

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.00013/2025

IN THE MATTER OF:

Mr. Tharun R
B-7, Thiruvalluvar Apartments,
No-2, Brindavan Street, West Mambalam,
Chennai-33
Tamilnadu
Pin: 600033

Appellant

Vs.

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

Respondent

Date of Order: 29th March 2025

ORDER

- (1) The Appellant has filed first Appeal- No. ICSOI/A/E/25/00013 on 22.03.2025 under Section 19(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 in connection with the Response vide letter dated 10.03.2025 against the Central Public Information Officer (EXAM) (hereinafter referred to as Respondent) of the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.
- (2) The Appellant vide his RTI Application No. ICSOI/R/E/25/01114 dated 01.03.2025 has requested the following information:

“Dear Sir/Madam,
I have appeared for CS Executive examination with the following particulars:
Name: Tharun R
Examination: CS Executive
Year & month of examination: December 2024
Roll no: 120490
Registration no : 341033258/07/2024
Mobile number: 8668059073
E-mail id: tharunramesh619@gmail.com

Scanned copy of the paper required is as follows.

PAPER 1: JURISPRUDENCE, INTERPRETATION AND GENERAL LAWS (JIGL)
PAPER 2: COMPANY LAW AND PRACTICE (CLP)

PAPER 3: SETTING UP OF BUSINESS, INDUSTRIAL AND LABOUR LAWS (SBILL)
PAPER 4: CORPORATE ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT (CAFM)

The photocopy of my admit card is enclosed for verification of my identity. I also undertake that I am the same candidate who appear in the aforesaid examination. The Requisite fees for this RTI Application will be paid by me. I hereby declare and affirm that the details mentioned above relate to me only and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Please provide the requested certified photocopies as soon as possible.

Your Faithfully
Tharun R

(3) The Appellant has submitted in the instant appeal as follows:

“Dear Sir/Madam,
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(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 his RTI Application ICSOI/R/E/25/01114 dated 01.03.2025, was provided to the Appellant vide letter dated 10.03.2025 in which the Appellant was informed about weblink and the procedure to fetch the information (copy of letter enclosed).

Subsequently, upon registration by the Appellant at “ICSI Examination Answer Books Portal” the sought information was made available to him at the Portal for prescribed time period i.e. 08.03.2025 to 10.04.2025 (Copy of screen shot attached).

In the instant Appeal, the Appellant has sought the same information once again which was already provided and thus, no other information is required to be provided.

It is to submit that the Certified Scanned copies of Answer Books have to be viewed by the Appellant. The Appellant can access the same on the Portal till 10th April 2025.

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.

This office concurs with the submissions of the Respondent.

The appeal is accordingly disposed of.

Sd/-

(Asit Kumar Rath)

First Appellate Authority

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3. Directorate of IT - For publishing on the website