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MANIPUR INFORMATION COMMISSION

SECRETARIAT NORTH BLOCK, GROUND FLOOR,
BEHIND WESTERN BLOCK,
IMPHAL, MANIPUR.
Phone No: 0385-2456495

Appeal Case No. 104 of 2024

Kambam Seityajit

- Appellant.

-Vs-

The SPIO/ Special Secretary (Home), Government of Manipur - Respondents. & Anr.

DECISION

Dated: - 26.12.2024

The SPIO/ FAA (Home) Government of Manipur is represented by Shri E. Premchand Singh, L.O. (Home). The Appellant is present.

During the hearing, the Appellant submitted that the sought information on five queries u/s 6 (1) of the RTI Act is related with the Suspension of Operation (SoO) with the Kukis insurgent groups. He also added that no information/ reply has been received from the concerned Public Authority till date.

Shri E. Premchand (Home) the representative of the Public Authority (Home) submitted that the sought information is related with SoO agreement made by the Government of Manipur, the Government of India and the Kukis insurgent groups. And as such, he added that the information in this regard are exempted in Schedule -II under Section 24 of the RTI Act, 2005. He also submitted that the present subject of request is connected with the present clashes between two ethnic groups in Manipur. And therefore, he expresses his reservation on disclosure of such sensitive information in public domain at such critical juncture. He further submitted that a reply vide letter dated 21.11.2024 has been furnished to the Appellant detailing about the reason for not furnishing the sought information.

The Commission upheld the decision of the Public Authority (Home) Government of Manipur for denial of the present information which has been endorsed to the Commission vide letter No. H-2001/176/2024-HD-HD dated 21.11.2024. In the light of the above facts, the Commission has decided not to interfere on the subject of request.

Hence, the present Appeal case is closed.

Sd/-

(K. Radhashyam Singh)
State Chief Information Commissioner,
Manipur Information Commission.

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- 2. The SPIO/ Special Secretary (Home), Government of Manipur.
- 3. Kambam Seityajit.

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