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BEFORE THE WEST BENGAL INFORMATION COMMISSION  
(Under Section 19(3) of the Right to Information Act, 2005)

In the matter of:

Shri Dibyendu Narayan Sinha  
... Appellant  
Vs.

1. The State Public Information Officer (SPIO), Office of the District Land & Land Reforms Officer (DL&LRO), Purba Bardhaman.
2. The First Appellate Authority (FAA), Additional District Magistrate & DL&LRO, Purba Bardhaman

..... Respondents

1. PARTICULARS OF THE APPELLANT:

Name: Shri Dibyendu Narayan Sinha  
Address: B-39, Ambedkar Sarani, Non-Company, City Centre,  
Durgapur, Paschim Bardhaman, PIN-713216  
Age: 85 years (Senior Citizen)  
Contact: 7384464478

2. PARTICULARS OF THE RESPONDENTS:

SPIO: SPIO & Dy. DL&LRO,  
Office of the DL&LRO, Rajbati,  
Purba Bardhaman, PIN-713104.  
FAA: Additional District Magistrate & District Land & Land Reforms  
Officer,  
Purba Bardhaman

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### 3. BRIEF FACTS OF THE CASE:

- a) The Appellant filed an RTI application on 26/03/2025 addressed to the District Magistrate, Purba Bardhaman.
- b) Information Sought: Details regarding owner/builder and legal permissions for a large building construction on Plot No: 415/671 & 415/672 of Debipur Mouza.
- c) Bureaucratic Shuttling: The application was transferred from the DM's office to the DL&LRO on 04/04/2025, and then to the BL&LRO, Memari-I on 24/04/2025.
- d) First Appeal: Due to non-receipt of information (deemed refusal), the Appellant filed a First Appeal on 12/10/2025.
- e) FAA Order: The FAA disposed of the appeal on 10/11/2025, stating that "this office is not the custodian of above information".

### 4. GROUNDS FOR SECOND APPEAL:

1. Violation of Statutory Duty: Despite the application being transferred multiple times under Section 6(3), no office has provided the information. The SDL&LRO even returned the file claiming it was "not under the purview of this office".
2. Incorrect Order by FAA: The FAA (ADM & DL&LRO) dismissed the appeal on 10/11/2025 solely on the grounds of not being the "custodian", without directing the actual custodian (under his administrative control) to provide the information.
3. Harassment of a Senior Citizen: The Appellant is an 85-year-old senior citizen who has been forced to write numerous follow-ups. The respondents have used "time-buying techniques" by endlessly transferring the file.
4. Public Interest & Legal Rights: The information is vital for the Appellant to protect his rights as a co-sharer against alleged unauthorized construction on ancestral property.

## 5. PRAYER / RELIEF SOUGHT:

The Appellant most respectfully prays that the Hon'ble Commission may be pleased to:

1. Direct the Respondents to provide the specific information regarding building ownership and legal permissions for Plot Nos. 415/671 and 415/672, Debipur Mouza immediately.
2. Impose Penalty under Section 20(1) of the RTI Act on the SPIOs responsible for the inordinate delay and "deemed refusal".
3. Recommend Disciplinary Action against the officials for systematic harassment and evasion of duty.
4. Direct that information be provided free of cost as per Section 7(6) of the Act.

Verification:

I, Dibyendu Narayan Sinha, do hereby declare that the particulars stated above are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date: 07.01.26  
Place: Durgapur

*Dibyendu Narayan Sinha*

Date: 07/01/2026

**To,  
The Registrar,  
West Bengal Information Commission  
Khadyashree Bhavan,  
11A, Mirza Ghalib Street,  
Kolkata - 700087**

Subject: Filing of Second Appeal u/s 19(3) of the RTI Act, 2005 against the Order of FAA, ADM & DL&LRO, Purba Bardhaman in Appeal Case No. 70/25.

Respected Sir/Madam,

I, Dibyendu Narayan Sinha, an 85-year-old senior citizen, hereby submit this Second Appeal for your kind consideration.

I am aggrieved by the Order dated 10.11.2025 passed by the First Appellate Authority (FAA). Despite my RTI application dated 26/03/2025 being transferred through multiple offices (DM to DL&LRO to BL&LRO to SDL&LRO), I have been denied information regarding unauthorized construction on my ancestral property.

