

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.00021/2025

IN THE MATTER OF:

Ms. Rabari Sakshi Taljabhai
131 shidheshwar soc,
Bhaiyanagar, Punagam
Pin:394510

Appellant

Vs.

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

Respondent

Date of Order: 6th May 2025

ORDER

- (1) The Appellant has filed first Appeal- No. ICSOI/A/E/25/00021 on 15.04.2025 under Section 19(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 in connection with the Response vide letter dated 01.04.2025 against the Central Public Information Officer (EXAM) (hereinafter referred to as Respondent) of the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.
- (2) The Appellant vide RTI Application No. ICSOI/R/E/25/01858 dated 19.03.2025 has requested the following information:

“Name rabari sakshi taljabhai
Icsi registration number 441246737/08/2023

I need certified copy of my answer sheet of attempt dec2024 of institute of company secretaries of India

Jurisprudence interpretation and genral law (521)
Capital market and security law(525)
Company law and practice (522)
Economic commercial and intellectual property law (526)
Setting up of business industrial and labour law (523)
Tax laws and practice (527)
Corporate accounting and financial management (524)”

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

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not provided any copies of my answer sheet however amount 10 rupees already pay and not respons will reviced"

(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 her RTI Application ICSOI/R/E/25/01858 dated 19.03.2025 was provided to the Appellant vide letter dated 01/04/2025, in which the Appellant was informed about weblink and the procedure to access the Answer Books through "ICSI Examination Answer Books Portal"(Copy of letter enclosed).

Subsequently, upon Appellant's registration at the said portal, the scanned copies were provided to her on 14.03.2025 and was made available for viewing till 10.04.2025.

Further, it has been observed that the Appellant accessed the said portal on multiple occasions (copy of Screen shot attached).

Furthermore, the Answer Books have now been disposed off as per the Record Retention Schedule of the Institute, and thus 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.

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