

PUBLIC GRIEVANCES COMMISSION

(Govt. of National Capital Territory of Delhi)

APPELLATE AUTHORITY

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

Date of Hearing : 26.06.2018

Date of Decision : 26.06.2018

Applicant : Sh. D.C. Gautam

Respondent : Deputy Commissioner (K.B. Zone)
North DMC

Appeal No : 25/2018/PGC/DRI/NDMC

Appeal filed on : 12.04.2018

DRTI Application filed on : 22.02.2018

Competent Authority replied on : No response

1. Background :

Sh. D.C. Gautam, the appellant vide his application dated 22.02.2018 under Delhi Right to Information Act, 2001, had sought information from the Deputy Commissioner (City S.P. Zone), North DMC/Competent Authority notified under the DRTI Act-2001 on total 7 queries.

The appellant did not receive any information from the Competent Authority i.e. Deputy Commissioner (City S.P. Zone), North MCD. Being aggrieved with the same, he filed the appeal before the Appellate Authority, Public Grievances Commission, as provided under Section 7 of DRTI Act -2001.

2. Proceedings

The appellant is present and heard.

Shri Chandra Bhan, UDC from the office of Deputy Commissioner (Karol Bagh Zone), states that after delimitation of various Zones in North DMC, the property for which information has been asked by the appellant has now come under the jurisdiction of Karol Bagh Zone. He further submitted that a reply had been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 25.06.2018. A copy of the same was given to the appellant during the hearing. The appellant submitted that the reply submitted is incomplete and he is not satisfied with the same. The reply perused.

3. Decision :

The appellant is seeking information regarding assessment of property tax in respect of certain properties on Faiz Road.

On perusal of the reply, it has been revealed that the same has not been signed by the Competent Authority, as required under Delhi Right to Information Act, hence unacceptable.

The matter is brought to the personal attention of the Competent Authority i.e. Deputy Commissioner (K.B. Zone), North DMC.

He is hereby directed to furnish a revised reply to the queries of the appellant within 7 days from the date of issue of this order, directly to the appellant with a copy marked to the Public Grievances Commission under his own signature, properly stamped, having the name of Competent Authority.

The matter is accordingly closed at the Commission's end.

(SUDHIR YADAV)

Member,

Public Grievances Commission

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2. Shri D.C. Gautam