GOA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

Ground Floor, "Shrama Shakti Bhavan,", Patto Plaza, Panaji.

Complaint No. 45/SIC/2009 In Complaint No. 46/SIC/2008

Vila Nova Caetano Lino Fernandes, Simon Printers & Stationers, Simon House, No. 449, Parra Canca, Abaixo Vaddo, Bardez – Goa

.... Complainant

V/s.

1. Public Information Officer, The Mamlatdar of Bardez, Mapusa, Bardez – Goa

.... Opponent No. 1

Public Information Officer,
 The Assistant Director of Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs,
 Panaji – Goa

.... Opponent No. 2

Dated: 04.09.2009

ORDER

This complaint was filed against the Public Information Officer, Mamlatdar of Bardez, Mapusa, and Public Information Officer, Assistant Director of Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs, Panaji on the ground that there was delay in complying with the order of this Commission dated 18.06.2009 passed in the Complaint No. 46/SIC/2008.

2. Shri Fernandes stated that though the information was provided there was a delay in providing the same. Shri C. Shetkar – Public Information Officer, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs stated that the Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs Department has nothing to do in the matter and the information was provided by the Mamlatdar. In fact there are no reasons for the Complainant to implead the Public Information Officer – Asst. Director of Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs to be a party in this complaint. It is the Opponent No. 1 who required to provide the information and

accordingly the Opponent No. 1 provided the information sought to the Complainant.

3. The contention of the Complainant is that there was a delay in providing the information as the Opponent No. 1 did not provide the information within fifteen days from the date of the order. There is nothing on record to substantiate the fact that there was a delay in providing the information in pursuance of the order dated 18.06.2009 and as such this complaint is not maintainable and the same is dismissed.

Pronounced in the open Court on this 04th day of September 2009.

Sd/(Afonso Araujo)
State Information Commissioner