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. 47/2022

IN THE MATTER OF:

Shri Dyot Singh H.No.SF 825 CSEB Colony Kosabadi, Korba -495677 Chattisgarh

Appellant

Vs.

Shri Saidutta Mishra
Central Public Information Officer
The Institute of Company Secretaries of India
'ICSI House'
22, Institutional Area, Lodi Road
New Delhi - 110 003

Respondent

Date of Order: 3rd June, 2022

ORDER

- The Appellant has filed first appeal on 14.05.2022 under Section 19(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 in connection with Response Ref. No.: RTI 2005/5293/(22) dated 20.04.2022 against the Central Public Information Officer (CPIO) (hereinafter referred to as Respondent) of the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.
- 2. The Appellant vide his application dated 06.04.2022 has requested that" This request is regarding the fees charged by ICSI chapter offices for providing 15 days EDP training. Some chapter offices/WIRC/NIRC are providing EDP by charging 2500 whereas some chapter offices are charging around 10000, is there any basis for charging such fees for above mentioned purpose and also why there is so much difference in fees charged by different chapter offices."
- 3. The Appellant has informed in the instant appeal that "I have received no response on the information requested".
- 4. The reply of the Respondent against the instant appeal is as under: -

We reiterate our reply given to the applicant (appellant herein). Further, it is to inform that the appellant has taken the ground for 1st Appeal that "No response within the Time Limit". In reply of that this is to submit that the RTI application was received on 06.04.2022 and the CPIO has provided the reply on 20.04.2022 which is within the

prescribed time i.e. on or before 30 days under Section 7(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005. Copy of RTI application, RTI reply and acknowledgement receipt generated online through RTI Portal.

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

Therefore, the appeal deserves to be dismissed in-limine".

- 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.
- 6. This Office concurs with the submission of the Respondent. It is found that RTI reply from Respondent to the Appellant was given within 30 days of time limit.

The appeal is accordingly disposed of.

Sd/-

(Ankur Yadav)
First Appellate Authority

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