

100642(A)
25/06/2024



To,
The Chief Information Commissioner,
West Bengal Information Commission
Khadya Bhavan, 11-A, Mirza Galib Street, Kolkata- 700087

Date: 19/06/2024

Sub: Second Appeal under section 19 (3) of RTI Act, 2005

Respected Sir,

I would like to draw your kind attention that, I have filed an application under section 6(1) of Right to Information Act, 2005 to the SPIO & Deputy Director of School Education (IEDSS), West Bengal, Directorate of School Education, West Bengal having its office at Bikash Bhavan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700091 for some information about number of persons engaged in the post of 'Contractual Group-D' since 2017 to till date and details of the persons in his office and subordinate offices along with govt. schools under the administrative control of the directorate on 17.04.2024 received by his office on 18.04.2024 (Copy enclosed and marked as Annexure-1).

In reply of my RTI application, the concerned SPIO of the Directorate of School Education, West Bengal vide Memo No. 187.SP/RTI dated 25.04.2024 seeking assistance from the Deputy Director School Education (ADMN), Directorate of School Education, West Bengal, Bikash Bhavan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700091 and requested him to provide necessary information to the applicant directly in terms of section 5(4) of the said act under intimation to his office (Copy enclosed and marked as Annexure-2).

At the end of the time period of 30 days on 18/05/2024 for providing information on my RTI application, I have filed a first appeal under section 19(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 before the Appellate Authority and Joint Director of School Education, West Bengal Directorate of School Education, West Bengal, Bikash Bhavan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700091 on 19/05/2024 for providing necessary information as sought for in my previous RTI application (Copy Enclosed and marked as Annexure-3).

On 05.06.2024, the appellate authority and Joint Director of School Education, West Bengal, Directorate of School Education, Bikash Bhavan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700091 vide his memo No. 44(3)-SC/AIS/RTI dated 30.05.2024 replied to appear for personal hearing on 13.06.2024 in his chamber at the above mentioned address at 12:45 p.m. without providing any information and documents related with the information (Copy enclosed and marked as Annexure-4).

On reply of the same I made a reply on 10.06.2024 and stated that without knowing any information, it is not possible for me to appear before him personally and requested him to provide necessary information under section 2(f) of the said act (Copy enclosed and marked as Annexure-5).

On 13.06.2024, I have received a letter from Deputy Director of School Education (IEDSS), West Bengal, & SPIO, Directorate of School Education, West Bengal having its office at Bikash Bhavan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700091 vide his Memo No. 230.SP/RTI dated 12.06.2024 it is found that he has further requested the Deputy Director School Education (ADMIN), Directorate of School Education, West Bengal, Bikash Bhavan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700091 for

furnishing information to the applicant directly with a copy to the undersigned (Copy Enclosed and marked as Annexure-6).

In spite of repeated request, I have not received any information till date from the said authority for which I am requesting you to kindly look into the matter so that I may get these information from them under section 2(f) of the RTI Act, 2005 and also requested you to take necessary steps against this delinquent officers of the said directorate as per various provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.

Without getting or knowing details of such information, it is not possible for me to appear before you or them personally for any kind of hearing.

Thanking you.

Encl: As stated.

Yours sincerely,

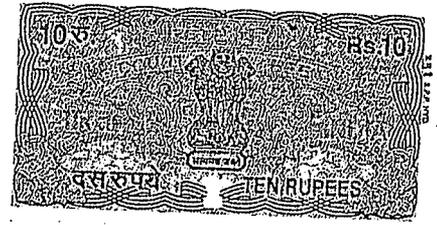


19.06.24

Goutam Sardar

From:
Goutam Sardar
Advocate, High Court, Calcutta,
Prantik, Subuddhipur, P.O. Baruipur
South 24-Parganas, Pin- 700144
Email: prc1.adv@gmail.com

From: Goutam Sardar
Advocate, High Court, Calcutta
Legal Aid Forum, Prantik, Subuddhipur
P.O. & PS- Baruipur, South 24-Parganas, Pin- 700144



To: The Deputy Director of School Education (IEDSS), West Bengal
& State Public Information Officer,
Directorate of School Education, Govt. of West Bengal,
Bikash Bhavan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700091

Sub: Information sought under section 6(1) of Right to Information Act of 2005.

