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File No: SIC-J-A-169/2013
Decision No: SIC-J-A/169/2013/236

Sh. Ashok Kumar Dass	Appellant	Present
Smt. Veena Pandita Joint Secretary, Board of School Education, Jammu.	PIO	Absent

Jammu
23-08-2013

Briefly the facts in this appeal are that Sh. Ashok Kumar Dass R/o Imperial Apartments, F-2 Block-IIInd, Section 1A-Ext. Channi Himmat, Jammu moved an application dated 31-05-2013 under J&K RTI Act, 2009 before the PIO J&K BOSE Department, Rehari Colony, Jammu seeking certain information regarding evaluation of answer books of 11th class private candidates in Physical Education subject under CCE scheme.

In her counter statement filed before the Commission, the PIO vide No:F(Info-Cell)JD/B/2013 dated 23-07-2013 informed the Commission that the case of the information seeker falls under CCE scheme which is dealt with by the concerned school itself and the appellant was replied vide office No: F(Info-Cell)JD/B/2013/496 dated 20-05-2013 to approach the concerned department/institution to which the information actually pertained.

The information seeker had also filed appeal before the FAA i.e Secretary, J&K Board of School Education Jammu who directed the PIO to inform the appellant that the information sought by him can be had from the concerned school as it does not pertain to the office of Board of School Education Jammu and accordingly, the PIO conveyed the said information to the appellant. The PIO requested the Commission telephonically that she is in Srinagar office of Board of School Education and is thus unable to attend the hearing today and sought exemption from personal appearance. Her request being genuine is thus allowed. During the course of proceedings the appellant submitted before the Commission that the Principal of Govt. Girls Higher Secondary School Kundoli, Nagrota denied him the evaluation work of Term IInd examination of Physical Education Paper of private candidates. Perusal of of the RTI application of the information seeker shows that it is more of the nature of a complaint against the said school and its functioning rather than acquiring information under RTI Act, 2009. In view of the aforesaid facts, the appellant is hereby advised to approach the appropriate Forum by lodging complaint for redressal of his grievances if any.

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

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1. First Appellate Authority / Secretary, J&K Board of School Education.
2. Public Information Officer /Jt. Secretary, J&K Board of School Education.
3. Sh. Ashok Kumar Dass R/o Imperial Apartments, F-2 Block-IIInd, Section 1A-Ext. Channi Himmat, Jammu.

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