PUBLIC GRIEVANCES COMMISSION

(Govt. of National Capital Territory of Delhi) **APPELLATE AUTHORITY**

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

Appeal No. <u>39-43/2017/PGC/DRTI/South DMC</u> dt.2.5.2018

Date of Hearing :15.10.2018Appellant :Sh. C.L.MukeriaCompetent Authority :Dy. Commissioner (West Zone)
South DMCApplication under DRTI :23.3.2018

Since the parties involved in the Appeals are common, various Appeals are being clubbed together for hearing and disposal to avoid multiplicity of the proceedings and effective adjudication.

1 Background :

The appellant vide DRTI application dated 23.3.2018 has sought information on total 22 points each. Aggrieved by non-receipt of information from the Competent Authority, he filed these appeals.

2 Proceedings

The appellant is present. Sh. R.D. Chaudhary, AE (Bldg.), West Zone, South DMC is present on behalf of the respondent. The representative of the department has furnished a copy of reply dt. 20.09.2018 vide which the department has informed the appellant that the information sought is vague and voluminous and hence cannot be provided.

The reply of the department has been perused. The Commission tends to agree with the department that the information sought is voluminous, since the appellant has sought information on 22 points each relating to all the wards under the jurisdiction of West Zone, South DMC in 14 appeals.

During the course of discussion today, the appellant stated that he is seeking the information to highlight the inaction of MCD authorities towards unauthorised construction in the area. Since his questions in each appeal case are general in nature, he was advised to submit a list of 5-6 specific questions to Sh. R.D. Chaudhary, AE (Bldg.), West Zone, South DMC, so that the department can provide proper reply regarding action taken by them.

3 Decision

Though the present appeal cases are being closed in the Commission since the information sought by the appellant is too general and voluminous in nature, but the Competent Authority shall ensure that specific and point-wise information is be furnished to the appellant in response to the list of specific questions to be submitted by the appellant. It was mutually agreed by both the appellant and the departmental representative that Sh. C.L. Mukeria shall visit the office of the AE (Bldg.)-II, West Zone, South DMC on 13.10.2018 at 11.00 AM and submit the list of properties to the AE (Bldg.) concerned. Thereafter, there should not be any delay in furnishing the requisite information to the appellant by the Competent Authority viz. Dy. Commissioner, West Zone, South DMC. A copy of the reply sent to the appellant shall be submitted in this Commission for perusal.

The matter is accordingly disposed of at the Commission's end.

(ASHOK KUMAR) Chairman, Public Grievances Commission

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