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RTI MATTER
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1st July 2013

To,
Shri Santosh Bhogle
First Appellate Authority RTI Cell
Information Facilitation Centre,
Chief Minister's Office,
State of Maharashtra,
7th floor, Annexe, Mantralaya,
Mumbai 400 032

Sub : **Unacceptable delayed replies in RTI Matter Application dated 28.03.2013**

Dear Shri Santosh Bhogle

Please note at the outset :

1. You have not responded to my RTI query dated 28.03.2013 sent by **RPAD within 30 days** (annexure 1)
2. I sent an appeal to First Appellate dated **14.05.2013 by RPAD** reminding you about **your failure / lapse** and attaching my said RTI application (annexure 2)
3. This envelope was sent back to me **unopened**. After receiving it, I sent it back by RPAD with a covering letter dated **18.05.2013 by RPAD**. Copy was also sent to CMO. (annexure 3)
4. To this, CPIO ref. no. 7613/45682/K-39/09 dated **27.05.2013 sent by ordinary post** asking me to appear for a personally on **03.06.2013**. This letter reached me on **24.06.2013 (21 days after the hearing was fixed arbitrarily)** (annexure 4) Although in my RTI application itself I have mentioned that since I live in Pune, you need to tell me the amount I have to remit as per the specific information I have asked for (see RTI application). Kindly read my application (annexure 1) carefully.
5. **CMO letter ref.no. 77658 /13 / CMO (Tapal) dated 18.06.2013** to your office asking you to give the required information under section 6(3) of the RTI Act 2005. I received a **copy on from CMO on 27.06.2013 sent by ordinary post**. (annexure 5)
6. On **28.06.2013** I received within reasonable time another letter ref.no.7613 / 846/K-39/09 dated **25.06.2013, despatched by speed-post** informing me that I should personally come to look for the required information. And attaching a **copy of letter dated 10.04.2013 of the original letter which has not reached me till date because it was sent through ordinary post**. (annexure 6)

In response, I state the following :

- a. When I have specifically stated the mode of dispatch as speed-post in my RTI application, why have you repeatedly used ordinary post ? Refer to RTI Act 2005 u/s 7 (1) on expeditious provision of information.

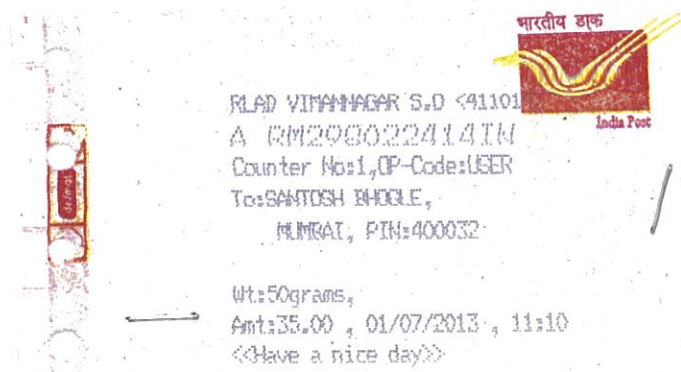
- b. I have sent the RTI application in English, so it is obvious (as also specifically in my application) that I want the reply in English. Yet replies from your office are repeatedly sent in Marathi. Refer to RTI Act 2005 u/s 6 (1) on language.
- c. When I have specifically stated that I live in Pune, why should you ask me to come to Mumbai to look for the documents when I have specifically listed which ones I require.
- d. Finally, RTI Act 2005 u/s 5 (3) has emphasized that reasonable assistance should be rendered to person / s seeking information. This is certainly not the case with your office.
- e. I have taken care to provide both email id and mobile number, so the CPIO should have been discerning enough to contact me through those channels

After analyzing all the replies sent by your office, it is concluded that the information is either not available with the State of Maharashtra, although it is the loudest and largest proponent of UID number. Or it is being made difficult for me to receive the information.

Hence, I am giving you another opportunity to send the required information u/s 6(1) latest on or before 10th July 2013. If I do not get the requested information, documents, files u/s 2 (i) of the RTI Act 2005, I shall exercise the option and reserve the right to approach the State Information Commissioner.

Thank you

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