



**ARUNACHAL PRADESH INFORMATION COMMISSION  
ITANAGAR**

**BEFORE THE HON'BLE COURT OF MAJOR GENERAL JARKEN GAMLIN, AVSM, SM,  
VSM (RETD), STATE CHIEF INFORMATION COMMISSIONER**

No.APIC-291/A/2026

Dated, Itanagar the 10<sup>th</sup> June' 2026

**Appeal Under Section 19(3) RTI Act, 2005**

**Appellant:** Shri Abang Yangfo and Shri John Bagang, C/o Raja Biswas Cyber, Model Village, Near Govt Hr. Secondary School Naharlagun, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN- 791112, (m) 8257072299.

Vs

**Respondent:** Shri Yagam Marde, PIO -cum-BDO, CD Block Sawa, East Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN- 790102.

**ORDER**

- 1). This is an appeal under Section 19(3) of RTI Act, 2005 filed by Shri Abang Yangfo and Shri John Bagang, C/o Raja Biswas Cyber, Model Village, Near Govt Hr. Secondary School Naharlagun, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh, for non-furnishing of information by the PIO -cum-BDO, CD Block Sawa, East Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, as sought by the Appellant under section 6(1) of RTI Act, 2005 vide Form-A Dated 17/11/2025 regarding ( i) C/o CC step at Bodo GPC, (Amount 55.38 lakhs) and (ii) C/o Fish Pond at Venia (Amount 55.38 lakhs).
- 2). The 1<sup>st</sup> hearing was held on 12<sup>th</sup> May' 2026. Shri Yagam Marde, PIO -cum-BDO, CD Block Sawa, East Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, had left for Aalo to attend the Hangpang Dada Football tournament, he was represented by Shri Chegu Yangfo, Account CD Block Sawa, East Kameng District through online video conference. The Appellant Shri Abang Yangfo was present in person in the court.
- 3). During the 1<sup>st</sup> hearing, the Commission admonished the representative of the PIO and directed him to apprise the PIO that the statutory duty took priority over other commitments. Non compliance of the Court's summon is tantamount to contempt of court, for which penal provisions under the RTI Act 2005 could be invoked. The PIO was cautioned not to repeat such act of negligence in future.
- 4). The Commission, under section 7(6) of the RTI Act had directed the PIO to furnish all the available information to the Appellant free of cost within fifteen days from the date of issue of this order dated 12<sup>th</sup> May'2026.
- 5). The Commission also asked the Appellant to intimate his satisfaction or dissatisfaction after receipt of information.

6). The Appellant vide letter dated 01/06/2026 informed the Commission that the PIO had not furnished information and appealed for a date of hearing.

7). The Commission, giving reasonable opportunity to the PIO decided to fix a date of hearing.

8). **The next date of hearing is fixed on 11<sup>th</sup> August'2026 (Tuesday) at 11.00 AM.**

9). **Therefore**, Shri Yagam Marde, PIO -cum-BDO, CD Block Sawa, East Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, is hereby summoned to appear before this Court in person or through Video Conferencing on the scheduled date and time without fail.

10). Take notice that in case of default in appearing on the day of hearing mentioned above, the appeal will be heard and determined ex-parte and penalty under section 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 shall be invoked. In case the Appellant remains absent the case would be disposed of.

**N.B:** - PIO and Appellant can avail online mode of hearing by downloading "Webex App" from Google Play store. May contact **Shri Himanshu Verma** at **Mob:- 8319014957** for further technical assistance.

**Order copies be issued to all the parties.**

Sd/-

[Major General Jarken Gamlin, AVSM, SM, VSM (Retd)],  
State Chief Information Commissioner  
Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission

Itanagar

**Dated, Itanagar the 11 June' 2026**

**Memo No.APIC-291/A/2026** /497

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1. The FAA-cum-Deputy Commissioner, Seppa, East Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN- 790102, to ensure attendance of Shri Yagam Marde, PIO -cum-BDO, CD Block Sawa, East Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, before the Hon'ble Court of State Chief Information Commissioner, APIC, Itanagar.
2. Shri Yagam Marde, PIO -cum-BDO, CD Block Sawa, East Kameng District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN- 790102 for compliance.
3. Shri Abang Yangfo and Shri John Bagang, C/o Raja Biswas Cyber, Model Village, Near Govt Hr. Secondary School Naharlagun, Papum Pare District, Arunachal Pradesh, PIN- 791112, (m) 8257072299 for compliance.
4. Computer Programmer, APIC, Itanagar, to upload in APIC Website.
5. Case file.

Registrar / Dy. Registrar

Arunachal Pradesh Information Commission

Deputy Registrar

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