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- 9) Name and Designation of the Drawing and Disbursing Officers of the district offices and subordinate offices including in Govt. Schools who draws the wages/ remuneration of this contractual Group-D employees from the date of their joining.

W Government of West Bengal
Directorate of School Education
Bikash Bhawan, 7th Floor
Salt Lake, Kolkata-70009

Memo No. SP/RTI/
SP/O/RTI/ASST/02/2024

Dated, Kolkata, April 25

From: The Deputy Director of School Education (EDSS), WB & SP/O
Directorate of School Education, Bikash Bhawan, 7th Floor,
Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091

To: The Deputy Director of School Education (ADMIN), Directorate of School Education, Bikash
Bhawan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091

Sub: Seeking Assistance under section 5(4) of the RTI Act, 2005, regarding the RTI application
of Goutam Sardar, Dated- 17.4.2024.

Enclosed Kindly find a copy of RTI application of Goutam Sardar, Dated- 17.4.2024, the content
of which is self explanatory. You are requested to provide information to the applicant directly
in terms of section 5(4) of the said Act under intimation to this office.
Encl:- As stated

Sd/-
SP/O &

Deputy Director of School Education (EDSS), WB

Memo No. SP/RTI/
SP/O/RTI/ASST/02/2024

Dated, Kolkata, April 25

Copy forwarded for information to:

- 1/ Goutam Sardar, Advocate, High Court, Calcutta Legal Aid Forum, Prantik, Subuddhipur, P.O.
& P.S. Barulpur, South 24 pgs, Pin- 700144.

Sd/-
SP/O &

Deputy Director of School Education (EDSS), WB

From: GoutamSardar
Advocate, High Court, Calcutta
Legal Aid Forum, Prantik, Subuddhipur
P.O. & PS- Baruipur, South 24-Parganas, Pin- 700144

Date: 19/05/2024

To: **Smt. ChinmoyeePattnayak**
The Joint Director of School Education, West Bengal
&Appellate Authority,
Directorate of School Education, Govt. of West Bengal,
BikashBhavan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700091

Sub: **First Appeal under section 19(1) of Right to Information Act of 2005.**

Ref: 1) RTI application to SPIO of your office dated 17.04.2024.
2) Letter received from SPIO of your office vide Memo No. 187-SP/RTI dated April 25, 2024.
SPIO/RTI/ASST/02/2024
3) Letter received from Arindam Dasgupta, Joint Director of Public Instruction & State
Public Information Officer, Education Directorate, Govt. of WB vide memo no.
ED/RTI(45)SPIO/2024/F/1 dt. 02.05.2024

Respected Madam,

The above referred RTI application was received by SPIO of your office on 18/04/2024 (proof of delivery copy enclosed).

The aforesaid RTI application was supposed to be disposed of on or before 18/05/2024 but for the reason best known to SPIO of your office, the same was not disposed of and for that I am deprived of my legitimate right.

It is revealed from the aforementioned letter received from your SPIO designated as Deputy Director of School Education (IEDSS), WB has seeking assistance under section 5(4) of the RTI Act of 2005 from Deputy Director of School Education (ADMN), Directorate of School Education for provide necessary information as sought for in the RTI application directly to the applicant in terms of section 5(4) of the said act under intimation to his office. But till date I have not received any information or relevant documents from the said authority.

It is also found from the letter received from Sri Arindam Dasgupta, Joint Director of Public Instruction & State Public Information Officer, Education Directorate, Govt. of WB vide memo no. ED/RTI(45)SPIO/2024/F/1 dt. 02.05.2024 stated that the RTI application has been transferred to the SPIO of your office u/s 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005 as the RTI queries closely associated with Directorate of School Education.

Now, at this stage I am not feeling any hesitation to state that the non-furnishing of the information as sought for is a deliberate attempt to keep me in dark and pre-empt me from taking legal recourse against a delinquent employee of your office.