The FAA disposed of my appeal on the sole ground that his office is "not the custodian" of the information, without ensuring that the actual custodian—who falls under his administrative jurisdiction—furnishes the reply. This has resulted in a "deemed refusal" of my statutory rights for over eight months.

Enclosed herewith for your perusal:

1. Form of Second Appeal (as drafted).
2. Copy of the original RTI Application dated 26/03/2025.
3. Copies of all transfer memos (DM, DL&LRO, and SDL&LRO).

4. Copy of the First Appeal dated 12/10/2025.
5. Copy of the Impugned Order by the FAA dated 10.11.2025.
6. Correspondence from the Dept. of L&LR, Writers' Buildings dated 29/07/2025.

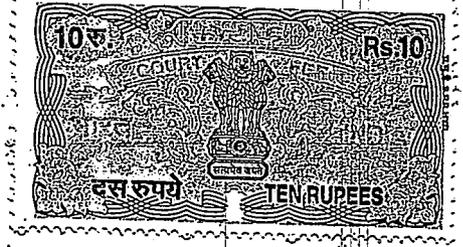
I request the Hon'ble Commission to condone any procedural lapses due to my age and physical infirmity and provide me with the relief sought in the interest of justice.

Yours faithfully,

*Dibyendu Narayan Sinha*

Dibyendu Narayan Sinha

To,  
District Magistrate,  
Purba Bardhaman,  
PIN: 713101



RTI Act, 2005 - Reply

Sub: Unauthorized Construction of a large building at Plot No: 415/671 & 415/672 of Debipur Mouza

Respected Sir,

With reference to the above subject matter, this is for your kind information that regarding the said Construction, I tried to get details of the person/persons responsible for this through RTI under 2005 Act from Debipur Gram Panchayat. They informed me to contact with concerned Block Development Office, Memari-I. On applying under RTI 2005 Act to BDO Office, they informed me to contact with Land Development Department. Now, after contacting with Land Development Department, the office informed me that there is no such record with the office regarding the said matter.

In such a situation, I would like to let you know the fact is that there are Fourteen (14) Share Holders of the said Plot among which I am also a Share Holder. I have never been informed that someone has applied for permission for Construction. Due to such illegal intention which is very clear to me, I wanted to know the following facts through RTI:

1. Who is/are the Owner/Owners of the said building.
2. Which Office has given the Authority to Construct the big house and the relevant Permit No.

But surprisingly, till date I did not find the right information through RTI from the concerned Authorities, the copies of which are attached with this letter.

As such, this is my humble submission to you Sir, I shall be highly obliged and grateful to your kindness if your good office can guide me regarding the said matter so that I can get the right information to enable me to proceed further against such offence through proper forum.

Thanking you in anticipation,

With Regards,

*Dibyendu Narayan Sinha*

(DIBYENDU NARAYAN SINHA) 26/03/25  
B-39, Ambedkar Sarani,  
City Centre, Non Company,  
DURGAPUR - 713216  
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*Dibyendu Narayan Sinha*  
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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL  
OFFICE OF THE BLOCK DEVELOPMENT OFFICER  
MEMARI-I DEVELOPMENT BLOCK, DIST- PURBA BARDHAMAN  
E-mail:- [memari1bdo@gmail.com](mailto:memari1bdo@gmail.com)

Memo No. 01/RTI/M-I

Date. 02-01-2025

To  
Mr. Dibyendu Narayan Sinha  
B-39, Ambedkar Sarani,  
Durgapur,  
Pin-713216  
Mob. : 7384464478

Sub: Reply to your application under R.T.I. Act 2005

Sir,

As per your application to this end under R.T.I. Act 2005, this is to inform you that there is no such information found regarding your queries under Memari-I Block Office. Please contact concerned department (Land Department) regarding this.

