

GOA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

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

Complaint No. 39/2018/SIC-I

Shri Mahesh Kamat,
101, Blossom,
CD Seasons Cooperative housing Society,
Murida Fatorda, Salcete-Goa Pin.403602.

.....Complainant

V/s

1. Shri Sanjay Ghate,
Public Information Officer (PIO),
Kadamba Transport Corporation Limited,
Paraiso De Goa Building,
Alto Porvorim Goa.

.....Respondent

CORAM:

Smt. Pratima K. Vernekar, State Information Commissioner

Filed on:13/07/2018

Decided on:25/09/2018

ORDER

1. The brief facts leading to the present complaint are that the complainant Shri Mahesh Kamat by an application dated 11/4/2018 sought certain information from the Respondent PIO, of the office of Kadamba Transport Corporation Limited, at Alto Porvorim Goa as stated therein in the said application. The said application was filed under the Right to Information Act, 2005.
2. According to the complainant the said application was responded by the opponent on 7/5/2018 .
3. Being not satisfied with the reply of the Respondent, the complainant preferred first appeal on 17/5/2018 before the Managing Director of Kadamba Transport Corporation Limited, being first appellate authority and the first appellate authority ,by an order dated 15/6/2018 dismissed the said appeal.
4. Being aggrieved by the action of opponent and First appellate authority, the complainant approached this commission by way of complaint u/s 18 of the RTI Act on 13/7/2018 on the grounds that PIO have not provided him correct and complete information and have furnished false information there by obstructing the flow of

information. It was also contended that the PIO has breached the mandate of RTI Act by denying the information .

5. With the above grounds the Complainant has prayed before this commission for action against Respondents u/s section 20 of RTI Act, for compensation and for inquiry etc.
6. In pursuant to notice of this commission the complainant was present in person. Respondent PIO Shri Sanjay Ghate appeared alongwith Advocate Prashant Agarwal and filed his reply on 23/8/2018 alongwith enclosures. The copy of the same was furnished to the complainant herein .
7. The complainant on 25/9/2018 submitted that parallel appeal proceeding bearing no.169/2018 are also filed by him which are pending before this commission in respect of the same subject matter and hence he desires to go with the said appeal and desires to withdraw the present complaint proceedings. Accordingly he endorsed his say on the first page of the complaint.
8. In view of the submission and the endorsement made by the complainant in the present complaint proceedings , I find no reasons to proceed with the same and hence the complaint proceedings is disposed as withdrawn.

Proceedings 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