

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

CORAM: Shri Juino De Souza: State Information Commissioner

Appeal No.160/SIC/2013

Shri Yuvraj J. Shinde,
H. No.38/B, Ward No. 1,
Nagargao Road,
Near Bridge, Velus Valpoi
Velus Valpoi, Sattari – Goa.

..... Appellant

v/s

1. Public Information Officer,
Village Panchayat Secretary,
Village Panchayat of Sancoale,
Sancoale, Mormugao – Goa.
2. First Appellate Authority,
B.D.O. Mormugao,
Mormugao, Vasco-da-Gama, Goa.

..... Respondents

Relevant emerging dates:

Date of Hearing : 08-03-2018

Date of Decision : 08-03-2018

O R D E R

1. Brief facts of the case are that the Appellant vide an RTI application dated 22/06/2013 sought certain information under Section 6(1) of the RTI Act 2005 from the Respondent PIO, Secretary Village Panchayat, Zuarinagar Sancoale-Goa.
2. The information is on 04 points and pertains to one M/s. Sonia Laundry, situated at Zuari industrial states, Zuarinagar, Sancoale-Goa and the Appellant has asked a copy of the application submitted by the owner Shri. S. Sakhalkar along with relevant documents and to furnish Registration number and entry date of register of application since when existing and whether licenses or tax renewed in the year 2000 to 2004 and paid timely and if yes, copy of application and receipt of payment.
3. It is seen that as the PIO fail to furnished any information nor reply as under 7(1), and therefore the Appellant filed a first Appeal on 14/08/2013 and the First Appellate Authority (FAA) vide an Order dated 30/09/2013 allowed the appeal... ..2

.. and directed the PIO to furnish the information free of cost within one week from the receipt of the Order.

4. Being aggrieved that despite the Order of the FAA, no information has been furnished, the Appellant filed a Second Appeal registered on 18/11/2013 and has prayed that correct information has been furnished and for penalty, disciplinary action and other such reliefs.
5. This matter has come up before this Commission on several previous occasions and hence it is taken up for final disposal. During the hearing the Appellant is absent. The Respondent PIO, Shri Krishna Gaude, Secretary, V.P. Sancoale is present in person.
6. Shri Krishna Gaude submits that pursuant to the Order of the FAA, the PIO has vide letter No.VP/S/80/2014-15/1011 dated 10/12/2014 informed the Appellant that there is no NOC issued to M/s. Sonia Laundry, situated at Zuari industrial estates, Zuarinagar, Sancoale-Goa and as such the information from point 1 to 4 is to be treated as NIL. The PIO files a written reply dated 08/03/2018 confirming the facts and has enclosed copy of the reply sent to the Appellant by Registered post A.D which is taken on record.
7. The Commission finds that the Appellant has been furnished the reply on 10/12/2014 wherein it was informed that no NOC is issued to M/s. Sonia Laundry, situated at Zuari industrial states, Zuarinagar, Sancoale-Goa and as such no information is available in the records. As information has been furnished pursuant to the directions of the FAA, nothing survives in the appeal case which stands disposed.

All proceedings in Appeal case stand closed. Pronounced before the parties who are present at the conclusion of the hearing. Notify the parties concerned. Authenticated copies of the order be given free of cost.

Sd/-
(Juino De Souza)
State Information Commissioner

