directed to respond to his RTI application dated 2.12.2013. The CPIO did so vide his letter dated 11.5.2015 and his reply was upheld by the FAA. However, the Appellant is not satisfied with the reply of the CPIO and has filed this appeal to the Commission. On being asked to specify the reasons because of which he was not satisfied with the reply dated 11.5.2015 of the CPIO, the Appellant stated that he had given these reasons in his letter dated 15.2.2016.

2. We have examined the records concerning the issuance of the above mentioned order dated 8.4.2015 and note that the aspect of compliance with the above order was examined on Files No. CIC/SH/A/2014/000552 and 1204. Therefore, the Appellant has pursued the matter of compliance with the Commission's order dated 8.4.2015 on two parallel tracks, one through his letter dated 15.2.2016 and another through his appeal registered on File No. 96. Perusal of the relevant records further reveals that the matter was considered in the light of the Appellant's letter dated 15.2.2016 and he was informed vide the Commission's letter No. CIC/SH/A/2014/000552 and 1204 dated 26.7.2016 that the matter was examined in the Commission and it was observed that the order of the Commission stood complied with. Therefore, no further action was warranted in the matter and it was being treated as closed.

3. In view of the foregoing, the appeal concerning the same issue, registered on File No. 96, has become devoid of any substance and is, therefore, dismissed.

4. Copies of this order be given free of cost to the parties.

Sd/-  
**(Sharat Sabharwal)**  
**Information Commissioner**

Authenticated true copy. Additional copies of orders shall be supplied against application and payment of the charges prescribed under the Act to the CPIO of this Commission.

**(Vijay Bhalla)**  
**Deputy Registrar**