### **GOA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION**

`Kamat Towers', Seventh Floor, Patto, Panaji –Goa Tel No. 0832-2437908/2437208 email: <u>spio-gsic.goa@nic.in</u> website:www.gsic.goa.gov.in

# Appeal No. 271/2021/SCIC

Mr. Lavu Namdev Toraskar, R/o. H.No. 443/B, Vaddy, Candolim, Bradez-Goa.

.....Appellant

#### V/S

1. The Public Information Officer, The Health Officer, Primary Health Centre, Candolim, Bardez-Goa.

2. First Appellate Authority, Director of Health Services, Campal, Panaji-Goa.

.....Respondents

#### Shri. Vishwas R. Satarkar

State Chief Information Commissioner

### Filed on: 28/10/2021 Decided on: 25/01/2022

# <u>ORDER</u>

- 1. The Appellant, Mr. Lavu Namdev Toraskar, R/o. H.No. 443/B, Vaddy, Candolim, Bradez-Goa, by his application dated 06/08/2021 filed under sec 6(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter to be referred as 'Act') sought certain information from Public Information Officer (PIO), the Health Officer, Primary Health Centre, Candolim, Bardez-Goa.
- The said application was replied by the PIO on 09/08/2021. Not satisfied with the reply of PIO, Appellant filed first appeal before Directorate of Health Services, Campal, Panaji-Goa being the First Appellate Authority (FAA).
- 3. The FAA by its order dated 19/10/2021 allowed the first appeal and directed the PIO to provide the information if available except the information exempted from disclosure under sec 8 of the Act.
- However since the PIO failed to comply the order of FAA, Appellant preferred this second appeal under section 19(3) of the Act, before the Commission.

- 5. Parties were notified, pursuant to which PIO, Dr. Roshan Nazareth appeared and filed his reply on 02/12/2021, the representative of FAA, Mrs. Preciosa Joao appeared, however opted not to file any reply in the matter.
- 6. During the course of hearing today i.e on 25/01/2022, the Appellant appeared alongwith his counsel Adv. A.P. Mandrekar and submitted that, the PIO provided him all the required information and that he is satisfied with the information. The Appellant also endorsed on the appeal memo that "Received information, proceeding may be closed". In view of endorsement made by the Appellant, the matter is disposed off.
  - Proceeding closed.
  - Pronounced in open court.
  - Notify the parties.

Sd/-(Vishwas R. Satarkar) State Chief Information Commissioner