GROUND FOR APPEAL

- 1) The information asked by me is not prohibited by the section 8 of RTI Act 2005 and as such a lawful authority cannot in any circumstances, desired or abstain from providing any information asked under this Act when the fees is duly paid.
- 2) Disposal of RTI application in stipulated time is a mandate of the said act and as such non furnishing of the information sought for is an utter violation of the Act. Thus it attracts penal provision too. In this instant matter the time to provide information is ended on 18/05/2024 but neither the SPIO nor the assistance authority i.e. Deputy Director of School

Education (ADMN) of your office deliberately abstaining himself from disposing of the said RTI application.

- 3) Getting any information under this Act, if not expressly barred by this Act, is a lawful right of any citizen of this country.

In view of the above the 1st Appeal is filed before your honour for disposal within the time prescribed by the Act.

**Be it mention that, it is not possible for me to appear before you personally so you are requested to send the information and relevant documents to my above mentioned address.

Enclosed: 1) Copy of RTI Application dated 17/04/2024

2) Copy of SPIO Letter Memo No. 187-SP/RTI dt. 25.04.2024

3) Copy of the Jt. DPI & SPIO letter Memo No. ED/RTI(45)SPIO/2024/F/1 dt. 02.05.2024

Yours sincerely,


19/05/2024

GoutamSardar,

Advocate, High Court, Calcutta

Copy forwarded for information to:

- 1) The Hon'ble Register General, High Court, Calcutta, Kolkata- 700001
- 2) The Chief Information Commissioner, West Bengal Information Commission, KhadyaBhavan, 11A- MirzaGalib St., Kolkata- 700087.
- 3) The Commissioner, State Vigilance Commission, West Bengal, Bikash Bhavan, 1st & 2nd Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700091.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
DIRECTORATE OF SCHOOL EDUCATION
RIKASH BHAWAN, 7th FLOOR, SALT LAKE CITY
KOLKATA-700091

Memo. No. 7043/SG/MS/RI
MS/RI/Appellate/A/2024

Date: 30.05.2024

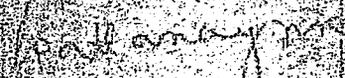
From: The Appellate Authority & Joint Director of School Education, W.B.

To: 1. The SPIO & Dy. Director of School Education (EDSS) W.B.
2. The Dy. Director of School Education (ADMN) W.B.
3. Sri Goutam Sardar, Advocate, High Court, Calcutta
Flat No. 3rd Floor
P.O. & P.S. Baranagar
Dist. South 24 Parganas
PIN-700144

Sub: Notice of hearing in the matter of RI appeal of Sri Goutam Sardar dated 19.05.2024

Ref: 1) RI application of Sri Goutam Sardar dated 17.01.2024
2) Memo. No. 287/SP/RI dated 25.01.2024 issued by the SPIO of this Directorate

With reference to the above, he is hereby informed that the matter of appeal under RI Act - 2005 will be taken up for hearing on 13.06.2024 at 12:45 p.m. He is, therefore, requested to attend the hearing in the office chamber of the Appellate Authority & Joint Director of School Education, W.B. at Rikash Bhawan (7th floor), Salt Lake, Kolkata-91. The SPIO is further directed to file a written submission in respect of the appeal and should reach the undersigned prior to the hearing.


Appellate Authority
& Joint Director of School Education, W.B.

B/S/24

Enclosure



To: Smt. Chinmoyee Pattanayak
Appellate Authority &
The Joint Director of School Education, West Bengal,
Directorate of School Education, West Bengal
Bikash Bhavan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700091

Date: 10/06/2024

Sub: Reply of Notice for hearing in the matter of RTI appeal.

Ref: 1) RTI Application of me dated 17.04.2024
2) Memo No. 187-SP/RTI dated 25.04.2024 issued by the SPIO of your office.
3) My appeal application dated 19.05.2024 received by your office on 22.05.2024
4) Letter received from your office vide Memo No. 44(3)-SC/AIS/RTI dated 30.05.2024
AIS/RTI/Appellate/1/2024

Respected Madam,

In reference to the above noted subject, I would like to inform you that I have asked about some information related with public employment in Government Offices under your directorate and subordinate offices from the SPIO of your office under section 6 (1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 on my RTI application dated 17.04.2024.

