

PUBLIC GRIEVANCES COMMISSION

(Govt. of National Capital Territory of Delhi)

APPELLATE AUTHORITY

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

Appeal No. 376/2018/PGC/DRTI/North DMC dated 12.10.2018

Date of Hearing : 5.3.2019

Appellant : Sh. Sunil Kumar Sharma

Competent Authority : Dy. Commissioner (City/SP Zone)
North DMC

Application under DRTI : 24.8.2018.

1 Background :

The appellant vide DRTI application dated 24.8.2018 has sought information on total 03 points. Aggrieved by non-receipt of information from the Competent Authority, he filed this appeal.

2 Proceedings

The appellant is not present . Sh. Mohd Shakil, AE (Bldg.), CSP Zone is present on behalf of the department. The representative of the department informed that point-wise information has already been furnished to the appellant vide letter dated 28.10.2018. A copy of the same has been submitted in the hearing today.

The reply has been perused and it is noted that the reply furnished by the department is not factually correct. The appellant is seeking information regarding references/complaints forwarded by the Monitoring Committee against unauthorised construction in Ward no. 80 (Sadar Bazar). It cannot be stated that no such information is maintained/available in the requisite format. The department should say whether they have received complaints/references from the Monitoring Committee or not. If complaints have been received and action taken thereupon, then documents should be furnished to the appellant. Furnishing of perfunctory reply should be avoided by the department. The Competent Authority may pull up his staff and ensure that correct and factual reply is submitted in the Commission.

3 Decision

The Competent Authority viz. Dy. Commissioner City/SP Zone, North DMC is directed to furnish point-wise reply to the queries of the appellant within 03 weeks from the date of issue of this order, directly to the appellant with a copy marked to this

Commission. The reply shall be sent under the signature /stamp of the Competent Authority.

It is further directed that inspection of documents may be allowed to the appellant, as informed by the department vide their letter dt. 18.10.2018. The date and time fixed for inspection shall be communicated to the appellant well in advance. The Dy. Commissioner shall ensure that complete records are made available to the appellant for inspection on the date and time fixed for the same. Thereafter photocopies of documents identified by the appellant , if any, shall be provided to him on payment of fee as prescribed under the DRTI Rules 2001.

With the above direction the present appeal case is ordered to be closed in the Commission.

(ASHOK KUMAR)

Chairman,
Public Grievances Commission

Appeal No. 201/2018/PGC/

Dated:

Copy to:-

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