GOA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION AT PANAJI

CORAM: Shri M. S. Keny, State Chief Information Commissioner

Complaint No. 482/SIC/2010

C. S. Barreto, H.No. 206, Mazalvaddo, Assagao, Bardez –Goa.

Complainant

V/s

The Public Information Officer, Village Panchayat Secretary, Candolim, Bardez –Goa.

Opponent

ORDER (01/11/2010)

- 1. The Complainant, Shri C.. S. Barreto, has filed the present Complaint praying for a direction to furnish the information and also penalty action.
- 2. The facts of the case are fully set out in the complaint. In short it is the case of the Complainant that on 01/02/2010 he sought certain information from the Public Information officer, Village Panchayat Candolim, Bardez –Goa. That the Public Information Officer replied that file was not traceable though the Village Panchayat had granted the licence. That the application was transferred to Sr. Town Planner Mapusa to comply with the Complainant's request. However the information was not furnished. Hence appeal was preferred before the First Appellate Authority (F.A.A). By order dated 08/04/2010 the opponent was directed to furnish the information after tracing the file. Since no information was furnished the Complainant preferred the present complaint.
- 3. It is the case of the opponent that initially the file was not traceable and hence information could not be furnished and as such the Complainant preferred appeal. That the appeal was disposed off by order dated 08/04/2010. That file could not be traced and order could not be complied with. That rigorous search was taken and file was traced and the information sought was furnished to the appellant.

- 4. Since information is furnished no further intervention of this Commission is required.
- 5. To-day the complainant has filed an application praying that opponent has furnished the information sought by him. The complainant also wishes to withdraw the request/application and/or to close the complaint. Hence I pass the following order:-

ORDER

The request of the Complainant is granted. The Complaint is disposed off as withdrawn.

The Complaint is accordingly disposed off

Pronounced in the Commission on this 1^{st} day of November, 2010.

Sd/-(M. S. Keny) Chief Information Commissioner