

PUBLIC GRIEVANCES COMMISSION

(Govt. of National Capital Territory of Delhi)

APPELLATE AUTHORITY

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

Appeal No. 03, 05 and 06/2018/PGC/DRTI/North DMC dated 2.4.18

Date of Hearing : 25.10.2018

Appellant : Sh. Pawan Kumar

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

Application under DRTI : 1.2.2018

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 1.2.2018 has sought information on total 12 points each. Aggrieved by non receipt of any information from the Competent Authority, he filed these instant appeals.

2 Proceedings

The appellant is present. No one is present on behalf of the Competent Authority. However, a copy of reply dt. 12.3.2018, duly signed by the Dy. Commissioner, KB Zone, North DMC vide which point wise replies to the queries of the appellant have been furnished is available in all the 03 appeal files. The replies have been perused.

The department has not provided any information on the ground that the information/record sought by the applicant relates to personal information and will cause unwarranted invasion of the privacy of the individual.

All the three DRTI applications of the appellant have been perused. It is observed that the appellant is seeking information about the first appointment, period of posting in different departments in KB Zone, vigilance cases etc. in respect of three officials viz. Sh. Parkash Arya, Junior Engineer, Sh. Deepak Kumar Junior Engineer and Sh. Suraj Parkash, Asstt. Engineer. Whereas the information related to suspension/disciplinary cases may not be provided, however, general information like date of initial appointment of a Govt. servant, details of his place of posting etc. can easily be provided under the DRTI Act 2001 and in no way shall cause unwarranted invasion on the privacy of the individual.

3 Decision

In view of above, the Competent viz. Dy. Commissioner, K.B. Zone, North DMC is directed to furnish a revised reply in respect of queries nos. 1, 2, 3, 9, 10 and 11. The Competent Authority shall furnish the revised reply, in all the three appeal cases, as discussed above directly to the appellant within 15 days of issue of this order with a copy endorsed to this Commission. The revised reply must be issued under the signature/stamp of the Competent Authority.

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

(ASHOK KUMAR)

Chairman,
Public Grievances Commission

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