GOA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

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

Complaint No. 46/2006/MMC

Ankush Sitaram Naik
H. No. 175/5,
Feira Alta, Mapusa – Goa.   ……   Complainant.

            V/s.

Public Information Officer,
Mapusa Municipal Council,
Mapusa – Goa.   ……   Opponent.

CORAM :

Shri A. Venkataratnam
State Chief Information Commissioner
&
Shri G. G. Kambli
State Information Commissioner

(Per A. Venkataratnam)

Dated: 01/02/2007.

Complainant in person.

Opponent also in person.

O R D E R

This disposes off the complaint dated 2/01/2007 filed by the Complainant alleging non-compliance of this Commission's order dated 28/09/2006 issued in the original complaint No. 10/2006. On the day of hearing, the Complainant was present in person and submitted an application dated 31/01/2007 stating that the present Chief Officer/Public Information Officer of Mapusa Municipal Council Shri Srinet N. Kotwale has put in a lot of efforts to search and provide the necessary information to him and that the Chief Officer has no deliberate or malafide intention to withhold the disclosure of the information sought by him. He has also prayed that penalty of whatever kind may not be imposed on Shri S. N. Kotwale under the Right to Information Act. Finally, he has prayed for passing necessary orders. At the time of personal hearing, he has submitted that he is withdrawing the present complaint dated 2/1/2007 filed by him. As his submission dated 31/1/2007 does not specifically state that he is requesting for withdrawal of complaint, he was asked by the Commission in the open Court whether he intends to pursue with the matter. However, he stated that as he satisfied with the

information already supplied to him, he would like to withdraw the complaint. Accordingly, we hereby allow him to withdraw the complaint. The complaint, therefore, stands dismissed as withdrawn. Parties may be informed.

(A. Venkataratnam)
State Chief Information Commissioner, GOA.

(G. G. Kambli)
State Information Commissioner, GOA.