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ITANAGAR.

An Appeal Case U/S 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005

Case No. APIC- 704/2025.

(Summon to appear in person)

(Or.5 R.3 of CPC)

APPELLANT : Shri Bamang Pacho, IG Park, Itanagar.

RESPONDENT : The PIO, o/o the EE (PWD), Koloriang Division, Kurung
Kumey District.

ORDER/SUMMONS

This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 received from Shri Bamang Pacho for non-furnishing of 8(eight) point information each against 6(six) schemes by the PIO, o/o the EE (PWD), Sangram Division, Kurung Kumey District as sought for by him under section 6(1) (Form-A) of RTI Act, 2005 vide his application dated 04.06.2025.

Hearing and decision:

This appeal was heard on 13.02.2026 wherein the appellant, Shri Bamag Pacho and Shri Bini Tare, i/c RTI Cell representing the PIO, the EE (Sangram Division), were present.

This Commission, vide order dt.13.02.26, after hearing the representative of the PIO, who submitted that consequent upon bifurcation of Koloriang Division from the Sangram Division the handing and taking over of the charge of the Koloriang Division has been done on 14.10.2025 and that consequently for the pending RTI cases till 14.10.2025 in respect of the Koloriang Division, the EE (Koloriang Division) be summoned, directed *the PIOs of both the Sangram Division and Koloriang Division to appear in the next date to hear them and decide as to whose Division shall provide the requested information.*

As directed, Shri Bini Tare, i/c RTI Cell representing the PIO, the EE (Sangram Division) is present in person. The representative has produced the copy PIO's letter dt.16/10/2026 regarding the handing and taking over of the charges between the EE(PWD) Sangram Division and EE (PWD) Koloriang Division along with the list of RTI applications including the application dt.04.06.2025 which is the cause of action in the instant appeal. The appellant is also present in person. The EE-cum-PIO, Koloriang (PWD) Division is, however, absent.

The extract of the aforesaid letter of the EE(PWD), Koloriang Division is as under:

“Sir,

With due respect in inviting reference to the above cited subject, it is to inform here that, consequent upon order bearing no. PWD-11022/2/2022-Estt-PWD/231-40 dated 20/06/2025(copy enclosed for ready reference) and subsequent order for handover vide no. SEYCC/GE-03/2025-26/708 dated 24th September 2025(Copy enclosed herewith for ready reference) this division has been bifurcated into two division, subsequently, a proper handing and taking over of charges between PIO cum Executive Engineer, Sangram division, PWD, Kurung Kumey district and PIO cum Executive Engineer, Koloriang division, PWD, Kurung Kumey district, A.P. have been solemnized on dated 14/10/2025 in the chamber of undersigned.

It is pertinent to inform here that all the RTI cases proceeding under various hon'ble commissioner's of APIC till this date is related to Koloriang division, PWD erstwhile Koloriang and Patuk sub-division, PWD.

Consequently, henceforth, all the hearing and correspondence in connection of pending RTI cases before various commissioner's APIC upto this date may be summoned or communicate to the taken over PIO cum EE Koloriang division, PWD. As such the respondent PIO shall be Executive Engineer, Koloriang Division, PWD instead of PIO cum Executive Engineer, Sangram division, PWD. The detail postal address of PIO cum Executive Engineer, Koloriang division are furnished underneath.

SL. No.	Present Postal Address	Old Postal Address	Remark
1.	o/o PIO cum Executive Engineer, Koloriang division, PWD Koloriang, Kurung Kumey district, A.P. pin code 791118	o/o PIO cum Executive Engineer, Sangram division, PWD, Sangram, Kurung Kumey district, A.P. pin code-791118	Consequent upon creation of temporary PWD division, Koloriang vide no. PWD 11022/2/2022-Estt-PWD-dated PWD/231-40 dated 20/06/2025 bifurcating from existing Sangram division, PWD

This is for kind information and favour of necessary action please.

Encl: As stated above alongwith copy of TR-1

Sd/-

P.I.O cum Executive Engineer,
Sangram Division, PWD
Kurung Kumey District"

Heard the representative of the PIO, Sangram Division who reiterated earlier submission that the in view of handing over of the RTI cases to the Koloriang Division, the EE (Koloriang Division) be summoned and heard henceforth. The APIO, further submitted that entire requested information numbering 8(eight) as requested against the 6(six) schemes have since been handed over to the o/o EE, Koloriang Division.

In view of the factual position as evidenced by the POI's aforesaid letter and the list of RTI applications since handed over to the Koloriang Division, this Commission decides to summon the PIO o/o EE, Koloriang Division from now onwards and consequently, the PIO o/o the EE, PWD, Koloriang Division, Koloriang is hereby directed to appear in the next hearing on 29th April 2026, (Wednesday), along with the requested documents so as not to constrain this Commission to invoke the penal provision on RTI Act. 2005.

Given under my hand and seal of this Commission on this 18th March, 2026.

NOW THEREFORE, the EE-cum-PIO, Koloriang PWD Division is hereby summoned to appear in person or online in the Hon'ble Court of Shri Sangyal Tsering Bappu, **SIC on the 29th April, 2026 (Wednesday) at 10:30 am** to answer the claims, and you are directed to produce on that day all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your claims/defense.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance, on the day above- mentioned, the matter will be heard and determined in your absence.

To avail online hearing please at least notify or get in touch one day prior to the hearing, download "**WEBEX MEETING APP**" from Google Play store. For further technical assistance Shri Himanshu Verma, IT Consultant (Mobile no. 8319014957) maybe contacted.

Sd/-

(S. TSERING BAPPU)

State Information Commissioner,
APIC, Itanagar.

Memo No. APIC-704/2025/732 Dated Itanagar, the 19 March, 2026

Copy to: -

1. The Chief Engineer (PWD), Central Zone-A, Itanagar, Govt. of A.P, First Appellate Authority (FAA), for information and ensuring appearance by the two PIOs.
2. The PIO, o/o the EE (PWD), Sangram Division, Kurung Kumey District (Pin Code: 791118) for information and compliance.
3. The PIO, o/o the EE (PWD), Koloriang Division, Kurung Kumey District (Pin Code: 791118) for information and compliance.
4. Shri Bamang Pacho, Near Main Power House, IG Park, PO/PS- Itanagar, Papum Pare District (A.P) (Contact No. 9402275313) for information.
5. The Computer Programmer/Computer Operator for uploading on the website of APIC, please.
6. Office Copy.
7. S/copy.

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APIC, Itanagar.

Deputy Registrar
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission
Itanagar