

NAGALAND INFORMATION COMMISSION AGRI-FARM COLONY, LANE-6, H/NO. AFC-587 NAGALAND, KOHIMA-797001

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No. NIC/APPEAL-6/2022-23

Dated Kohima, the 07th June, 2022

Subject: Notice for Hearing on 22nd June, 2022 (Wednesday) at 11:30 A.M.

WHEREAS, the Commission had received a Second Appeal dated *27.05.2022* addressed to the Chief Information Commission, Nagaland, Kohima from Shri. Odi Jamir and Shri. S.T. Yapang Lkr, RTI Initiative Nagaland, H. No. LA-734, Block-C, Lower Agri Colony, Kohima-797001, Nagaland, *M/No. 9612800973 / 9856714829* for non-response of the PIO, Land Resources Department, Mokokchung, Nagaland and subsequent First Appeal to the Director & FAA, Land Resources Department, Nagaland, Kohima.

AND WHEREAS, the applicants (now appellants), Shri. Odi Jamir and Shri. S.T. Yapang Lkr, had submitted an RTI application dated 06.01.2022 (received by the Department on 12.01.2022) along with an application fee of Rs. 10/- in cash, addressed to the PIO, Office of the Project Director, Land Resources Department, Mokokchung, Nagaland (written in Ao dialect and translated in English by the Office), seeking the following information in regard to PMKSY-WDC, IWMP, Coffee and any other Schemes or Projects that are implemented under Mokokchung District w.e.f. 01.04.2015 till date:

- 1. Amount sanctioned / Xerox copy of Release Order from the Directorate of Land Resources (Coffee Board of India) to the Mokokchung District.
- 2. Xerox copy of Utilization Certificate (UC) of the Amount Sanctioned / Release Order from the Directorate of Land Resources (Coffee Board of India) to the Mokokchung District.
- 3. In case the Coffee Board and above mentioned projects are not implemented by the Project Director, LRD, Mokokchung, kindly transfer the relevant portion of the RTI application under Section 6 (3) of the RTI Act, 2005 to the concern Department.
- 4. If the information sought for is more than 200 page, kindly furnish the information in Soft copy (CD).

AND WHEREAS, on not receiving any information as sought from the PIO, the applicants (now appellants) had submitted the First Appeal dated 02.03.2022 (received on the same date) to the Director & FAA, Land Resources department, Nagaland, Kohima – 797001.

AND WHEREAS, on receipt of the above mentioned Appeal, the Director & FAA had issued a directive to the District Project Officer & PIO, Land Resources Department to furnish the information as sought at the earliest vide letter *No. DOLR/RTI-1/2020 dated* 15.03.2022.

AND WHEREAS, even after a lapse of 2(two) months and 11(eleven) days since the letter No. DOLR/RTI-1/2020 dated 15.03.2022 was issued, the information was not furnished nor any intimation from the public authority, the applicants (now appellants) has submitted the Second Appeal to the Commission with request for intervention under the RTI Act, 2005.

AND WHEREAS, since the applicants (now appellants) have not received any information till date inspite of the FAA's direction, the Commission has decided to hear the above mentioned appeal giving opportunity of being heard to all the parties on 22nd June, 2022 (Wednesday) at 11:30 A.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, with preventive measures such as wearing of face mask and social distancing etc.

- 1. The Director & First Appellate Authority, Directorate of Land Resources, Nagaland, Kohima-797001.
- 2. The Project Officer & PIO, Land Resources Department, Mokokchung- 798601, Nagaland.
- 3. The applicants (now appellants), Shri. Odi Jamir and Shri. S.T. Yapang Lkr, RTI Initiative Nagaland, H. No. LA-734, Block-C, Lower Agri Colony, Kohima-797001, Nagaland, *M/No.* 9612800973 / 9856714829.

Sd/-

I.MEYIONEN JAMIR

Chief Information Commissioner **Dated Kohima**, the 07th June, 2022

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- 1. The PS to the Chief Information Commissioner, Nagaland Information Commission for kind information of the CIC.
- 2. The PA to the State Information Commissioner (R), Nagaland Information Commission for kind information of the SIC (R).
- 3. The Director & First Appellate Authority, Directorate of Land Resources, Nagaland, Kohima-797001.
- 4. The Project Officer & PIO, Land Resources Department, Mokokchung- 798601, Nagaland.
- 5. The applicants (now appellants), Shri. Odi Jamir and Shri. S.T. Yapang Lkr, RTI Initiative Nagaland, H. No. LA-734, Block-C, Lower Agri Colony, Kohima-797001, Nagaland, *M/No.* 9612800973 / 9856714829.
- 6. The Computer Programmer, Nagaland Information Commission for uploading on the website and Notice Board.
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Secretary Nagaland Information Commission