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. 17/2022

IN THE MATTER OF:

Vivek Kumar 4th Floor, House No. 72, J & K Block Laxmi Nagar, New Delhi-10092

Appellant

Vs.

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

Respondent

Date of Order: 31st March, 2022

## ORDER

- The Appellant has filed first appeal on 17.03.2022 under Section 19(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 in connection with Response Ref. No. RTI 01822 dated 15.03.2022 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 28.02.2022 has requested to provide the signed copy of the answer sheets.
- 3. The Appellant has requested in the instant appeals that "I have submitted the request for showing me the copy of the subjects of examination of Institute of Company Secretaries, December 2021.

I have received all the copies of the same but of 'Drafting, Pleading and Appearances' subject the copy I have received is not mine but of another student.

Kindly provide a copy of mine of the said subject."

4. The reply of the Respondent against the instant appeal is as under: -

"This is to inform that we have provided the requisite information/documents vide Email dated 15.03.2022 in which a weblink, Username and Password have been provided to the RTI applicant (appellant herein) to download and view the answer books. Further, the appellant has not requested for supply of answer book of "Drafting, Pleadings and Appearances" paper in his aforementioned application. Furthermore, the appellant neither appeared nor enrolled for the "Drafting, Pleadings and Appearances" paper and hence, the said Answer Book cannot be provided."

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.

The appeal is accordingly disposed of.

Sd/-

(Ankur Yadav) First Appellate Authority

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- 3. Directorate of IT For publishing on the website