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Sh. Karan Bijyal
Representative of
Smt. Nirmla Devi

Appellant Present

Sh. Wasim Raja,
Block Development Officer,
Bhagwah.

PIO Present

Jammu.
04.04.2013

Briefly the facts in this appeal are that Smt. Nirmla Devi W/o Sh. Mast Raj R/o Pandoon (Ganika) District Doda moved an application dated 04-09-2012 under the J&K RTI Act, 2009 before the PIO/ Block Development Officer, Bhagwah seeking the following information:-

- 1. Detailed record of unskilled/skilled muster Roll sheet/invoices work wise of Pyt Ganika, issue certified copy.*
- 2. Detailed record of material with vociner to be paid the beneficiaries with invoices /cheque.*
- 3. Detailed record of cement issued work wise detail with indent copy.*
- 4. Detailed record of Job card list of Pyt. Ganika latest.*
- 5. Total detailed record of THL Bathroom sanctioned in Pyt Ganika and paid payment to beneficiaries issue copy of invoices and also sanction list.*
- Physical and Financial report of Ganika Pyt under MGNREGA.*
- 6. Detailed record of CDF of MLC Doda of Pyt. Ganika from 2009 to 7/2012.*

After receiving the application of the information seeker, the Block Development Officer, Bhagwah/PIO requested her to deposit an amount of Rs.1000/- as photostat charges vide office letter No:BD0B/2012-2013/2632-

34 dated 06-09-2012. As the applicant was unable to pay an amount of Rs.1000/- as photostat charges, she personally visited the office of BDO/PIO and desired to see and verify the original record/information in question. Her request was considered by the BDO and she was allowed the facility and assistance to access the record. After going through the information desired, applicant submitted a statement dated 11-09-2012 regarding information/records seen by her personally in the office of BDO Bhagwah.

During the course of proceedings, the BDO/PIO submitted a letter bearing No:BDOB/RTI/2012-13/13020-22 dated 29-03-2013 alongwith enclosures. The aforesaid letter alongwith enclosures is placed in the file for reference and record. However, representative of the information seeker Sh. Karan Bijyal requested the commission that he should be given an opportunity to access the record in the office of BDO Bhagwah as his mother is illiterate and thus could not properly access the information.

Keeping in view the request of Sh. Karan Bijyal representative of the information seeker, the BDO Bhagwah/PIO is hereby directed to allow him an opportunity to access the record on 16th and 17th of April, 2013 during office hours and in case he desires any photostat copy of the documents that may be furnished to him free of cost.

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. Ist Appellate Authority / Director, Rural Development Department Jammu.
2. Public Information Officer/ Block Development Officer,
Bhagwah.
3. Smt. Nirmla Devi W/o Sh. Mast Raj R/o Pandoon (Ganika) District Doda.

(M.S Shah)
Registrar,
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