In reply of the said application, the SPIO of your office has informed me by a letter vide Memo No. 187-SP/RTI dated 25.04.2024 that he has seek assistance from The Deputy Director of School Education (ADMN), Directorate of School Education for providing necessary information to the applicant directly in terms of section 5(4) of the RTI Act.

It is to informed you that before the date of my appeal preferred before you dated 19.05.2024 received by your office on 22.05.2024, neither the SPIO of your office nor the Deputy Director of School Education (ADMN), Directorate of School Education have provided any information or documents, materials under section 2 (f) of the Right to Information Act of 2005.

Now, without providing any information and information related documents under section 2(f) of RTI Act, 2005 as asked by me on my applications, you are sending me a notice for hearing vide Memo No. 44(3)-SC/AIS/RTI dated 30.05.2024 on my preferred appeal dated 19.05.2024 where I mentioned specifically that "it is not possible for me to appear before you personally."

It is revealed from the information received from the SPIO, Office of the District Inspector of Schools (Primary Education), Howrah vide his letter Memo No. 534B/DIPE dated 17.05.2024 that (Copy Enclosed).

- 1) Advertisement related information is available with the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal.
- 2) Application invitation related point is related with the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal.
- 3) Renewal of Agreement related point is also related with the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal.

Some copies of Engagement letters, Agreement Copies and Joining Report are also provided from the said office of which I am enclosing an engagement letter with this reply for your kind perusal.

However, on submitting application to the SPIO for the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal, Education Directorate, Govt. of West Bengal, Salt Lake, Bikash Bhavan, Kolkata- 700091 on the same point mentioned above, Sri Arindam Dasgupta, Joint Director of Public Instruction & State Public Information Officer, Education Directorate, Govt. of West Bengal stated by transferring my RTI application under section 6(3) of the RTI Act of 2005 to The Deputy Director of School Education (EDSS), W.B. & SPIO, Directorate of School Education, Bikash Bhavan, (7th Floor), Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091 vide Memo No. ED/RTI(45) SPIO/2024/F/1 dated 02.05.2024 (Copy Enclosed), that the matter related to the RTI queries closely associated with Directorate of School Education.

In this connection, I am further requesting you to kindly provide the information and information related documents, materials etc. under section 7(1) of RTI Act asked by me in RTI application dated 17.04.2024 which are available to your office under section 2(f) of the RTI Act, 2005 on my email id: prel.adv@gmail.com or in my address as mentioned below as the information seek by me is not prohibited under Section 8 and 9 of RTI Act, 2005.

Thanking you.

Yours sincerely,


Goutam Sardar

Advocate, High Court, Calcutta
Prantik, Subuddhipur (Beltala)
P.O. Baruipur, South 24-Pgs, Pin- 700144

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- 3) The State Public Information Officer, Education Directorate, Govt. of West Bengal, Bikash Bhavan, 8th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700091.

Government of West Bengal
Directorate of School Education
Bikash Bhawan, 7th Floor
Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091

Memo No. 200 SP/RTI
SPIO/RTI/ASST/05/2024

Dated Kolkata, JUNE 12, 2024

From: The Deputy Director of School Education (EDSS) WB & SPIO,
Directorate of School Education, Bikash Bhawan, 7th Floor,
Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091

To: The Deputy Director of School Education (ALMN), WB
Directorate of School Education, Bikash Bhawan, 7th Floor

Subj: Regarding RTI application of GOUTAM SARDAR, dated 17/04/2024 (copy enclosed)
Ref: (1) Memo no. 44(3) SC/ATS/RTI dated 30/05/2024 of the Appellate Authority & JDSE, WB
(copy enclosed).
(2) Memo No. 187-SP/RTI, dated 25/04/2024, of this SPIO Cell (copy enclosed).

With respect to the Memos and subject under reference, she is hereby further requested to furnish information to the applicant directly with a copy to the undersigned. If he has already provided information to the applicant, she is requested to kindly share a copy of the same with this SPIO Cell.

