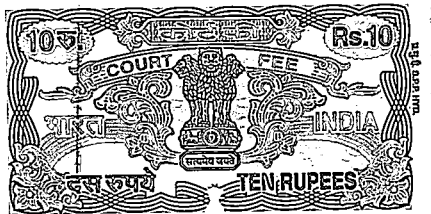


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09/10/2025



Second Appeal under Section 19(3) of the RTI Act, 2005

To,
The State Information Commissioner,
West Bengal Information Commission,
11A, Mirza Ghalib Street,
Khadya Bhavan,
Kolkata – 700 087

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24/9/25

Subject: Second Appeal for supply of copies of GD No. 5491 (24.09.2024) and GD No. 3093 (29.09.2024)

1. Particulars of the Appellant

NAME: Shobha Roy

ADDRESS: B 2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata-700070

CONTACT NO: 9830580141

2. Particulars of the Public Authority

Commissioner of Police, Howrah City Police (First Appellate Authority)

3. Background

I filed an RTI application dated February 12, 2025, addressed to the SPIO, Howrah City Police (The Deputy Commissioner of Police, Howrah). The SPIO responded through Memo-2233E on May 7, 2025. Thereafter, I filed a First Appeal before the First Appellate Authority (Commissioner of Police, Howrah) on June 2, 2025. The First Appellate Authority (FAA) issued an order on June 30, 2025, via Memo-3422E, refusing to entertain the appeal on the ground that a civil suit no. 549 of 2025, is pending before the Howrah Civil Court.

4. Grounds of Appeal

- a. The relief sought by this RTI appeal is simple. I request the certified copies of two General Diary entries already acknowledged by the public authority, namely:
 - GD No. 5491 dated 24 September 2024
 - GD No. 3093 dated 29 September 2024
- b. The FAA's refusal, citing the pendency of a civil suit, is contrary to the RTI Act. Section 8(1)(b) permits denial only if disclosure has been expressly forbidden by a court or if it would constitute contempt of court. No such order of the Howrah Civil Court has been produced.
- c. Mere pendency of a litigation is not a statutory exemption under Sections 8 or 9 of the RTI Act. Therefore, the FAA's refusal is illegal and violates Section 7(1) of this Act.
- d. The Central Information Commission has held in multiple decisions (e.g., Yash Paul Manvi vs Department of Personnel & Training, 2021) that pendency of a case does not fall under any RTI exemptions.

5. Prayer

In light of the above, I respectfully pray that the Honourable State Information Commission:

- Direct the SPIO, Howrah City Police, to supply certified copies of GD No. 5491 (24.09.2024) and GD No. 3093 (29.09.2024).
- Record that the pendency of a civil suit is not an exemption under the RTI Act;
- Consider appropriate remedies under Section 20(1) of the RTI Act for the SPIO/FAA's denial of information, which was without reasonable cause and contrary to the RTI Act, 2005
- Exercise powers under Section 19(8) to secure compliance with the RTI Act;
- Pass such other orders as may be deemed fit in the interest of justice.

Declaration:

I state that the information sought under this application does not fall within the restrictions contained in Sections 8 and 9 of the RTI Act, and to the best of my knowledge, it pertains to your office. The information sought is specifically related to the grievances previously stated by me against the accused.

Being a bonafide citizen of India, I am competent and eligible to seek and obtain the aforesaid information under the Right to Information Act, 2005.

Date: 20/9/2025
Place: KOLKATA

Yours sincerely,

Shobha Roy
(SHOBHA ROY)

Enclosures:

1. A copy of the original complaint to the three police authorities
2. A copy of the RTI application to the SPIO, Howrah City Police, dated February 12, 2025
3. A copy of the reply to the above application via Memo-2233E
4. A copy of the RTI appeal to the First Appellate Authority (FAA) of Howrah City Police, dated June 2, 2025
5. A copy of the FAA's order rejecting the First Appeal, via Memo-3422E
6. A court fee of Rs. 10 is attached as the application fee
7. A self-attested copy of Aadhaar

Date: 27th September 2024

To,

1. Commissioner of Police
Howrah Police Commissionerate
28 No. Nityadhyan Mukherjee Road,
Howrah-711101
2. Deputy Commissioner of Police
Howrah Police Commissionerate
28 No. Nityadhyan Mukherjee Road,
Howrah-711101
3. Officer in Charge
Shibpur Police station
Howrah 711102

