ORDER
(18.9.2009)

A complaint was submitted by Pu V.L. Faka, Mission Vengthlang, Aizawl, against the SPIO of the Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mizoram, for not giving the information requested for under the RTI Act, 2005. A complaint case was registered under No. C. 40/09-MSIC.

The short fact of the case is that the complainant requested the SPIO of the Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests to give information on schemes implemented under Forest Development Agency, Aizawl, during 2006-07. However, as the required information was not given to the complainant by the SPIO, the complainant approached the Mizoram Information Commission to get the information requested for.

The SPIO was noticed to appear before the Commission on 10.9.2009 with all relevant documents in original. The SPIO appeared and was heard. In the course of hearing, the SPIO informed the Commission that the required information was already given to the complainant and submitted copy of the information given to the complainant in proof of his statement. The complainant was then noticed to appear before the Commission on 18.9.2009 to explain the position. The complainant appeared in person and was heard. The complainant informed the Commission that the required information was not given to him.

In the circumstances mentioned above, the SPIO is directed to furnish the required information to the complainant within 7 days from receipt of this order through special messenger under intimation to the Commission.

(K. TLANTHANGA)
Information Commissioner