

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. 96/2022

IN THE MATTER OF:

Mrudula Gaikwad
B/102 ,Vakratunda Residency Dhokali Naka
Kolshet Road, Thane West- 400607
Maharashtra

Appellant

Vs.

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

Respondent

Date of Order: 29th November, 2022

ORDER

- i. The Appellant has filed first appeal on 18.11.2022 under Section 19(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 in connection with Response Ref. No: Registration Number: ICSOI/R/E/22/06764 dated 09.09.2022 against the Central Public Information Officer (CPIO) (hereinafter referred to as Respondent) of the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.
- ii. The Appellant vide her application dated 26.08.2022 has requested to provide the answer sheet of the CS Professional/final examination, session June 2022 for the subjects 1. Governance, Risk Management, Compliance and Ethics 2. Advanced Tax Laws 3. Drafting, Pleading and Appearances 4. Corporate Funding 5. Multidisciplinary Case Studies 6. Insolvency-law and Practice.
- iii. The Appellant has informed in the instant appeals that “Details not provided”& requested to refer case and dispose it off preferably.
- iv. The reply of the Respondent against the instant appeal is as under: -

“It is submitted that the Applicant (Appellant hereinafter) has filed the Appeal on 18.11.2022 in response to the information supplied to her on 09.09.2022 for her RTI Application No. ICSOI/R/E/22/06764 dated 26.08.2022 beyond the time limit as specified under Section 19(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005.

2. It is further submitted that we have provided the requisite information as sought by the Appellant in her abovementioned RTI Application, at the email id of the Appellant registered with the Institute of Company Secretaries of India i.e. mrudulagaikwad.1441@gmail.com

vide email dated 08.09.2022 in which a web-link, Username and Password have been provided to the Appellant to download and view the requisite Answer Books(copy enclosed) and updated the same on RTI Portal on 09.09.2022.

3. Furthermore, the Appellant updated her email id registered with the Institute and upon confirmation, the requisite information was once again provided to the Appellant on the newly updated email id on 22.11.2022 and the Appellant has acknowledged the receipt of the same vide email dated 22.11.2022.

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.”

- v. 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.
- vi. The Office concurs with the submission of the Respondent. It is observed that Appellant has acknowledged the receipt of information sought vide email dated 22.11.2022.

The appeal is accordingly disposed of.

Sd/-

(Ankur Yadav)
First Appellate Authority

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