

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. 45/2022

IN THE MATTER OF:

Anshuman Shukla
Shanti Marg 4/116 Umaria
Pin: 484661
Madhya Pradesh

Appellant

Vs.

Shri Santosh Kumar Sharma
Central Public Information Officer
The Institute of Company Secretaries of India
C-37, Sector 62, NOIDA- 201309

Respondent

Date of Order: 27th May, 2022

ORDER

1. The Appellant has filed first appeal on 10.05.2022 under Section 19(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 in connection with Response Ref. No.: Registration Number: ICSOI/R/E/22/02685 dated 28.03.2022 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 03.03.2022 has requested to provide Photocopy of Answer book of CS Executive Group-I Examination for December 2021 under the RTI Act.
3. The Appellant has requested in the instant appeal that “ jo maine copy mangi thi wo mere email me aai par mere dekhne se pehle hi uska pdf expire hogya sir please resend the link of copy pdf”.
4. The reply of the Respondent against the instant appeal is as under: -

“It is submitted that the information sought has been provided to the Applicant(Appellant hereinabove) at his email id registered with the Institute of Company Secretaries of India vide Email dated 28.03.2022 in which a web-link, Username and Password have been provided to the Appellant to download and view the answer books.

Further, Upon receiving the request from the Appellant, the viewing time of the information was extended till 20th May 2022, and thus the Appellant was able to access the requisite information. Furthermore, the same was confirmed by the Appellant vide email dated 13.05.2022 .

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 Appellant has confirmed the receipt of answer sheet vide email dated 13.05.2022.

The appeal is accordingly disposed of.

Sd/-

(Ankur Yadav)
First Appellate Authority

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