PUBLIC GRIEVANCES COMMISSION

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

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

Appeal No. 560/2018/PGC/DRTI/Edu. dated 4.12.2018

Date of Hearing :19.6.2019Appellant :Sh. Arun Kumar MishraCompetent Authority :DDE (C/ND), Dte. of EducationApplication under DRTI :12.10.2018

1 Background

The appellant vide his DRTI application dated 12.10.2019 has sought information on total 08 points. Aggrieved by non-receipt of information from the Competent Authority, she filed this appeal.

2 Proceedings

The appellant is present. Sh. Rahul Kumar, Sr. Assistant, Dte. of Education, District (Central/ND) is present on behalf of the department. The representative of the department submitted a letter 15.6.2019 vide which an Action Taken Report has been submitted by the department.

The reply of the department has been perused. The departmental representative has given a reply stating that school authorities are not submitting the required information but have informed vide their letter dt. 1.5.2019 that the required information has already been provided to the department. But the departmental representative submits that only few photocopies of documents have been provided by the school, and that too are not certified, due to which the department is unable to take cognizance of the same.

The matter is brought to the personal attention of the Director, Dte. of Education with the advise to depute an officer to look into the information received from the school authorities vis-a-vis the information sought by the department. If the information provided appears to be satisfactory, then the same may be provided to the appellant. The department has intimated that a Show Cause Notice dt. 24.5.2019 has already been issued to the school, reply to which is still awaited. C.L Bhalla, DAV Sr. Sec. School being an aided school and receiving 95% Grant –in-Aid from the Dte. of Education is under obligation to comply with the directions of the department, as rightly mentioned in the Show Cause Notice. As far as defiance of the orders of the department is concerned, the department may take necessary action as deemed fit in the matter as per DSEAR 1973.

3 Decision

As mentioned above, Director (Education) may take further necessary action in the matter as advised above. An Action Taken Report may be submitted in the Commission for perusal thereafter.

With the above advice, the appeal case is ordered to be closed in the Commission.

(ASHOK KUMAR) Chairman, Public Grievances Commission

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