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File No: SIC/J/A/112/2013 Decision SIC/J/A/112/2013/220

Sh. Onkar Singh

Appelllant

Present

Sh. Rajeev Magotra
Dy. PRO
O/o PRO, Jammu.`

Sh. Ram Lal Sharma
Tehsildar Assistant,
Custodian Evacuee Property,
Samba

Jammu 30-07-2013

Briefly the facts in this appeal are that Sh. Onkar Singh S/o Sh. Swaran Singh R/o H. No. 50, Govindpura Peer Baba Road, Satwari, P.O Satwari Tehsil and District Jammu moved an application dated 15-02-2013 under J&K RTI Act, 2009 before the PIO O/o Custodian Evacuee Property department, Jammu seeking the following information:-

1. Provide the copy of Form Alif of Displaced person 1947 namely Raghubir Singh S/o Sh. Attar Singh R/o Bodh Bhaian, Tehsil Bagh Poonch (POK) settled at Village Bagh Marh Tehsil and District Jammu and Darshan Singh S/o Sh. Raghubir Singh R/o Bagh Marh and District Samba. Provide the information how much land has been

- allotted to family or displaced person Raghubir Singh till date and for how much he was entitled.
- 2. Provide the information regarding the status report of allotted land to the displaced Person namely Raghubir Singh S/o Sh. Attar Singh and his son Darshan Singh S/o Sh. Raghubir Singh R/o Bodh Bhaian, Tehsil Bagh Poonch (POK) settled at Village Bagh Marh and Chhanni Movian, Tehsil and District Jammu and in village Salmeri Tehsil and District Samba vide order No. 153/A-P dated 11-06-1991 and order No. 187-89/2002.
- 3. Provide the information for which purposes the payment vide Ch. No. 7209503 dated 30-03-2002 and Ch. No. 256743 dated 03-12-2009 from the office of the P.R.O Jammu was released in favour of Darshan Singh S/o Sh. Raghubir Singh R/o Marh Bagh, Tehsil and District Jammu. If the same has been released in lieu of deficiency then provide the information for how much land (deficient) has been fulfilled by the payment released through above mentioned cheques.
- 4. Provide certified copy of affidavit sworn by Darshan Singh S/o late Raghubir singh R/o Marh, Bagh Tehsil and district Jammu on the stamp paper No.L425144 and submitted in the office of PRO, Jammu.

After receiving the application of the information seeker, Custodian Evacuee Property, Jammu furnished the information containing 6 leaves vide office letter No:PRO/2012-13/842 dated 18-3-2013. However, the information seeker was not satisfied with the information provided to him and preferred Ist appeal dated 26-03-2013 before the Custodian General. The Dy. Custodian Central informed the information seeker vide office letter No:CG(EP)/2013/Reader dated 04-01-2013 that the nature of information sought by you under RTI Act, 2009 pertains to Provincial Rehabilitation Officer (PRO) which is under direct control of Administrative Department and further informed the information seeker to get the said requisite information from the concerned quarter accordingly under rules. Thus feeling aggrieved of the aforesaid order, the information seeker filed

second appeal before the Commission on 10-05-2013. The matter was listed for hearing on 15-07-2013. During the course of proceedings held on that day Sh. Balwant Singh, Naib Tehsildar O/o PRO Jammu informed the Commission that order No:153/AP dated 11-06-1991 is not available in the office of PRO Jammu and requested that the applicant be advised to approach the office of Custodian Evacuee Property Jammu for the same. The matter was again listed for hearing on 30-07-2013. Sh. Rajeev Magotra Dy. PRO O/o of PRO Jammu appeared before the Commission and requested the Commission that the direction be issued to the Custodian Evacuee Property Jammu to trace the aforesaid order No: 153/AP dated 11-06-1991 and furnish the information to the information seeker.

The Tehsildar Asstt., Custodian Evacuee Property, Samba also furnished some information pertaining to his office vide No:06/LRA dated 20-07-2013. The said information has been brought on record for reference. Thus only point relating to which information required is order No: 153/AP dated 11-06-1991 which deals with the status report of the allotted land to the displaced persons namely Raghubir Singh S/o Sh. Attar Singh and his son Sh. Darshan Singh S/o Raghubir Singh R/o Bodh Bhaian, Tehsil Bagh Poonch (POK) in Village Bagh Marh and Chhanni Movian, Tehsil and District Jammu. In view of the aforesaid facts, PIO/Custodian Evacuee Property Jammu is hereby directed to furnish the certified copies of the aforesaid order to the information seeker within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order under an intimation to the Commission.

The appeal is accordingly disposed of.

Notice of this decision be given free of cost to the parties.

Sd/-Dr. S.K. Sharma
State Information Commissioner

Copy to:

- 1. The First Appellate Authority/Custodian, Evacuee Property, Jammu.
- 2. Public Information Officer / Tehsildar Asstt., Custodian Evacuee Property, Samba.
- 3. Dy. Provincial Rehabilitation Officer, Jammu.
- 4. Sh. Onkar Singh S/o Sh. Swaran Singh R/o H. No. 50, Govindpura Peer Baba Road, Satwari, P.O Satwari, Tehsil and District Jammu.

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Dy. Registrar,
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