GOA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION AT PANAJI Seventh Floor, Kamat Towers, Patto, Panaji, Goa.

Smt. Pratima K. Vernekar, State Information Commissioner

Complain No. 12/SIC/2015

Pratap A. Mardolkar,	
R/o. H.No. 84, Near Bogmalo Junction	l ,
Post Dabolim Air Port,	
Alto Dabolim Goa.	Appellant
V/s.	
1.Public Information Officer/	

O/o. the Village Panchayat Chicalim,

Chicalim Goa, Pin 403 802.

Filed on: 16/03/2015

Decided on: 29/04/2016

ORDER

..... Respondent

Complainant has filed the complaint before the commission praying that the Respondent NO.1 may be directed to provide the information as requested by him vide his application dated 08/12/2014 and to invoke section 20 of the Right to Information Act, 2005.

Brief facts of the case are that the Complainant Shri Pratap A. Mardolkar had filed an application on 8/12/2014 seeking information from PIO, office of the Village Panchayat Chicalim pertaining to the application and documents submitted by one Mr. Anthony Micheal to the Village Panchayat Chicalim for acquiring some permission/licenses.

Since the PIO failed to respond and furnish document within prescribe time period the complainant thereafter preferred first appeal before the First Appellate Authority who by an order date 26/02/2015 allowed the appeal and directed PIO to furnish the information sought within 7 days from the date of passing of the order free of cost.

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As the order of the FAA was not complied by the Respondent and also aggrieved for not receiving the information, the present complaint came to be filed by the complainant before the Commission.

After notifying the parties the matter was taken on the board. During the hearing the present PIO Shri Kiran S. Mesta submitted an application to the Commission dated 02/03/2016 informing the Commission that the required information have been provided to the complainant.

The complainant on 29/04/2016 submitted that the information has been received by him and which is to his satisfaction. He further submitted that he does not press for the penalty proceedings and does not wish to pursue the complainant and desires to withdraw the same. Accordingly endorsement has been made by him on the Complaint.

In view of the endorsement made by the Complainant. I pass the following order.

The complainant is disposed of as withdrawn and hence the proceeding stands closed.

Notify the parties.

Authenticated copies of the Order should be given to the parties free of cost.

Aggrieved party if any may move against this order by way of a Writ Petition as no further Appeal is provided against this order under the Right to Information Act 2005.

Sd/-

(Pratima K. Vernekar)

State Information Commissioner Goa State Information Commission, Panaji-Goa