

MANIPUR INFORMATION COMMISSION

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

Appeal Case No. 78 of 2025

Ch. Ranjo Singh - Appellant
-Vs-
SPIO/ Secretary (COHSEM), Manipur - Respondents

DECISION

Dated: - 23.6.2025

Both the FAA and the SPIO are absent. The Appellant is represented by Shri K. Priyobrata Singh, Advocate.

During the hearing the Ld. Counsel of the Appellant submitted that he has received satisfactory information from the SPIO only on 6.6.2025 i.e. after the delay of 3 (three) months. He further requested to the Commission to impose penalty against the SPIO under section 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 for the delay in providing the required information to the Appellant.

After hearing the party present today and perusal of case records, the Commission takes serious view on the non disposal of the RTI application dated 6.3.2025 and first appeal dated 8.4.2025 by the SPIO and the FAA in time. Both the FAA/ Chairman, COHSEM, Manipur and the SPIO/ Secretary, COHSEM, Manipur are directed to comply the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005 strictly in dealing with RTI matters in future.

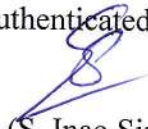
With the above direction the appeal case is disposed off.

Announced in the open chamber.

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1. The FAA/ Chairman/Chairperson (COHSEM), Manipur
2. The SPIO/ Secretary (COHSEM), Manipur.
3. Chingangbam Ranjo Singh of Kwakeithel Laishram Leikai,
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