

GOA STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

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

Complaint No. 09/2006

Shankar R. Jog Appellant.

V/s.

1. The Director of Information & Publicity, Ex-officio Jt. Secretary to the Government, Udyog Bhawan, Panaji - Goa.
2. Public Information Officer of Directorate of Mines, Udyog Bhawan, Panaji - Goa.
3. The Dy. Collector (Quepem), Quepem - Goa.
4. The Mamlatdar of Sanguem, Sanguem - Goa.

..... Respondents.

CORAM :

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

(Per A. Venkataratnam)

Dated : 01/08/2006.

ORDER

Complainant in person. Respondent No. 1 is represented by Shri Shekhar Mayenkar, a PIO. Respondent No. 2 is represented by Shri R. Shetgaonkar, Technical Assistant. Respondent No. 3 absent. However, Respondent No. 3 send the reply. Respondent No. 4 in person. The Respondent No. 2 and 4 filed their reply. All the Respondents stated that the PIO's and APIO's as well as the first Appellate Authority have already been designated and the name boards have been displayed. However, the Commission directed the PIO's to display distinctively the name boards as well as to keep one

board on the table of the PIO. The Commission also directed the Respondents to display the name boards of the other staff members in the office as per the standing instructions of the Government so that the person seeking information can approach the concerned dealing hand. The Complainant also informed that the Respondent No. 1 has compiled the information of PIO's, APIO's and first Appellate Authority and same has been sent for notifying in the Official Gazette. The complaint stands dispose off accordingly.

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

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