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File No. SIC/J/A/24/2018 Decision No. SIC/J/A/24/2018/**312** 

## **Final Order**

Appellant : Sh. Muhammad Ayaz Naik S/o Sh.

Ghulam Hussain R/o Khari Khawaja Tehsil Khari District

Ramban

Respondents : 1. First Appellate Authority (FAA)/

Assistant Development

Commissioner, Ramban

2. Public Information Officer (PIO)/Block Development Officer,

Khari & Ramsoo

Date of Registration: 02-05-2018

Date of Decision : 27-08-2018

## **BRIEF FACTS:**

The present appeal has arisen out of RTI application dated 13-12-2017 filed by the appellant Shri Muhammad Ayaz Naik with PIO/Block Development Officer, Ramsoo seeking all the records about the works executed in Panchayat upper-B Khari under Water Shed scheme, MGNREGA scheme, AAY scheme and CDF scheme from 2011-2014. As the PIO failed to

furnish the desired information, the appellant filed first appeal before the FAA/Assistant Commissioner Development, Ramban on 16-01-2018. The said appeal was disposed of by the FAA on 17-02-2018 with the direction to the PIO/BDO, Ramsoo to provide desired information to the appellant free of cost within seven days through speed/registered post. Despite passing of this direction by the FAA, the PIO failed to furnish the information to the appellant compelling the appellant to file the 2<sup>nd</sup> appeal before this Commission.

The  $2^{nd}$  appeal came up for hearing before the Commission on 26-07-2018. The appellant as well as the PIO present. The PIO/BDO, Khari handed over the information to the appellant consisting of 250 pages during the hearing and the appellant was directed to file a rejoinder in respect of the said information by or before the next date of hearing. The appellant had also sought similar information from the BDO, Ramsoo also. However, BDO, Ramsoo was not present during the hearing on 26-07-2018 nor had he furnished the reply/information to appellant in respect of his block. The case was adjourned with a direction to PIO/BDO, Ramsoo to file counter statement in appeal pertaining to his Block and also provide the reply to the appellant by or before the next date of hearing.

The appeal again came up for hearing today on 27-08-2018. None of the parties attended the hearing. The appellant has not filed any rejoinder to the information furnished to him as directed by this Commission on the last date of hearing. It appears that the appellant has received the information in respect of Block Ramsoo also. The information in respect of Block Khari was handed over to the appellant by PIO, Khari during the hearing on 26-07-2018. The absence of the appellant and non filing of any rejoinder indicates that the appellant does not want to pursue this appeal any further.

The appeal is accordingly disposed of without any order or direction.

Sd/-

(Mohammad Ashraf Mir) State Information Commissioner

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- 2. PIO/Block Development Officer, Khari & Ramsoo.
- 3. Appellant—Sh. Muhammad Ayaz Naik S/o Sh. Ghulam Hussain R/o Khari Khawaja Tehsil Khari District Ramban.
- 4. Office File

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