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AGRI-FARM COLONY, LANE-6, H/NO. AFC-578
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No.NIC/Appeal-2/2021-22

Dated Kohima, the 27th July, 2021

Subject: Notice for Hearing on 11th August, 2021 (Wednesday) at 1:00 P.M.

WHEREAS, the Commission had received a Second Appeal addressed to the SIC, Nagaland, Kohima dated *NIL* from Shri. Thingkeli Sangtam, Shri. Aso Naga and Shri. Athrong Naga, M/No. 7005273521 / 8014896443 / 8974155311 for unsatisfactory information furnished to his their application vide Addl. Director & PIO letter *NO.DRD/ME/RTI-24/2019-20* dated **26.02.2021** and subsequent outcome of the First Appeal Hearing conducted on **30.04.2021 at 12:00 P.M** at the Directorate of Rural Development.

AND WHEREAS, the applicants(now appellants), Shri. Thingkeli Sangtam, Shri. Aso Naga and Shri. Athrong Naga had initially submitted an RTI application dated **29.01.2021 received on 02.02.2021** addressed to the PIO, Directorate of Rural Development, Nagaland, Kohima seeking the following information:

1. *Detail information of fund sanctions during 2019-2020 under MGNREGA from Central Government Ministry of Rural Development to the State of Nagaland including sanction order;*
2. *Detail information of fund distributed for Director, District and Block Level including cash payment receipt. Utilization Certificate and sanction order as per year wise (sequence) under the above mentioned fund;*
3. *No. of working days fund release under MGNREGA for the year 2019 to 2020 with detail sanction order and UC (Utilization Certificate).*

AND WHEREAS, on not receipt of the above mentioned RTI application, Smti. Liboni Humtsoe, Addl. Director & PIO had vide letter *NO.DRD/ME/RTI-24/2019-20* dated **26.02.2021** furnished the information as sought to the applicants (now appellants), Shri. Thingkeli Sangtam, Shri. Aso Naga and Shri. Athrong Naga. However, on not being satisfied, the applicants had vide letter *No. NIL* dated **24.03.2021** submitted the First Appeal addressed to the First Appellate Authority, Department of Rural Development, Nagaland, Kohima.

AND WHEREAS, in response to the first Appeal dated 24.03.2021, Smti. Liboni Humtsoe, Director & FAA issued *Notice for Hearing vide Letter No. DRD/ME/RTI AA-10/2020-21 dated 22.04.2021 to be heard on 30.04.2021 (Friday) at 12:00 PM* at the Director's Office, Directorate of rural Development. Accordingly, after hearing the parties i.e., the applicant (now appellant) and the PIO/APIO concerned, the FAA had vide Order *NO.DRD/RTI-AA-10/2020-21* dated **30.04.2021** passed the decision/order stating that, reasons for furnishing incomplete information was due to oversight while compiling besides other reasons and directed the respondents to furnish the information *within 15 (fifteen) days i.e. on or before 15th May, 2021*.

AND WHEREAS, since the Commission is not satisfied and convinced with the above decision / order of the FAA, the Commission has decided to hear the above mentioned appeal giving opportunity of being heard to all the parties on **11th August, 2021 (Wednesday) at 1:00 P.M** in the **Hearing Room of Nagaland Information Commission, Agri-farm Colony, Lane-6, H/No. AFC/578, Nagaland, Kohima.**

NOW THEREFORE, the following parties are directed to appear before this Commission and **also to bring the files and relevant documents** in question for scrutiny on the above date and time for hearing. The following under mentioned officials are requested to attend the hearing with preventive measures such as wearing of face mask and social distancing etc. ***Only 2 (two) persons from each party will be allowed with strict protocol;***

1. Smti. Liboni Humtsoe, Director & First Appellate Authority, Directorate of Rural Development, Nagaland, Kohima-797001.
2. Smti. Azenuo Pienyii, Addl. Director & PIO, Directorate of Rural Development, Nagaland, Kohima-797001.
3. Shri. K. Neibou Sekhose, Joint Director & APIO, Directorate of Rural Development Department, Nagaland, Kohima-797001.
4. The applicants (now appellants), Shri. Thinkeli Sangtam, Shri. Aso Naga and Shri. Athrong Naga, M/No. 7005273521 / 8014896443 / 8974155311.

Sd/-

KEVIZATUO MIACHIEO

State Information Commissioner

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3. Smti. Liboni Humtsoe, Director & First Appellate Authority, Directorate of Rural Development, Nagaland, Kohima-797001.
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6. The applicants (now appellants), Shri. Thinkeli Sangtam, Shri. Aso Naga and Shri. Athrong Naga, M/No. 7005273521 / 8014896443 / 8974155311.
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