PUBLIC GRIEVANCES COMMISSION

(Govt. of National Capital Territory of Delhi)

APPELLATE AUTHORITY

[Under Section 7, Delhi Right to Information Act, 2001]

Appeal No. 963/2017/PGC/DRTI/North DMC dated 28.2.2018

Date of Hearing: 31.7.2018

Appellant: Sh. Suresh Elwadhi

Competent Authority: Dy. Commissioner (K.B. Zone)

North DMC

Application under DRTI: 3.1.2017

1 Background:

The appellant vide DRTI application dated 3.1.2017 has sought information on total 05 points. Aggrieved with non-receipt of information from the Competent Authority, he filed this appeal.

2 Proceedings

The appellant is not present. Sh. J.B. Meena, AE (Bldg.) KB Zone is present on behalf of the respondent. The representative of the department stated that they have already furnished the reply to the appellant on 9.4.2018. It has further informed that no illegal activity is being carried out in the area, except in two properties where a play school is running and car washing activity is being carried out which are not allowed. Necessary action under the provisions of a law are being initiated against these properties.

In point no. 2 the appellant has sought copy of note sheet from the file in which the action has been initiated, with regards to the above mentioned complaint of the appellant, but the same has not been provided by the department. The Competent Authority shall provide a copy of the same to the appellant.

3 Decision

The Competent Authority i.e. Dy. Commissioner K.B Zone, North DMC is directed to provide the photocopy of the note sheet as directed above, within 10 days from the date of issue of this order, directly to the appellant with a copy marked to this Commission in his/her own signature /stamp.

It is further observed that Sh. Suresh Elwadhi had submitted his application for seeking information under the DRTI Act 2001 on 2.1.2018 but the department has

provided the information only on 9.4.2018. As per Section 5 (2) of the Act the Competent Authority is bound to furnish the information not later than 30 days from the date receipt of the application. The Competent Authority is directed to be more careful in future and ensure that information under the DRTI Act 2001 must be made available to the applicant within the time prescribed under the Act.

With the above directions, the matter is accordingly disposed of at the Commission's end.

(SUDHIR YADAV)

Member, Public Grievances Commission

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- 2 Sh. Suresh Elwadhi