

BEFORE THE ORISSA INFORMATION COMMISSION  
BHUBANESWAR



Present: Hon'ble Shri D.N.Padhi, SCIC  
and  
Shri Jagadananda, SIC

Date: 9<sup>th</sup> April, 2009

Complaint Case No. 934 /2007

Bijaya Kumar Panda,  
At/PO-Kairi-752104,.....Complainant  
Via-Pipli,  
Puri district.

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Public Information Officer,  
Deputy Secretary,  
Department of Industries,  
Government of Orissa,  
Secretariat,  
Bhubaneswar.....Opposite Party

Decision

1. Complainant Bijaya Kumar Panda is absent. The same is condoned under Rule 9 (2) of the Orissa Information Commission ( Appeal Procedure) Rules, 2006. Raghunath Mohanty, PIO-cum-Deputy Secretary to Government, Industries Department, Government of Orissa, Secretariat, Bhubaneswar is present. Heard. Perused the case record. This case arises out of complaint petition dated 21/11/07 and heard by the State Commission earlier on 12/03/08 and 21/08/08.
2. The Complainant in form A application dated 25/09/07 filed with the PIO, Industries Department, Government of Orissa, Secretariat, Bhubaneswar had sought several items of information relating to private professional educational institutions in the State. The


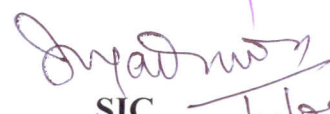
information query is annexed to form A application which are on record.

3. On 12/03/08, the PIO had submitted that he received the said application on 26/09/07 and intimated the Complainant vide letter no.15593 dated 15/10/07 to deposit Rs.67/- (including postal charges) towards cost of providing information. The Complainant deposited the cost on 08/11/07 and information was supplied on 14/11/07. The Complainant alleged that the information supplied to him was incomplete. He had not received the information on items B,C and D and he alleged that PIO has charged excess amount towards providing the information, which had been supplied balatedly.
4. After hearing the parties, the State Commission on 12/03/08 directed the PIO to provide the balance information to the Complainant within 7 days , free of cost, through registered post and report compliance to the State Commission through the Registrar. On 21/08/08, the Complainant confirmed that he had received all the information on 15/03/08.
5. In view of the above facts and circumstances and as there was no initial delay, the case is disposed of and closed with no orders on penalty.

**Pronounced in open proceedings**

Given under the hand and seal of the State Commission, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2009.



  
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