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Decision No: SIC/J/A/279/ 2013/365

Smt. Asha Sharma	Appellant	Present
Sh. Ram Lal Sharma Tehsildar, Samba. Jammu 26-11-2013	APIO	Present

Briefly the facts in this appeal are that Smt. Asha Sharma R/o H. No. 29 C/C Gandhi Nagar, Jammu moved an application dated 12-08-2013 before the PIO office of Tehsildar, Samba under J&K RTI Act, 2009 whereunder she sought information regarding sale purchase of land by the Co-share holders of Nonath, Tehsil Samba showing the kind of land, Khasra No., Khewat No. and measurement etc. from 1955 to 12-08-2013 or as per its availability in the office record upto 12-08-2013.

The Tehsildar, Samba vide office No:OQ/RTI/527 dated 4-10-2013 furnished the information as provided by the Field staff to the information seeker. However, the information seeker was not satisfied with the information provided to her. Thus, feeling aggrieved, she filed Ist appeal dated 14-10-2013 before Dy. Commissioner, Samba. In her second appeal before the Commission, the appellant has alleged that she appeared before Dy. Commissioner, Samba on 14-10-2013 and was assured that information will be provided to her on 19-10-2013 but only incomplete information has been provided by Tehsildar Samba.

After receiving the second appeal, the matter was listed for hearing on 26-11-2013 at Jammu office of the Commission. During the course of proceedings, the Tehsildar, Samba apprised the Commission that the information sought by the appellant is voluminous in nature and requires a big exercise for generating the entire information which will disproportionately divert the resources of the public authority having a meager staff at its

disposal and as such it is not manually possible to prepare/create the information. The Tehsildar, Samba further requested the Commission that in case, the appellant is interested in inspecting the record, she may be allowed an opportunity to do the same in his office and that will be more feasible in the given circumstances.

Keeping in view the submissions made by Tehsildar Samba, it is hereby ordered that appellant may be allowed an opportunity to inspect the record in the office of Tehsildar, Samba on a working day during office hours and she may be provided the certified copies of the relevant documents if any required by her on payment of requisite fee as prescribed under revenue laws. The Tehsildar, Samba is directed to complete this exercise within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order under an intimation to the Commission. The appellant is advised to approach the office of Tehsildar, Samba and settle the date and time for inspection of record which may be convenient to both the parties.

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. The First Appellate Authority/Dy. Commissioner, Samba.
2. The Asstt.Public Information Officer /Tehsildar ,Samba.
3. Smt. Asha Sharma R/o H. No. 29 C/C Gandhi Nagar, Jammu.

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