RE: Demand for justice in the case of illegal actions of (1) Rama Prasad Paul, resident of 30A Kasundia Road, Howrah 711101 and (2) Rina Ghosh 117/118 Kasundia Road, Khurut, Shibpur, Howrah 711101

Sir,

I, Shobha Roy, wife of Late Tapan Kumar Ray aged about 80 years, by faith Hindu, by occupation Home-maker, presently residing at B2/2 Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata 700070 would like to bring to your attention the following:-

1. That my husband Tapan Kumar Ray, son of Late Ranendra Kumar Ray, resident of 117/118 Kasundia Road, Khurut, Shibpur, Howrah 711101 passed

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away on 6th February 2021 at the District Hospital Howrah, leaving behind me and my son Abhijit Roy as his only legal heirs.

2. That my husband Late Tapan Kumar Ray was a tenant of premises no. at 117/118 Kasundia Road, Howrah, Ground Floor, Howrah 711101, since 50 years. I along with our son lived together with my husband.
3. It is imperative to state that we also have a flat situated B2/2 Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata 700070, where we occasional used to go and visit. Since 2019 we had started living permanently in the said premises after coming to know about my husband's illicit relationship with one of our neighbours namely Rina Ghosh. Hence my deceased husband was still staying in Howrah and I along with my son stayed at the Kolkata flat.
4. On 6th February 2021, I found out that my husband has passed away. My son and I rushed to the hospital and after completing all formalities were able to get my husband's body and perform his last rites. After completing all the rites and customary mourning, on 10th February 2021, I along with my son went to our residence at Howrah and found the same to be locked. The lock was not our own lock. I called Mr. Rama Prasad Paul to open the lock, so that we can collect all our belongings and handover the possession back to Mr. Rama Prasad Paul, the landlord. I was told by Mr. Rama Prasad Paul to approach the neighbours, Rathin Ghosh or Rina Ghosh, for further directions. Subsequently, I personally approached our next-door neighbour, Rina Ghosh, who told us that the lock had been put by one SI Debi Prasad Mukherjee of Shibpur Police Station, and only he had the authority to open it. She also gave us the contact number of Mr. Mukherjee (9433941809).
5. Vide 10th February 2021, I informed the Officer in Charge Shibpur Police Station regarding the above stated facts and requested that I shall be allowed access to take my belongings from our residence and the said letter was registered as a

General diary being no. 661 of 10th February 2021. I was then informed that no such lock was put by any officer and Mr. Rama Prasad Paul has put the said lock and has handed over the keys to one Rina Ghosh, neighbour. My son Abhijit Roy requested the officers to help him as the landlord has illegally, dishonestly, maliciously, and wrongly kept the house under lock and key and is in possession of all the valuable movable items in the residence including cash, but the officer refused to help and instead intimidated us and asked us to immediately leave the premises. My son suffered a chest pain, increased blood pressure and breathlessness due to the intimidation faced by them at the police station.

6. Thereafter, I have approached the officers at Shibpur Police Station namely ASI Kaushik Chandra but he always told us that he could not help us as the keys are with the landlord and Rina Ghosh and we should collect the same from her.
7. Thereafter I sent the copy of the General diary to the landlord and informed him of the development but he refused to open the lock of the house unless the above named officers of the Shibpur Police Station instructed him, as the locks were put on their instructions.
8. Having no other alternative, I through my Learned Advocate Mr. S.K. Jana, sent a legal notice dated 16th March 2021 and 1st April 2021, calling upon the landlord Rama Prasad Paul to give us access to the residence, so as to allow me to take my belongings. Vide letter dated 23rd March 2021 and 7th April 2021, the landlord Rama Prasad Paul replied and reiterated that he would not open the locks unless the police personnel direct him to do so.
9. As I was not getting proper response and information from the Police Officials, I filed a RTI application dated 29th January 2024 and 27th February 2024 addressed to the SPIO, Howrah Police and received a response on 22nd March 2024 wherein it was stated that no information was available. Subsequently, I

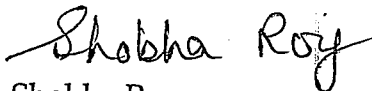
filed an appeal dated 18th April 2024 before the Appellate Authority, Commissioner of Police Howrah and the same was disposed off by order dated 23rd May 2024 and no information was provided.

10. You are requested to consider that I am a senior citizen, and several valuable items are in the said residence and I believe that the landlord and Rina Ghosh have illegally, wrongly, maliciously and intentionally kept the house under lock and key and are misappropriating the movable assets owned by my deceased husband, me and my son, which were in the impugned residence. This act of the landlord in conspiracy with Rina Ghosh is cause extreme financial hardship, emotional and mental harassment.

