

# GOA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

'Kamat Towers', Seventh Floor, Patto, Panaji – Goa

CORAM: Shri Juino De Souza State Information Commissioner.

Complaint No. 83/SIC/2011 | 1622

Mr. Uday A. C. Priolkar,  
R/o.H. No. C5/55,  
Mala, Panaji – Goa.

..... Complainant

v/s

The State Public Information Officer,  
Superintendent of Police, North,  
Porvorim – Goa.

..... Respondent

## Relevant emerging dates:

Date of Hearing : 04-05-2016

Date of Decision : 04-05-2016

## O R D E R

The Complainant Mr. Uday Priolkar who is present in person submits that the information has been furnished but the same was received after the expiry of mandatory period of 30 days and states that penalty proceedings should be initiated against the Respondent PIO for the delay caused. Subsequently the Complainant withdraws his Complaint unconditionally while expressing his sentiment that such delays must not occur in the future and that the commission issue a stern warning.

The Respondent PIO Mr. Krishna Sinari, Police Inspector who is present submits that as per their records the information was furnished to the Complainant timely and as such the question of any stern warning does not arise. The Respondent however submits that he would verify if there was any delay caused by the concerned dispatch section.

The Commission is of the view that RTI applications should be given top priority by the Public Authority and should be dealt with by the respective PIO's in a time bound manner and delays without justifiable reason cannot be tolerated.

The Commission appreciates the good gesture on part of the complainant to withdraw his complaint which is of the year 2011 unconditionally. The Complaint accordingly stands 'Dismissed as withdrawn'. The Complaint case is closed.

Pronounced in open court before the parties who are present at the conclusion of the hearing. Notify the parties concerned. Authenticated copies of Order be given to the parties free of cost.



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(Juino De Souza)  
State Information Commissioner