Enclosure: As stated

Sd/-
SPIO &

Deputy Director of School Education (EDSS) WB

Memo No. 240 M(2) SP/RTI
SPIO/RTI/ASST/03/2024

Dated: Kolkata, JUNE 12, 2024

Copy forwarded for information to:

1) THE APPELLATE AUTHORITY & JDSE WB, BIKASH BHAWAN, 7th FLOOR

2) SHRI GOUTAM SARDAR, ADVOCATE, HIGH COURT, CALCUTTA LEGAL AID FORUM
PRANTIK, SUBUDDHIPUR, P.O. & P.S. BARUIPUR, SOUTH 24 PGS., PIN- 700144

[Signature]
SPIO &

Deputy Director of School Education (EDSS) WB

HEARING ON 12-03-2026

State Chief Information Commissioner West Bengal < scic-wb@nic.in >

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To "spiodsewb2020"<spiodsewb2020@gmail.com>

Cc "prc1adv"<prc1.adv@gmail.com>

Please find the attachment, for further details visit our website

West Bengal Information Commission

1 Attachment(s)

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ATR REGARDING RTI APPEAL NO. 100642 OF 2024 APPELLANT: GOUTAM SARDAR.

Nilay Roy < spiodsewb2020@gmail.com >

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To "scic-wb"<scic-wb@nic.in>

Cc "Appellate Authority 1"<1stappellateauthoritydsewb@gmail.com>

KINDLY FIND THE ATTACHMENT,
THANKS AND REGARDS.

1 Attachment(s)

ATR REGARDING RTI APPEA...

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H. Date - 12/03/2026

H. S.I.P - SK

100642/1703/2024

Government of West Bengal
Directorate of School Education
Bikash Bhawan, 7th Floor
Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091

Memo. No. 53 .SP/RTI
SPIO/RTI/WBIC/03/2026

Dated- 23 .02.2026

From: The SPIO & Deputy Director of School Education (IEDSS), W.B.

To: The Law Officer,
West Bengal Information Commission, Khadya Bhawan, 11 A, Mirza Ghalib Street,
Kolkata-700087

Sub: ATR Regarding RTI Appeal No. 100642 of 2024 Appellant: GOUTAM SARDAR
Ref: Notice of Hearing- Memo No. 806-WBIC/RTI/A/A00642/1703/2024

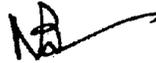
Sir,

With respect to the Memo and subject under reference, my humble submission to the Hon'ble West Bengal State Information Commission that the actions taken in connection with the above referred appeal is as follows:

1. The Appellant applied for information to the public authority of this Directorate by an application dated-17.4.2024.(ANNEXURE-1)
2. Assistance, u/s 5(4) of the RTI Act, 2005 was sought from the Deputy Director of School Education (ADMN) vide memo no. 187.SP/RTI dated-25.4.2024.(ANNEXURE-2)
3. The Appellate Authority of this Directorate issued order dated 19.06.2024 directing the Assisting Officer i.e. Dy. Director of School Education (ADMN) to furnish the requisite assistance to the SPIO within 7 days from the date of receipt of the order and further directed to complete the whole process of furnishing information/ reply within 10 days from the issue of the order. (ANNEXURE-3)
4. The Assisting Officer, vide Memo. No. 648.Sc/Apt dated-09.7.2024 furnished information (Para and Query-wise) to this SPIO. (ANNEXURE-4)
5. The undersigned forwarded the information vide Memo No. 291.SP/RTI dated-10.7.2024 to the Applicant. (ANNEXURE-5)

This is for your kind information.

Yours faithfully,



S.P.I.O &

Deputy Director of School Education (IEDSS), W.B.

Memo No. 53.1(2) .SP/RTI
SPIO/RTI/WBIC/03/2026

Dated- 23 .02.2026

Copy forwarded for information to:

1. The Appellate Authority & Joint Director of School Education, W.B.
2. Shri GOUTAM SARDAR, Advocate, High Court, Calcutta, Prantik, Subuddhipur, PO-Barulpur, Dist-South 24 Pgs, Pin-700144.



S.P.I.O &

Deputy Director of School Education (IEDSS), W.B.

