

No.CPPRI/Dir/AA/248/2017/
Date: May 2, 2017

Name of Appellant: Shri B.B.Chhetri,
Assistant,
CPPRI,
Saharanpur

Name of Respondent: Dr.B.P.Thapliyal
Scientist-F & Public Information Officer
Central Pulp & Paper Research Institute
Saharanpur

Date of Hearing: May 2, 2017

Date of Decision: May 2, 2017

Presence:

Appellant : Shri B.B.Chhetri, Assistant, CPPRI, Saharanpur
PIO : Dr.B.P.Thapliyal, Scientist-F & PIO
Shri A.K.Saxena, AO
Shri Y.K.Sharma, SO

Hearing:

Appellant and Respondents both appeared before the FAA personally and made the submissions at length on 2.5.17. Dr. B.P.Thapliyal, Public Information Officer, Central Pulp & Paper Research Institute, Saharanpur presented the case.

Brief relevant facts:

Shri B.B.Chhetri, Assistant, CPPRI, Saharanpur, the appellant, vide his application dated 20.2.17 sought RTI information from the respondent. RTI Application dated 20.2.17 was sent to Administrative Office, CPPRI, Saharanpur by the Public Information Officer vide letter dated 20.2.17 for providing necessary information/certified copies of documents as sought by the applicant. The information received from the Administrative Office, CPPRI was made available to Shri Shri B.B.Chhetri vide AO letter No.CPPRI/P/RTI/248/(17)/ dated 17.3.17.

Dissatisfying with the reply of Public Information Officer, Shri B.B.Chhetri submitted an appeal to the First Appellate Authority, CPPRI vide his application dated 6.4.17.

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Investigation & Decision:

It is mentioned that Admn.Officer, vide his response letter No.CPPRI/P/RTI/248/(17)/ dated 17.3.17, not provided the required information to the appellant by stating as, " Reply to Point No.1 ,2 and 3-The case is under process and the screening has not yet been finalized".

FAA posed nos. of query to PIO and AO in this regard and said that respondent has not provided categorical information.

In view of the above, the respondents are hereby directed to provide the complete and categorical information issue-wise, to the appellant as per his RTI application within 10 days from the date of receipt of this order under intimation to FAA.

With this remarks the Appeal is disposed of.

R. Tandon
5/5/17
(Rita Tandon)

Director Incharge & Appellate Authority
Central Pulp & Paper Research Institute
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