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No. NIC/Appeal-10/2017-18

Dated Kohima, the 24th April, 2018

Subject: Closing Order of Appeal Case.

WHEREAS, under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005, and in accordance to the Nagaland State Information Commission (Appeal procedure) Rules, 2005, the Nagaland Information Commission had received a second appeal dated 15.07.2016 (in Hindi) from Shri. Ranjit Kumar, VPO-Ekangar Dih Dist. Nalanda, Bihar-801301 which was transferred from the Central Information Commission, New Delhi vide Diary No. 162574/2016 dated 29.12.2016, enclosing the RTI application dated 21.04.2016 (in Hindi) and the first appeal dated NIL (in Hindi).

AND WHEREAS, on receipt from the Central Information Commission, New Delhi, the Nagaland Information Commission had translated the second appeal, first appeal and RTI application into English.

AND WHEREAS, the applicant, Shri. Ranjit Kumar had submitted an RTI application dated 21.04.2016 (in Hindi) addressed to the PIO, Senior Superintendent of Police, Dimapur, Nagaland requesting as to whether *'the permanent address of sepoy Hokoto Sumi S/o Ushato Sumi, Village Luzeto, Post-Khusoto, Dimapur 797112 had been verified by A.C.P, Dimapur in 2003 or not and the address which was verified by Police department is true or false?'*

AND WHEREAS, on not getting any response to his RTI application dated 21.04.2016 from the PIO, Senior Superintendent of Police, Dimapur, Nagaland, the applicant had submitted a first appeal dated NIL to the First Appellate Authority & Senior Superintendent of Police, Dimapur, Nagaland.

AND WHEREAS, on not getting any response from the First Appellate Authority to his first appeal dated NIL, the applicant (now appellant) had preferred a second appeal dated 15.07.2016 before the Central Information Commission, New Delhi.

AND WHEREAS, the Central Information Commission, New Delhi had, vide Diary No. 162574/2016 dated 29.12.2016 transferred the second appeal to this Commission, since the matter pertained to the State of Nagaland.

AND WHEREAS, on receipt of the second appeal dated 15.07.2016 from the Central Information Commission, New Delhi, the Commission had observed that the applicant (now appellant) had wrongly submitted his first appeal to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Dimapur, Nagaland instead of submitting to the Director General of Police & FAA, Police Headquarters, Nagaland, Kohima.

AND WHEREAS, the Commission had vide letter of even No. dated 29.08.2017 advised the applicant (now appellant) to submit his first appeal before the appropriate/rightful First Appellate Authority i.e., the Director General of Police & FAA, Police Headquarters, Nagaland, Kohima and further in case of non-response or unsatisfactory decision of the First Appellate Authority to his first appeal within 30-45 days on receipt of the first appeal, a second appeal may be preferred to this Commission under Section 19(3) of the RTI Act, 2005.

AND WHEREAS, though sufficient time had lapsed, since there is no response from the applicant (now appellant) till date, the Commission had decided to close the appeal case.

NOW THEREFORE, it is notified to all the parties that the appeal case is hereby declared as **closed**.

1. The Director General of Police & FAA, Police Headquarters, Nagaland, Kohima.
2. The concerned PIO, Senior Superintendent of Police, Dimapur, Nagaland.
3. The applicant (now appellant), Shri. Ranjit Kumar, Nalanda, Bihar.

Sd/-

CHANBEMO LOTHIA

Chief Information Commissioner

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1. The PPS to the Chief Information Commissioner, Nagaland Information Commission for kind information of the CIC.
2. The PA to the State Information Commissioner (K), Nagaland Information Commission for kind information of the SIC (K).
3. The PA to the State Information Commissioner (R), Nagaland Information Commission for kind information of the SIC (R).
4. The Director General of Police & FAA, Police Headquarters, Nagaland, Kohima.
5. The concerned PIO, Senior Superintendent of Police, Dimapur, Nagaland.
6. The applicant (now appellant), Shri. Ranjit Kumar, VPO-Ekangar Dih Dist. Nalanda, Bihar-801301.
7. The Computer Programmer, Nagaland Information Commission for uploading on the Commission's website and Notice Board.
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