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File No: SIC/J/A/113/2015
Decision No: SIC/J/A/113/2015/202

Sh. Malikzada Rayees Ahmed Through Advocate Aftab Malik	Appellant	Present
Superintending Engineer, Sewerage & Drainage Circle, Jammu.	F.A.A.	Absent
Sh.Suraj Gupta, Executive Engineer, Sewerage & Draingage Div.(West), Jammu.	PIO	Present

JAMMU
30.09.2015

Briefly the facts in this appeal are that Sh. Malikzada Rayees Ahmed, R/O B.C.16, Mohalla Dalpatian, Jammu-180001 moved an application dated 07.05.2015 before the Superintending Engineer, Sewerage & Drainage Circle, Jammu under the Jammu & Kashmir Right to Information Act, 2009 whereunder he sought certain information about the status report of the application dated 30.04.2015 submitted by the appellant wherein the details of payment made for the year 2014 to 2015 and also copies of the estimates of those payments were requested.

The perusal of the record shows that the appellant also moved an application on 07.05.2015 before the Controlling Officer in the office of the Superintending Engineer, Sewerage & Drainage Circle, Jammu seeking the above said information and after that the appellant filed appeal before the Commission dated 18.08.2015 in which he has alleged inter-alia that he has not received any information from the PIO/Executive Engineer, Sewerage & Drainage Div.(West), Jammu as well as First Appellate Authority/Superintending Engineer, Sewerage & Drainage Circle, Jammu. The Commission after receiving the appeal listed the matter for hearing on 01.09.2015 and 30.09.2015. The First Appellate Authority/Superintending Engineer, Sewerage & Drainage Circle, Jammu vide office No.SDC/398 dated 31.08.2015 informed the Commission that the Executive Engineer, Sewerage & Drainage Div. West, Jammu/PIO was asked to file counterstatement vide office letter No.SDC/152 dated 08.06.2015, but no reply was received from the PIO. During the course of proceedings held today, the PIO/Executive Engineer, Sewerage & Drainage Div. West, Jammu apprised the Commission that the information was sent to the information seeker vide office letter No.SDJ/W/2475-76 dated 22.09.2015 and also submitted a set of information for the perusal of the Commission which has been brought on record for reference. The PIO further submitted that he has taken over the office of the PIO very recently and the RTI application of the information seeker was not put before him for disposal by the office staff. Whereas, the information seeker acknowledged the receipt of the aforesaid information and submitted before the Commission that the information provided to him is incomplete, as it does not contain the copies of the estimates on the basis of which the payments were made for the year 2014 and 2015 in his favour by the Drainage & Sewerage Division West, Jammu. The PIO assured the Commission that the revised information as per the request of the information seeker will be provided within a week's time as per the office record.

In view of the aforesaid facts and observations, the PIO/Executive Engineer, Sewerage & Drainage Div. West, Jammu is hereby directed to furnish

revised information to the information seeker as per office record free of cost within a week's time from the date of receipt of this order under an intimation to the Commission.

The appeal is accordingly disposed of.

Notice of this decision be given free of cost to the parties.

Sd/-

Dr. S.K. Sharma

State Information Commissioner

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Copy to the:

1. Appellant/Sh. Malikzada Rayees Ahmed, R/O B.C. 16, Mohalla Dalpatian, Jammu-180001.
2. FAA/Superintending Engineer, Sewerage & Drainage Circle, Jammu.
PIO/Sh. Suraj Gupta, Executive Engineer, Sewerage & Drainage Div. (West), Jammu.

(Khalid A. Shah)

Deputy Registrar

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