

GOA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

Kamat Towers, seventh Floor, Patto, Panaji, Goa

Shri Prashant S. P. Tendolkar,
State Chief Information Commissioner

Appeal No. 142/2018/CIC

Shri. Jawaharlal T. Shetye,
Add:Hno.35/A, Ward No.11
Khorlim, Mapusa Goa
403507.

....Appellant

V/s

- 1) The Public Information Officer
The Mamlatdar of Bardez,
Mapusa, Bardez -Goa.
403507
- 2) First Appellate Authority,
The Deputy Collector & SDO-Bardez,
Mapusa, Bardez-Goa
403507

.....Respondents

Filed on:12/06/2018

Decided on: 05/11/2018

O R D E R

1) This is an appeal filed by appellant contending that neither the PIO furnished the information sought by him within stipulated time nor the First Appellate Authority (FFA) dealt with appeal within the statutory period.

2) The Chronology as pleaded is that appellant had sought information by his application dated 05/03/2018 but the same was not responded nor the required information was furnished. He filed first appeal to the respondentNo.2 herein which is not disposed till date of this appeal.

3) On being notified by this Commission, PIO appeared. PIO filed reply on 21/03/2018, showing the grounds due to which the delay was caused. He had not raised any grounds to refuse the

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information and volunteered to furnish the information inspite of which I find no records to hold that the information is furnished.

4) Perused the records and considered the reply. The information sought by the appellant is not coming under any of the exceptions as contained in section (8) and/or (9) of the Right to Information Act 2005. In the reply also the PIO has not raised any grounds to refuse information. In the circumstances I find no grounds to reject the relief of appellant seeking direction to furnish information.

5) In the above circumstances, I allow the appeal partly and hereby direct the PIO, office of Mamlatdar Bardez, to furnish to the appellant the information sought by him vide his application dated 15/03/2018, within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order, free of cost. Rests of the prayers are rejected.

Proceeding closed.

Pronounced in open hearing.

Sd/-
(Shri. P. S.P. Tendolkar)
Chief Information Commissioner
Goa State Information Commission
Panaji –Goa