GOA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

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Shri. Sanjay N. Dhavalikar, State Information Commissioner

Appeal No. 32/2023/SIC

Shri. Ramkrishna G. Desai, H. No. 2983, V. N. Naik Road, Chandrawada, Fatorda, Margao, South Goa, Goa, 403602

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V/s

 The Public Information Officer (PIO), Directorate of Education, Govt. of Goa, Porvorim, Goa

2. The Director of Education
Education Department,
Govt. of Goa,
First Appellate Authority (FAA),
Porvorim, Goa, 403521

-----Respondent

Relevant dates emerging from appeal:

RTI application filed on : 14/10/2022

PIO replied on : Nil

First appeal filed on : 22/11/2022

First Appellate Authority order passed on : Nil

Second appeal filed on : 24/01/2023 Decided on : 02/03/2023

ORDER

- 1. Being aggrieved by non furnishing of the information and non hearing of first appeal appellant under section 19(3) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 filed second appeal against Respondent No. 1, Public Information Officer (PIO) and Respondent No. 2, First Appellate Authority (FAA), which came before the Commission on 24/01/2023.
- 2. During the hearing on 28/02/2023 Shri. Cajetan Fernandes, PIO appeared and apologised for the delay in furnishing the information and undertook to furnish complete information on the

next date of hearing. Accordingly next hearing was fixed on 02/03/2023 at 10.30 a.m. for compliance.

- 3. Shri. Cajetan Fernandes, PIO appeared on 2/03/2023 and furnished the information to the appellant, who was present in person. Appellant acknowledged receipt of the information and stated with his signature on the appeal memo that he has received the information and requests the authority to allow him to withdraw the appeal.
- 4. The Commission finds that the information sought by the appellant vide application dated 14/10/2022 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 Thus, the present appeal is disposed as withdrawn and proceeding stands closed.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 Panaji - Goa