

**GOA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION
AT PANAJI**

CORAM: Shri Afonso Araujo, State Information Commissioner

Complaint No. 141/SIC/2010

Smt. Sanyogita Shetye,
Bambino Bldg.,
Alto Fondvem, Ribandar,
Tiswadi - Goa

... Complainant.

V/s.

Public Information Officer,
Employment Officer,
Commissioner of Labour and Employment,
Patto,
Panaji – Goa

... Opponent.

Complainant absent.

Opponent in person.

Public Information Officer, Labour Department.

Dated: 04.06.2010

ORDER

The information sought under the RTI Act by the Complainant on 30.06.2009 which is pertaining to the Circular of Chief Secretary No. 3/5/2009-ARD dated 09.06.2009 was .replied by the Public Information Officer and Employment Officer in the Office of Commissioner, Labour and Employment by communication dated 29.07.2009. The Complainant filed a Complaint on 19.02.2010 with a prayer to furnish the information free of cost and impose penalty on the Public Information Officer.

2. At the hearing of this Complaint Shri A. Shirodkar, the Public Information Officer, Employment Officer, Panaji stated that the information was sought from the Public Information Officer-Labour Department and he belongs to the Employment Department.

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Accordingly, notice was issued to the Public Information Officer – Labour Department and Smt. Fatima Rodrigues appeared and stated that Shri A. Shirodkar- Public Information Officer has already provided the information in this case and there was no question of she being called in this case as on the same subject matter information was sought from Labour Department and a Complaint No. 83/SIC/2010 has been filed wherein she filed the reply and it is fixed for arguments on 15.06.2010. It was not proper on the part of Shri Shirodkar to make a submission that the information sought is from Labour Department and not his Department. After all, Shri A. Shirodkar, as Opponent has already provided the information and the Complaint against the Public Information Officer of Labour Department, is been dealt in Complaint No. 83/SIC/2010.

3. Since the Opponent as Public Information Officer of the Employment Department has provided the information within time to the request dated 30.06.2009, there is no question of proceeding further and this Complaint is dismissed.

Sd/-
(Afonso Araujo)
State Information Commissioner

