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Appeal No.CIC/YA/A/2016/001356

Appellant:
Shahid Mohammed Khalid
371, Yar Mohd plot, Char Null. Jawahar Nagar,
Santacruz, East Mumbai 400055

Respondent:
Central Public Information Officer
CAO (P), Bhabha Atomic Research Centre,
Central Complex, 3rd Floor, BARC Road,
Trombay, Mumbai-400085

Date of Hearing:
23.02.2017
Date of Decision:
23.02.2017

ORDER

Facts:
1. The appellant filed RTI application dated 14.07.2015 seeking information on 4 points regarding copy of service record of Shri Shahid Ali Khan working as a technician in SIRD Division of BARC etc.

2. The CPIO responded on 27.07.2015. The appellant filed first appeal dated 10.08.2015 before the first appellate authority (FAA). The FAA responded on 10.09.2015. The appellant filed second appeal to the Commission on 29.01.2016 on the ground that information should be provided to him.

Hearing:

3. The appellant and the respondent participated in the hearing.
4. The appellant stated that he has been provided unsatisfactory reply. The appellant stated that the employee about whom the information is sought is a public servant. Thus, the sought for information cannot be covered under section 8(1) (j) of the RTI Act. The appellant stated that the employee about whom the information is sought has suppressed the material information of a criminal case against him.

5. The respondent stated that the information request by the appellant relates to personal information of the employee concerned and the disclosure of which has no relationship to any public activity or interest. The respondent stated that the disclosure of the information would cause unwarranted invasion of the privacy of the individual. The respondent stated that the sought for information is exempted under section 8(1) (j) of the RTI Act.

Discussion/ observation:

6. On query from the Commission, the respondent stated that they have complied with the section 4 of the RTI Act. The Commission observes that in the light of section 4 of the RTI Act, the date of joining and posting details of the employee can be disclosed.

Decision:

7. The respondent is directed to provide information provide to the appellant the date of joining and posting details of Shri Shahid Ali Khan, within 30 days of this order.

The appeal is disposed of. Copy of the order be given to the parties free of cost.

(Radha Krishna Mathur)
Chief Information Commissioner

Authenticated true copy

(S.C. Sharma)
Dy. Registrar