



J&K State Information Commission
Wazarat Road, Near D.C. Office, Jammu /
Old Assembly Complex, Srinagar.

File No. SIC/CO/SA/360/2016
Decision No. SIC/CO/SA/360/2016/909

Appellant : Mohammad Sharief Mir
Respondent: FAA/PIO, J&K, State Vigilance Organization.
Date of Institution: 22-03-2016
Date of Decision: 30-05-2016/
State Information Commissioner: Er. Nazir Ahmad
Decision: Appeal disposed of.

1. Brief facts of the case are that appellant filed an RTI application before PIO, J&K, State Vigilance Organization on 11-12-2015 in reference to a complaint dated: 20-05-2014, filed by appellant to Vigilance Organization. He has accordingly sought action taken report of Vigilance Organization under RTI on his above referred representation.

2. Mr. Mohammad Ashraf Pandita, Joint Director, Prosecution/FAA, J&K State Vigilance Organization, Mr. Gulshan Ahmad Kaloo, Deputy Director, Prosecution /PIO, J&K, State Vigilance Organization and appellant, Mohammad Sharief Mir attended hearing.

3. The RTI application has been responded to by Mr. Gulshan Ahmad Kaloo, Deputy Director, Prosecution / PIO, J&K, State Vigilance Organization vide order dated: 04-01-2016, interalia, submitting that as per verification conducted by Vigilance Organization into the matter, the outcome of the verification was brought into the notice of the Deputy Commissioner, Pulwama vide letter dated: 20-05-2014 with the request to redress the grievances of the complainant. Thereafter, vide letter dated: 30-10-2014, matter was referred to Secretary, GAD for initiating regular departmental action against delinquent public servants.....PIO has concluded that a reminder has been issued vide letter dated: 28-12-2015, however, action taken report is awaited.

4. Aggrieved of the response of PIO, appellant has filed first appeal before First Appellate Authority, J&K, State Vigilance Organization, which has been disposed of by the FAA, concluding that reply furnished by the PIO is as per record, hence does not need any interference in the appeal.

5. Appellant has filed 2nd appeal in the Commission on the ground that on the basis of information provided by PIO, it transpires that Vigilance Organization has slept over the case, which is not a healthy practice. It is further submitted that copy of reminder dated: 28-12-2015 has not been provided to him.

6. The respondents, FAA/PIO, J&K, State Vigilance Organization have filed reply/counter statement to the appeal dated: 20-05-2016. As per directions of the Commission dated: 16-05-2016, appellant admitted receipt of reply/counter statement.

7. From perusal of information sought and response of the PIO and reply/counter statement, it is evident that action taken by Vigilance Organization on the representation made by the appellant, has been conveyed to appellant, giving status of the case on the date of reply dated: 04-01-2016 (Action taken in the matter awaited). The only issue before the Commission is whether copy of the letter dated: 28-12-2015 has been provided to the appellant. PIO submitted that copy of the said letter has been provided to the appellant and appellant admitted to have received the same.

8. In view of the above, no further action is warranted and appeal is disposed of.

Sd/-

(Er. Nazir Ahmad)

State Information Commission

Dated: -05-2016

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1. First Appellate Authority, J&K, State Vigilance Organization.
2. Public Information Officer, J&K, State Vigilance Organization.
3. Pvt. Secretary to HSIC.
4. Mohammad Sharief Mir S/o Ghulam Mohammad Mir R/o Kadlabal, Pampore.
5. Guard file.

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Registrar,

J&K, State Information Commission