

The Right to Information Act, 2005

Second Appeal

To

The Chief Information Commissioner
[State Information Commission Name]
[Office Address]

Subject: Second Appeal under the Provisions of RTI Act, 2005

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am filing this second appeal under Section 19(3) of the RTI Act, 2005, as both the Public Information Officer (PIO) and the First Appellate Authority (FAA) have failed to provide the information requested in my RTI application. The details of my appeal are as follows:

1. Reference Details:

1.1 **RTI Application:** Submitted to the Public Information Officer, [Insert Department Name], on [Insert Date]. *(Copy Enclosed)*

1.2 **First Appeal:** Filed before the First Appellate Authority, [Insert Department Name], on [Insert Date]. *(Copy Enclosed)*

2. Information Sought:

[Summarize the key points of information requested in the original RTI application, e.g., expenditure details, project status, etc.]

Example:

1. Please provide the amount of expenditure incurred for the swearing-in ceremony of the newly elected Chief Minister on [Insert Date] at [Insert Venue].

3. Timeline of Events:

- **Date of RTI Submission:** [Insert Date]
- **Expected Response Date (30 days):** [Insert Date]
- **Date of First Appeal Submission:** [Insert Date]
- **Expected Response Date for First Appeal (30-45 days):** [Insert Date]

Despite the statutory timeframes, neither the PIO nor the FAA has provided the requested information to date.

4. Grounds for Appeal:

1. The PIO has failed to furnish the requested information within the 30-day statutory timeframe under Section 7(1) of the RTI Act, 2005.
2. The First Appellate Authority has not provided any response to my appeal within the stipulated timeframe under Section 19(1) of the RTI Act.
3. The information sought is in the larger public interest and should be made available under Section 4(1)(b) of the RTI Act.
4. The requested information does not fall under any exemption as per Sections 8 and 9 of the RTI Act.

5. Relief Sought:

I kindly request the Hon'ble Information Commission to:

1. Call for a hearing and direct the concerned authorities to provide the requested information without further delay.
2. Impose a penalty on the PIO for failing to comply with the provisions of the RTI Act, as per Section 20(1).
3. Recommend disciplinary action against the PIO for negligence, as per Section 20(2).

6. Personal Presence at Hearing:

[Select "Yes" or "No"]

7. Enclosures:

1. Copy of the original RTI application.
2. Copy of the First Appeal application.
3. Postal proof or acknowledgment receipts for RTI and First Appeal submissions.
4. Any other supporting documents.

Declaration:

I hereby declare that the facts mentioned above are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. This matter is not pending with any court or tribunal.

<Insert e-signature>

Yours faithfully,

[Your Full Name]

[Your Address]

[City, State, Pin Code]

[Email Address]

[Phone Number]

Date: [Insert Date]

<Insert RTI Application Number>