DIRECTORATE OF SCHOOL EDUCATION
GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL



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Annexure
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From: Goutam Sardar

Advocate, High Court, Calcutta

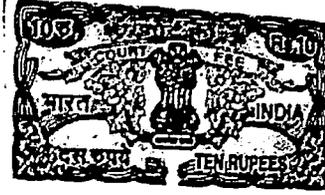
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& State Public Information Officer,
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Bikash Bhavan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700091

AD (M.ROY)
13/4/24

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SPID Cell

19.4.24.

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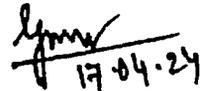
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- 10) Whether any annual increment or any other benefits allowed after expiry of the said contract, if allowed then please furnish the letter/ order/notification/memorandum from the School Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal (don't enclose the copy of the Finance Department, Govt. of West Bengal).
- 11) Copy of the Renewal Agreement made if any after expiry of contract as per Memorandum No. 9008-F(P) dated 16.09.2011.

A Rs. 10/- court fees stamp is enclosed for your kind perusal. You are requested to provide the above mentioned information point wise specifically within 30 days from the receipt of this letter as per Right to Information Act of 2005.

Encl: List of Contractual Gr-D.

Yours sincerely,


17.04.24

Gutam Sardar,

Advocate, High Court, Calcutta

Annexure
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o/c
WGovernment of West Bengal
Directorate of School Education
Bikash Bhawan, 7th Floor
Salt Lake, Kolkata-70009

Dated, Kolkata, April 25

Memo No. 187.SP/RTI
SPIO/RTI/ASST/02/2024

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Bhawan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091.

Sub: Seeking Assistance under section 5(4) of the RTI Act 2005, regarding the RTI application
of Goutam Sardar, Dated- 17.4.2024.

Enclosed Kindly find a copy of RTI application of Goutam Sardar, Dated- 17.4.2024, the content
of which is self explanatory. You are requested to provide information to the applicant directly
in terms of section 5(4) of the said Act under intimation to this office.
Encl: As stated.

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Deputy Director of School Education (IEDSS), WB

Dated, Kolkata, April 25

Memo No. 187.SP/RTI
SPIO/RTI/ASST/02/2024

Copy forwarded for information to:

1. Goutam Sardar, Advocate, High Court, Calcutta Legal Aid Forum, Prantik, Subuddhipur, P.O
& P.S.-Baruipur, South 24 pgs, Pin.-700144.

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Deputy Director of School Education (IEDSS), WB

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
DIRECTORATE OF SCHOOL EDUCATION
BIKASH BHAWAN, 7TH FLOOR, SALT LAKE CITY
KOLKATA-700091



Memo. No. 48-SC/AIS/RTI
AIS/RTI/Appellate/2/2024

Date: 19.06.2024

ORDER

Sub: Hearing in the matter of appeal of Shri Goutam Sardar dated 19.05.2024 under RTI Act-2005 (hereinafter "Act")

Ref: Notice of hearing bearing No. 44(3)-SC/AIS/RTI Dated 29.05.2024 issued by this Directorate

Date of Hearing: 13.06.2024

- The hearing has been attended by the following persons:
 - Shri Nilay Roy, SPIO & Dy. Director of School Education (IEDSS), W.B.
 - Shri Chinmay Sarkar, Dy. Director of School Education(admin), the Assisting Officer under RTI Act-2005
- Shri Goutam Sardar, the Appellant applied for information to this public authority of the Directorate of School Education, W.B. by an application dated 17.04.2024 under RTI Act-2005.
- The appellant, being aggrieved by not receiving any information from the SPIO of this Directorate, preferred 1st appeal dated 19.05.2024.
- Accordingly the matter has been taken up for hearing.
- The SPIO, during the hearing, has stated that he has sought assistance from the Dy. Director of School Education (Admin), W.B. vide No. 187.SP/RTI dated 25.04.2024 but he is yet receive requisite assistance from the Assisting Officer.
- The Assisting Officer, during the hearing, has requested for a few days more for furnishing the requisite assistance to the SPIO.
- The Assisting Officer is directed to provide necessary assistance to the SPIO within seven days from the date of receipt of this order and the whole process of furnishing information/reply to the applicant has to be completed within ten days from date of receipt of this order by the SPIO.