*Bero* 02/01/25  
SPIO & Jt. B.D.O.  
Jt. Block Development Officer  
Memari-I Dev. Block  
Memari, Purba Bardhaman

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# DEBIPUR GRAMPANCHAYAT

Memari -I Panchayat Samity  
DEBIPUR \*\* Purbo Barddhaman



Memo No :- DGP/1122/24  
Date :- 10/12/2024

RTI REC. NO :- 01/24-25/ 02.12.2024

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০২/১২/২০২৪ তারিখে প্রাপ্ত আর টি আই এর তথ্যপ্রদান বিষয়ক।

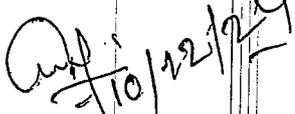
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আপনাকে অবগত করা যাইতেছে যে, তথ্য জানিবার অধিকার আইন-২০০৫ তে ০২/১২/২০২৪ তারিখে প্রাপ্ত যে তথ্য জানতে চেয়ে আবেদন করিয়াছিলেন সে বিষয়ে আপনাকে জ্ঞাত করা যাইতেছে যে উল্লিখিত তথ্য গুলি গ্রাম পঞ্চায়েতের আওতাভুক্ত নহে।

এ বিষয়ে মহাশয়কে সংশ্লিষ্ট দপ্তরের সঙ্গে যোগাযোগের অনুরোধ জানাই।

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Date October 12, 2025

To,  
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PurbaBardhaman,  
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I, ShriDibyendu Narayan Sinha, am compelled to file this first appeal under Section 19(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, as I have been denied information and subjected to considerable harassment through the deliberate mishandling of my RTI application. The information pertains to an alleged unauthorized construction on a joint property (Plot No: 415/671 & 415/672 of DebipurMouza) .

**1. Details of the RTI Application:**

Date of RTI Application: 26/03/2025.

Originally Addressed to: The District Magistrate, PurbaBardhaman.

Information Sought: Details of a large building constructed on Plot No: 415/671 & 415/672 of DebipurMouza, specifically the name of the owner/builder and whether legal permission for construction was obtained and if so when.

**2. Chronology of Events Highlighting Harassment and Deprivation of Information:**

My simple request for information has been deliberately stalled by being shuttled between various departments, with no single authority taking

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The S.P.I.O from the District Magistrate's office transferred my application under Section 6(3) to the State Public Information Officer, O/o the District Land & Land Reforms Officer (DL&LRO), PurbaBardhaman.

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The SPIO & Dy. DL&LRO, PurbaBardhaman, again transferred the application under Section 6(3) to the S.A.P.I.O. & Block Land & Land Reforms Officer (BL&LRO), Memari-I.

Deemed Refusal: Following this transfer, I received no reply from the BL&LRO, Memari-I. The statutory 30-day period for providing information expired, constituting a deemed refusal under Section 7(2) of the RTI Act.

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Having received no information, I was forced to write a follow-up letter to the District Magistrate highlighting the lack of action.

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Instead of ensuring the information was provided, the District Magistrate's office simply forwarded my letter to the Dy. District Land & Land Reforms Officer for "necessary action". This was nothing but a time-buying technique.

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In light of the above facts, I pray that the First Appellate Authority:

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Noted on 05/12/25 and  
Recvd. on 06/12/25 at  
12:10 pm.



GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL  
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT LAND AND LAND REFORMS OFFICER  
PURBA BARDHAMAN

P.O. RAJBATI, BARDHAMAN. PIN CODE: 713104

Phone no.0342-2530641 / Fax no.0342-2533348/e-mail: [dlropurbabardhaman@gmail.com](mailto:dlropurbabardhaman@gmail.com)

Memo. No: 354(393) / 1376 (2) / E/2025

Dated, Bardhaman the

10.11.2025

1. To  
B.L & L.R.O.  
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2. To,  
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B-39, Ambedkar Sarani, non-company  
City Centre, Durgapur, PIN 713216,  
Paschim Bardhaman  
PIN 713216,

Sub: Appeal u/s 19(1) of RTI act 2005, in respect of Appeal Case No -70/25.

With reference to the above subject, Order sheet of the Appeal Case No. 70/25 is being sent herewith for his information and taking necessary action.

