

No C. 41/2009-MSIC
MIZORAM INFORMATION COMMISSION
KHATLA : AIZAWL

Zomuanthanga,
Martar Thlanmual,
Aizawl, Mizoram.

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Complainant

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SPIO & Deputy Director of Survey,
Directorate of Land Revenue & Settlement,
Mizoram, Aizawl.

Respondent

ORDER
(21.1.2010)

A complaint was submitted by Zomuanthanga, Martar Thlanmual, Aizawl, Mizoram, against the SPIO of the Directorate of Land Revenue & Settlement, Mizoram, Aizawl, for not giving the information requested for under RTI Act, 2005. A complaint case was registered under No. C. 41/2009-MSIC.

The short fact of the case is that the complainant requested the SPIO of the Land Revenue & Settlement Department to give information relating to District Council Pass issued under No. 154/62 and connected issues including sketch map of the said Pass. However, as the required information was not given by the SPIO, the complainant lodged a complaint with the State Information Commission to get the required information.

The SPIO was noticed to appear before the Commission on 29.9.2009. The SPIO appeared and was heard. The SPIO also submitted certain original copies of the required information. In the course of hearing, the SPIO informed the Commission that the required information has already been given to the applicant. However, on examination of the case, it was seen that the required sketch map of the said Pass was not given to the applicant and the SPIO was directed to submit a sketch map of the land in question and the surrounding areas on 5.1.2010. The SPIO submitted the sketch-map. However, the sketch-map submitted by the SPIO was so sketchy and superficial that the Commission found it difficult to understand the descriptions. The SPIO was again directed to make out contour map on a bigger scale indicating the District Council Pass No. 154/62 vis-à-vis the houses nearby and to submit it on 19.1.2010. The SPIO submitted the contour map indicating various locations in and around the District Council Pass No. 154/62.

The Commission noted that the SPIO has already given the required information to the complainant except the sketch-map of the said District Council Pass. In the light of the above discussion, the SPIO is directed to give a copy of the contour map to the complainant duly certified within 7 days from receipt of this order under intimation to the Commission.

Ordered accordingly.



(K.TLANTHANGA)
Information Commissioner



(ROBERT HRANGDAWLA)
Chief Information Commissioner