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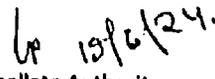
& Joint Director of School Education, W.B.

Memo. No. 48/1(3)-SC/AIS/RTI

Date: 19.06.2024

Copy forwarded for information to:

- The SPIO & Dy. Director of School Education (IEDSS), W.B.
- The Dy. Director of School Education (Admin), W.B.
- Shri Goutam Sardar, Advocate, High Court, Calcutta,
Prantik, Subuddhipur,
P.O. & P.S. Barulpur,
Dist. South 24 Parganas,
PIN-700144
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& Joint Director of School Education, W.B.

Annexure
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Government of West Bengal
Directorate of School Education
Bikash Bhavan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091

Date: 09/07/2024

Memo No. 648 -Sc/Apt
MISC-2/S/97(PT-II) / DSE-11099/82/2024-ADMN SEC-DSE

From : Deputy Director of School Education (Admn), West Bengal
To : The Deputy Director of School Education (IEDSS), WB & SPIO
Directorate of School Education
Bikash Bhavan, 7th Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091

Sub : Submission of information under Section 5(4) of the RTI Act 2005, regarding the RTI Application of Goutam Sardar, dated 17.04.2024

Ref : His office Memo no. 187.SP/RTI dated 25.04.2024 and the letter of Appellate Authority & Joint Director of School Education, West Bengal No. 43(3)-SC/AIS/RTI dated 30.05.2024 and No. 48-SC/AIS/RTI dated 19.06.2024

With reference to the subject stated above the undersigned has furnished in terms of Section 5(4) of RTI Act 2005 the following information as was sought by Goutam Sardar under section 6/1 of RTI Act 2005 regarding recruitment process of Contractual Group-D Staff in this Directorate's office and Regional & Sub-Ordinate offices under School Education Directorate, West Bengal.

It is to be specifically noted that this Directorate had no information before engagement of such Contractual Group-D employees. After receipt of Letters of Engagement in respect of 17 Contractual Group-D employees were engaged in this Directorate's office. Another 97 Letters of Engagement were forwarded by the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal to communicate with their Head of the Institutions for engagement in their place of posting as stipulated by the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal.

However the information which are available in this Directorate's office record is hereby furnished point wise below:

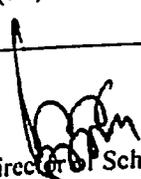
| Questions/Points | Answers/Information |
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| 1. Copy of the Advertisement or Public Notification for this engagement as per article 16 of the Constitution of India or by pursuing the para (ix) of the Memorandum No. 9008-F(P) dated 16.09.2011 read with 1107-F(P) dt. 25.02.2016 and 4856-F(P) dated 04/08/2017 and School Education Department, West Bengal memo No. 1285-ES/ADMN dated 14/09/2017? | As this Directorate had no role in conducting the recruitment process for filling up of such posts of Contractual Group-D it is hardly possible for this Directorate to make any comment. There is no information about Advertisement/Public Notification for such engagement. Office of the DPI, WB may have the same information. |