  
Additional District Magistrate and  
District Land & Land Reforms Officer,  
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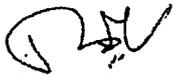
**ORDER SHEET**

(RULE 129 OF THE RECORD MANUAL, 1917)

Order Sheet, Dated from 20.08.2025 to 10.11.2025

District : Purba Bardhaman

Name of the Case : Appeal Case No. 70/2025 – Dibyendu Narayan Sinha, u/s 19 (1) of RTI Act, 2005

Serial number and date of order	Order and signature of the Officer	Note of action taken on order
01 ----- 22.08.2025	<p>Whereas, it appears from the records that the petitioner preferred appeal on 06.08.2025 u/s 19 (1) of RTI, Act 2005 being aggrieved of the information sought by himself through his earlier representation submitted on 30/07/2025 before the Appellate Authority of S.D.O., Sadar South. The same was forwarded by the SPIO, Bardhaman Sadar (South) office of the Sub- Divisional Officer Sadar South, to this office on 20.08.2025.</p> <p>That in pursuance of RTI Act, 2005, the appellant &amp; respondent are asked to appear before the undersigned.</p> <p>DA is asked to issue notice to the petitioner namely Dibyendu Narayan Sinha and B.L. &amp; L.R.O. and SAPIO, Memari-I to appear before the undersigned on 18.09.2025 at 12:00-PM at the office chamber of the undersigned with all relevant documents in original in support of his claim. DA is again directed to serve the notice accordingly and service return to be kept with Case Record.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> Appellate Authority Under RTI Act, 2005 Additional District &amp; Magistrate &amp; District Land and Land Reforms Officer Purba Bardhaman</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Memo No. 354(393)/1167/F/2025 dated, Purba Bardhaman the 08.09.2025</p>
02 ----- 18.09.2025	<p>Petitioner is absent and submitted one representation regarding his absence. It is seen that he is a senior citizen of 85 years and not physically fit to be present in the hearing.</p> <p>Seen petitioner's submission requesting for the reply of his RTI prayer without further hearing and harassment.</p> <p>It is seen that he has sought for information relating to name of owner/builder regarding building construction on Plot No. 415/671 and 415/672 of Debipur Mouza along with date of legal permission for such construction.</p> <p>However, this office is not the custodian of above information.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> Appellate Authority Under RTI Act, 2005 Additional District &amp; Magistrate &amp; District Land and Land Reforms Officer</p>	

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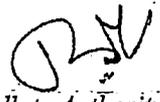
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It is pertinent to mention that the appellant has again submitted another memorandum of appeal u/s 19(1) of the RTI Act 2005 dated 12/10/2025 with the same subject matter and received on 15.10.2025.

However, this office is not the custodian of above information.

Hence the appeal is disposed of.

Copy of the order be served upon the complainant.

  
Appellate Authority  
Under RTI Act, 2005  
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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL  
DEPARTMENT OF LAND & LAND REFORMS & REFUGEE RELIEF & REHABILITATION  
ESTT. (INF.) BRANCH , BLOCK -V , 1<sup>ST</sup> FLOOR ,  
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No. 2007- Estt, (Inf.)/IC/Paschim Bdwn-08/25

Date : 29/07/2025

From : The Assistant Secretary & SPIO to the  
Government of West Bengal

✓ To : Shri Dibyendu Narayan Sinha,  
B-39, Ambedkar Sarani, Non-Company, City Centre,  
Durgapur, Paschim Bardhaman, Pin- 713216.

Sub : Information sought under the RTI Act.

Ref : His application dated 20/05/2025 regarding non-receipt of information w.r.t. his RTI  
application dtd. 26/03/2025

With reference to his aforementioned letter, received by this department on 02/07/2025, it is to be mentioned that the subject matter pertains to an RTI matter that has already been taken up by the DM, Purba Bardhaman and the Dy. DL & LRO, Purba Bardhaman, as such the undersigned is not the relevant authority for further action in this matter at this stage.

Accordingly, he may consider submitting an appeal under section 19(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 before the ADM and DL & LRO, Purba Bardhaman, who is the competent First Appellate Authority in this matter.

This is for his kind information and necessary action.

  
Assistant Secretary & SPIO to the  
Govt. of West Bengal

Attested  
Dibyendu Narayan Sinha  
07.07.26