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Shri. Sanjay N. Dhavalikar, State Information Commissioner

Appeal No. 30/2023/SIC

Shri. Pratap Anant Mardolkar,
House No. 84,
Near Dabolim Junction,
Alto-Dabolim Goa, 403801.

-----Appellant

v/s

State Public Information Officer (SPIO)
Office of the Village Panchayat Chicalim
Chicalim Goa, 403711.

-----Respondent

Relevant dates emerging from appeal:

RTI application filed on	: 17/10/2022
PIO replied on	: Nil
First appeal filed on	: 01/12/2022
First Appellate Authority order passed on	: 02/01/2023
Second appeal received on	: 17/01/2023
Decided on	: 20/04/2023

ORDER

1. Being aggrieved by non furnishing of the information in spite of the direction by the First Appellate Authority (FAA), appellant under Section 19 (3) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 filed second appeal against Respondent Public Information Officer (PIO), which came before the Commission on 17/01/2023.
2. During the hearing on 15/03/2023, Advocate Narayan R. Pai appeared on behalf of the PIO, filed wakalatnama and undertook to furnish complete information to the appellant before next date of hearing. Accordingly, next hearing was fixed on 03/04/2023 for compliance.
3. Advocate Narayan R. Pai appeared on behalf of the PIO on 03/04/2023 and stated that as undertaken complete information has been furnished to the appellant. Appellant, who was present in person acknowledged receipt of the information and requested the Commission to allow him to withdraw the present appeal.
4. Upon perusal the Commission finds that, the information sought by the appellant vide application dated 17/10/2022 has been furnished, though after delay, for which PIO has apologised. Similarly, appellant after receiving the information has sought permission of the authority to withdraw the appeal. Hence, the Commission concludes that as

the information has been furnished to the satisfaction of the appellant, no more intervention of the Commission is required in the present matter.

5. Thus, the present appeal is disposed as withdrawn and proceeding stands closed.

Pronounced in the open court.

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.

Sd/-

Sanjay N. Dhavalikar
State Information Commissioner
Goa State Information Commission
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