

Before the Registrar of Cooperative Societies-cum-First Appellate authority
Under the Right to Information Act,2005.

First Appeal No.4/2020

Present: Tmt.SMITHA.R, I.A.S.,

Registrar of Co-operative Societies – Cum--First Appellate Authority.

C.H.Balamohanan
8, Moovendhar Street,
Mullai Nagar, Puducherry.

> >>>> Appellant

Vs

The Managing Director – Cum – Public Information Officer,
The Pondicherry Wholesale Stores Ltd.,
M.G.Road,Puducherry- 605001

>>>>> Respondent

ORDER

(Issued under section 19 of the Right to Information Act,2005)

The appellant submitted two (2) applications dated 16-12-2019, u/s 6 of the Right to Information Act, 2005,(hereafter"the Act") to the respondent and sought for certain information.

2. Aggrieved by the respondent's non-response, even after the lapse of the statutory time limit for furnishing the said information, the appellant filed this first appeal dated 12-03-2020.

3. The response of the respondent was called for. The respondent furnished the available information vide letter dt.12-05-2020, directly to the appellant in respect of his two (2) applications , under copy to this First Appellate Authority. However, in order to uphold the principle of natural justice, a hearing was fixed on 22-05-2020. On the date of hearing, the respondent was present and the appellant was called absent.

4. In view of the above and as it is found that nothing is to be ventilated by the appellant, this first appeal is dismissed. However, the respondent is instructed to adhere the statutory time limit for furnishing information fixed under the Act, both in letter and spirit.

5. If aggrieved by this decision, a 2nd Appeal may be filed, under Section 19(3) of the Act, within 90 days, with the 2nd Appellate Authority, whose address is given below:

Central Information Commissioner
Room No.305.II Floor, "B" Wing, August Kranti Bhavan
Bhikaji Cama Place, NEW DELHI-110 066.

Dated at Puducherry on the 22nd day of May,2020

(SMITHA.R, I.A.S)

Registrar of Cooperative Societies-cum-
First Appellate Authority

To:

- (1) The Appellant
- (2) The Respondent
- ✓ (3) The Web Editor, Coop-Dept.