

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. 000022/2026

IN THE MATTER OF:

Sundaresan Viswanathan
D 211, Lok Terrace, Plot No. 16,
Sector 17, Vashi, Navi Mumbai,
Maharashtra – 400 703

Appellant

Vs.

Central Public Information Officer
The Institute of Company Secretaries of India
'ICSI House', 22, Institutional Area, Lodi Road,
New Delhi – 110003

Respondent

Date of Order: 22nd May, 2026

ORDER

- (1) The Appellant has filed first Appeal No. ICSOI/A/E/26/00022 on 30/04/2026 under Section 19(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 in connection with Response vide letter dated 29/04/2026 against the Central Public Information Officer (hereinafter referred to as Respondent) of the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.
- (2) The Appellant vide his RTI Application No. ICSOI/R/E/26/01317 dated 06/04/2026 has requested the following information:

“Para wise pointwise ATR and where applicable para wise pointwise ATR may be furnished on attached application.”

- (3) The reply of the Respondent against the instant appeal is as under: -

“Our reply remains the same as provided in RTI Reply dated 29.04.2026.”

“The applicant is seeking reply to queries pertaining a disciplinary matter No.

DC/NI/9/2023, which is exempted under Section 8(1)(h) of the RTI Act, 2005.”

Further, the Public Authority under the RTI Act, 2005 is not supposed to create information or to interpret information or to solve the problems raised by the applicants.

Therefore, the contents made in the RTI Reply stands as it is and the appeal deserves to be dismissed.”

- (4) 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 in his reply to the instant appeal.

The appeal is accordingly disposed of.

Sd/-

(Ashvini Kumar Srivastava)
First Appellate Authority

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