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| <p>forms issuing date and last date of application forms to the respective of application forms to the respective of this engagement in terms of para (ix) of memorandum.No. 9008-F(P) dated 16.09.2011 Copy Enclosed and highlighted)?</p> | <p>As this Directorate had no role in conducting the recruitment process for filling up of such posts of Contractual Group-D it is hardly possible for this Directorate to make any comment.</p> |
| <p>Name and Address of the offices from where the application forms were issued for this engagement?</p> | <p>As this Directorate had no role in conducting the recruitment process for filling up of such posts of Contractual Group-D it is hardly possible for this Directorate to make any comment.</p> |
| <p>4. Name, Designation and Present place of posting of the Board Members for Personality test.</p> | <p>As this Directorate had no role in conducting the recruitment process for filling up of such posts of Contractual Group-D it is hardly possible for this Directorate to make any comment.</p> |
| <p>5. Date and Place or Website/URL from where the merit list published for this engagement.</p> | <p>As this Directorate had no role in conducting the recruitment process for filling up of such posts of Contractual Group-D it is hardly possible for this Directorate to make any comment.</p> |
| <p>6. Whether Reservation Rules have been maintained for this engagement.</p> | <p>As this Directorate had no role in conducting the recruitment process for filling up of such posts of Contractual Group-D it is hardly possible for this Directorate to make any comment.</p> |
| <p>7. Name, Fathers' Name, Communication Address, Date of Birth, Date of Joining, tenure of the Contract Agreement, Email Id/s, Contact Number and Qualification of the applicants finally engaged in the Govt. Offices.</p> | <p>Name, Fathers' Name, Communication Address, Date of Joining of 17 contractual Group-D staffs have been obtained from this Directorate's record since 11 of them have been engaged in this Directorate and 6 others are working in the O/o DPI, WB. Another 97 Letters of Appointment have been preserved which was forwarded by DPI, WB for communicating to their place of posting. (All 114 Letters of Appointment are kept in this office which may be viewed at any point of time with prior intimation)</p> |
| <p>8. Copy of the Engagement Letters, Joining Report, Agreement copy of Contract, Current month/ previous month pay slip, Proof of Highest Qualification of each individual finally engaged in the govt. offices.</p> | <p>Copy of the Engagement Letters, Joining Report, Agreement copy of Contract, in respect of 17 Contractual Group-D staffs are available in this Directorate's Office, since such no. of Contractual Group-D staffs are working in the office of DPI, WB and DSE, WB.</p> |
| <p>9. Name and Designation of the Drawing and Disbursing Officers of the district offices and subordinate offices including in Govt. Schools who draws the wages/ remuneration of this contractual Group-D employees from the date of their joining.</p> | <p>In case of 17 employees of Education Directorate, the name of DDO is DDSE (Boys High) who is drawing and disbursing their remuneration till now. In the Regional and subordinate offices, the HOI in maximum cases and in case of engagement the DDO of DI/S(SE)</p> |

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| | & (PE) have been drawing and disbursing remuneration generally. |
| 10. Whether any annual increment or any other benefits allowed after expiry of the said contract, it allowed then please furnish the letter/order/notification/memorandum from the School Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal (don't enclose the copy of the Finance Department, Govt. of West Bengal). | Yes. enhancement of remuneration @3% in every year has been allowed to them in terms of Memorandum No. 1107-F(P) dated 25.02.2016 & their remuneration have been revised in terms of Memo No. 1033-F(P2) dated 08.02.2019, read with Memo No. 1091-F(P2) dated 01.03.2024 accordingly. |
| 11. Copy of the Renewal Agreement made if any after expiry of contract as per Memorandum No. 9008-F(P) dated 16.09.2011. | There is no need for renewal of Agreement since after engagement, Govt. has confirmed their engagement up to the age of 60 yrs. Vide Memo No. 1107-F(P) dated 25.07.2016 (CP No. 10 to 11) read with Memo No. 3998-F (P2) dated 15.07.2019 (CP No. 17), No. 1033-F(P2) dated 08.02.2019 (CP No 18 to 19), read with Memo No. 1091-F(P2) dated 01.03.2024 (CP No. 21 to 22). |

C.M.

 Deputy Director of School Education (Admn),
 West Bengal

Government of West Bengal
Directorate of School Education
Bikash Bhawan, 7th Floor
Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091

Dated, July 10 Kolkata.

Memo No. 191 SP/RTI
SPIO/RTI/DR /03/2024

From: The Deputy Director of School Education (IEDSS), WB & SPIO
Directorate of School Education, Bikash Bhawan, 7th Floor,
Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091.

To: Goutam Sardar .Advocate, High Court, Calcutta Legal Aid Forum, Prantik, Subuddhipur, P.O.&
P.S.-Baruipur, South 24 Parganas, Pin-700144

Sub: Regarding his RTI application , Dated-17.4.24,

Ref: 1.Memo No.648-Sc/Apt , Dated-9.7.24

2. Memo No.187.SP/RTI, dated-25.4.24

With respect to the memo under reference 2, the SPIO cell has received memo under reference 1,
which is forwarded to him for information.


S.P.I.O.

Deputy Director of School Education (IEDSS), WB