

GOA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION
'Kamat Towers', Seventh Floor, Patto, Panaji – Goa

Appeal No: 76/2018/SIC-I

Shri Shrikant S. Vengurlekar,
H.No. 92, Deulwada,
Korgaon, Pernem,
Goa – 403 512 Appellant

V/s

- 1) The Public Information Officer,
Directorate of Education,
Porvorim – Goa.
- 2) The First Appellate Authority,
Director of Education,
Porvorim – Goa. Respondents

CORAM:

Smt. Pratima K. Vernekar, State Information Commissioner

Appeal Filed on: 5/04/2018
Decided on: 05/06/2018

ORDER

1. The brief facts leading to the present appeal are that the appellant Shri Shrikant Vengurlekar vide his application dated 26/12/2017 sought for the information on 4 points as stated therein in the application. The said information was sought u/s 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 from the Respondent No. 1 Public Information Officer (PIO) of the Office of Director of Education, Porvorim-Goa
2. According to the appellant he received the reply dated 24/01/2018 wherein he was requested to pay amount of Rs. 76/- towards papers charges of the said information and then to collect the information.
3. According to the appellant on receipt of the said communication from the Respondent no. 1 PIO he paid the amount on 24/01/2018 and in support of his said

contention he placed on record the receipt dated 24/01/2018.

4. According to the appellant vide letter dated 25/01/2018 the Respondent No. 1 PIO purportedly provided information which according to him was wrong documents /information, as such he preferred appeal before the Director of Education on 06/02/2018 being First Appellate Authority (FAA) who is Respondent No. 2 herein.
5. According to the appellant the Respondent NO. 2 First Appellate Authority (FAA) dismissed the said appeal by upholding the say of Public Information Officer (PIO).
6. In this background being aggrieved by the action of both the Respondents, the appellant has approached this Commission on 5/04/2018 with the present second appeal filed in terms of section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005, thereby seeking directions to PIO for furnishing him the information as sought by him vide application dated 26/12/2017 at point no. 1, 3, and 4 of the said application.
7. The matter was taken on board and listed for hearing. Pursuant to which appellant appeared in person. Respondent No. 1 Public Information Officer (PIO) Shri Ishwar Patil was present and First Appellate Authority (FAA) was represented by Shri Dayanand Chawdikar.
8. During the hearing, the Respondent PIO agreed to provide information at point no. 1, 3, and 4 as sought by appellant vide application dated 26/12/2017.
9. Accordingly the PIO filed his reply on 5/06/2018 incorporating/furnishing the said information to the appellant.
10. On verification of the said information appellant submitted that he is satisfied with the information, as the same is furnished as per his requirement and he prayed

for the disposal of the appeal. Accordingly appellant endorsed his say on the memo of appeal.

11. In view of submission and endorsement made by the appellant, I find no reasons to proceed with the present appeal and as such the appeal 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.

Pronounced in the open court.

Sd/-

(Ms. Pratima K. Vernekar)
State Information Commissioner
Goa State Information Commission,
Panaji-Goa

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