

**OFFICE OF THE FIRST APPELLATE AUTHORITY**  
**(Appointed under the Right to Information Act, 2005)**  
**The Institute of Company Secretaries of India ICSI House**  
**C-36, Sector-62, Institutional Area**  
**Noida - 201 309 (U.P.)**

**Appeal No.00046/2024**

IN THE MATTER OF:

Ms. Shahnaz Vahid Ahmed Qureshi  
D/002 Dream Palace CHS Samelpada  
Nallasopara west

Appellant

Vs.

Central Public Information Officer (EXAM)  
The Institute of Company Secretaries of India  
C-37, Sector 62, NOIDA- 201309

Respondent

Date of Order: 24<sup>th</sup> April, 2024

**ORDER**

- (1) The Appellant has filed first Appeal- No. ICSOI/A/E/24/00046 on 28.03.2024 under Section 19(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 in connection with Response Ref No. ICSOI/R/E/24/06960 dated 30.09.2023 against the Central Public Information Officer (CPIO) (hereinafter referred to as Respondent) of the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.
- (2) The Appellant vide her application dated 12.03.2024 has requested to provide the pattern of allotment of marks.
- (3) The Appellant has informed in the instant appeal that "Refused access to information requested".
- (4) The reply of the Respondent against the instant appeal is as under: -

"It is submitted that the requisite information as sought by the Applicant (Appellant hereinafter) in her RTI Application ICSOI/R/E/24/06960 dated 12.03.2024, was interrogative and ambiguous in nature and cannot be considered as "information" under section 2(f) of the RTI Act,2005.

Thus, in reply to the above mentioned RTI Application, no information was provided to the Applicant. (copy of letter enclosed).

However, in the instant Appeal the Appellant has sought a different information i.e. Certified copies of her Answer Sheets, which was not part of her earlier RTI Application.

Furthermore, it has been observed that the Appellant had also applied for Certified copies of her answer Books on her own at the "ICSI Examination Answer Books Portal" which have been made available at the portal for viewing (Screen shot Attached).

The contents as above made in the RTI reply stands as it is and are candid".

(5) This Office has carefully considered the application, the response, the appeal and the records made available and finds that the matter can be decided based on the material available on record.

As requested by the Appellant in her appeal, certified copies of answer books has been made available at the ICSI Examination Answer Books Portal.

The appeal is accordingly disposed of.

Sd/-

(Sonia Baijal)

First Appellate Authority

Copy to:

1. Ms. Shahnaz Vahid Ahmed Qureshi  
D/002 Dream Palace CHS Samelpada  
Nallasopara west
2. Central Public Information Officer (EXAM)  
The Institute of Company Secretaries of India  
C-37, Sector 62, NOIDA- 201309
3. Directorate of IT - For publishing on the website