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# Appeal No. CIC/YA/A/2016/001891

Appellant:

S S Sonwalkar,

137-A, MIG-A, Dr. A S Rao Nagar,

Hyderabad-500062

Respondent:

Central Public Information Officer,

Chief Admn. Officer (A),

Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, CAO (A),

Central Complex, 3rd Floor, BARC,

Trombay, Mumbai-400085.

Date of Hearing:

20.03.2017

Dated of Decision:

20.03.2017

# ORDER

#### Facts:

- 1. The appellant filed RTI application dated 30.10.2015, seeking certified copies of the circulars viz (i) Memorandum No. E IV/64/67/396 dated 20.01.1967, (ii) Memorandum No. Est IV/61(6)/67/2390 dated 01.03.1967, and (ii) O.M. No. DS (H) Elec./11/67/2346 dated 27.04.1967, issued by AEET/BARC, Trombay, Bombay in 1967 and also information regarding transfer of employees from BARC (which was then a part of the Dept. of Atomic Energy) to ECIL under the aforesaid circulars.
- 2. The CPIO responded on 26.11.2015. The appellant filed first appeal dated 19.12.2015. The FAA responded on 10.02.2016. The appellant filed second appeal on 02.06.2016 before the Commission on the ground that information should be provided to him.

## Hearing:

3. Both the parties participated in the hearing through video conferencing.

- 4. The appellant stated that the respondent has not provided the sought for information.
- 5. The appellant further stated that all the three documents of 1967 in original should be taken on record by BARC as these are vital to prove transfer of employees from BARC to ECIL.
- 6. The respondent stated that the documents, being very old, are not available in their record. In any case, these were issued by the Dept. of Atomic Energy.

## Discussion/ observation:

7. The respondent should transfer this RTI application under intimation to the appellant within 5 days from the date of receipt of this order, to the Dept. of Atomic Energy. DAE should respond to the RTI application within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order.

### Decision:

8. The respondent is directed to take action as per para 7 above.

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

Authenticated true copy

(S.C. Sharma)

Dy. Registrar

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(Radha Krishna Mathur)

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