



Jammu and Kashmir State Information Commission

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File No. SIC/J/A/67/2016

Decision No. SIC/J/A/67/2016/372

Appellant : Sh. Ram Singh

Respondent : FAA/Deputy Commissioner, Jammu
PIO/ADC (LO), Jammu

Date of Registration : 19.07.2016

Date of Decision : 01.09.2016

Brief Facts:

Appellant Sh. Ram Singh filed RTI application before PIO, O/o. Deputy Commissioner, Jammu seeking action taken on the matter referred to Deputy Commissioner, Jammu by Vigilance Commission vide letter dated: 08.09.2015. Thereafter, he filed First Appeal before First Appellate Authority/Deputy Commissioner, Jammu dated: 16.04.2016, on the ground that PIO has failed to provide information as requested vide his application dated: 12.03.2016. The First Appeal has been decided by Deputy Commissioner, Jammu vide order dated: 07.05.2016, whereunder it was observed that perusal of the appeal reveals that the appellant is seeking action taken on the orders of the State Vigilance

Commission/copy of Enquiry Report on the vigilance order. Since the DVO is unaware, it is likely that no action so far has been taken. Accordingly, he is granted 30 days more time to find out whether action has been taken or not and appeal has been disposed of accordingly.

Proceedings:

Dr. Arun Kumar Manhas, Additional Deputy Commissioner, Jammu has filed reply before the Commission dated: 28.07.2016, with copy to appellant stating that the RTI application was forwarded to SDM North Jammu for enquiry and submitting of status report and said enquiry was entrusted to SDM North Jammu vide letter dated: 11.04.2016. SDM North Jammu vide letter dated: 23.07.2016 has reported that the enquiry covers a vast scope and requires more time for investigation. He has concluded that enquiry report will be provided to applicant as soon as his office receives enquiry report from SDM North Jammu. Copy of this letter is marked to the appellant.

In view of the above, the appeal filed before the Commission is disposed of with directions to PIO/Additional Deputy Commissioner (LO), Jammu to provide a copy of letter dated: 23.07.2016 of SDM as referred to in his reply. Further, in order to expedite the enquiry, the Commission would like to advise the PIO to instruct SDM, North/Enquiry Officer to seek assistance of the appellant also, who is a complainant in this case before the State Vigilance Organization. The Commission expects SDM, North Jammu to complete the enquiry expeditiously and inform appellant accordingly.

The appeal is accordingly disposed of with above directions.

Sd/-
(Er. Nazir Ahmad)
State Information Commissioner

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Dated: -09-2016

Copy to the:-

1. Deputy Commissioner/FAA Jammu
2. PIO/Addl. Deputy Commissioner (L&O), Jammu
3. Pvt. Secretary to HSIC.
4. Sh. Ram Singh S/o Sh. Raghunath Singh R/o Baran Tehsil Bhalwal, Disst. Jammu
5. Guard File.

(Sheikh Fayaz Ahmad)
Registrar,
J&K, State Information Commission