A list of the movable items, documents and cash that were at the residence at the time of the demise of my husband is annexed herewith and marked with letter "A"

11. Under the abovementioned circumstances, I am calling upon you to take necessary steps to register a FIR against the landlord Rama Prasad Paul and Rina Ghosh and direct them to provide access to the residence. Please treat this as a demand for justice.

Yours faithfully


Shobha Roy

Address: B 2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata 700070

Phone No: +919830580141

To,
The State Public Information Officer,
Deputy Commissioner of Police,
Head Quarter, Howrah,
28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road,
Howrah - 711101

Subject: Information sought under the Right to Information Act, 2005

Dear Sir,

You are requested to provide me with the following information under Section 6(1) of the provision of the "Right to Information Act, 2005". I am enclosing a court fee of Rs. 10 along with this application as the required fee for the RTI application. I humbly seek the following information regarding the unlawful actions of Mr Rama Prasad Paul and Mrs Rina Ghosh concerning the locked premises.

1. Whether a Letter of Justice (a verbatim copy of the letter is enclosed and marked as Annexure A) dated September 4, 2024, was received by
 - a. The Commissioner of Police (Speed Post tracking ID **EW094295624IN**)
 - b. Deputy Commissioner of Police (Speed Post tracking ID **EW094295641IN**)
 - c. Officer-in-charge of Shibpur Police Station (Speed Post tracking ID **EW094295638IN**)
2. Whether a reminder letter with the same content was received by all the 3 authorities mentioned in point no. 1, dated September 28, 2024, with the following details:
 - a. Speed Post Tracking **EW122207795IN**
 - b. Speed Post Tracking **EW122207910IN**
 - c. Speed Post Tracking **EW122207910IN**
3. Did the police authorities initiate any formal inquiry into this matter? If so, kindly specify the name and designation of the Investigating Officer. Also, give a summary of the inquiry as recorded (if at all) in the station diary of Shibpur Police Station (which has the jurisdiction in this incident).
4. Did the police authorities file an FIR? If yes, kindly provide the FIR number and a certified copy of the FIR, or outline the procedure to obtain a copy of such FIR.
5. Did the police authorities contact either Mr Rama Prasad Paul or Mrs Rina Ghosh as part of a formal inquiry? If yes, kindly mention the mode of communication: by phone, letter, personal visit, or any combination of these.
6. If the police contacted Mr Rama Prasad Paul by phone, kindly provide the date and time of the call, its duration, the officer's name, and a summary of the discussion.
7. If any formal letter was sent to either Mr Rama Prasad Paul or Mrs Rina Ghosh during the inquiry, kindly provide a copy of the letter.
8. If an inquiry took place, kindly share a summary of the preliminary findings from the inquiry, as well as the specific dates on which such formal inquiry took place and the findings on each date.

Declaration:

I state that the information sought under this application does not fall within the restrictions contained in Sections 8 and 9 of the RTI Act and to the best of my knowledge, it pertains to your office. The information sought is specifically related to the grievances previously stated by me against the accused.

Being a bonafide citizen of India, I am competent and eligible to seek and obtain the aforesaid information under the Right to Information Act, 2005.

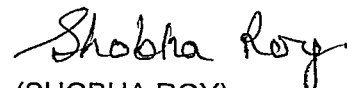
In case the above information sought is not available with your department then in such event, you are requested to transfer this application to the appropriate public authority in accordance with Section 6(3) of the RTI Act and intimate me the same.

Your compliance hereof will serve justice.

Date:**Place:** Bansdrani, Kolkata**Phone:** 9830580141**Address:**

Shobha Roy,
B 2/2, Flat no. 8,
Brahmapur Northern Park,
South 24 Parganas,
Kolkata - 700070

Yours faithfully,


(SHOBHA ROY)

Enclosures:

- A. Copy of the letter of justice
- B. Self-attested copy of Aadhaar card of Shobha Roy (for identification and confirmation of Indian citizenship only)

Office of the
Commissioner of Police
Howrah

Memo No. 2233-12

Dated 07.05.2025

To
Smt. Shobha Roy
W/o- Tapan Kumar Roy,
B 2/2, Flat No.-8,
Brahmapur Northern Park,
South 24 Parganas,
Kolkata-700070.

Ref:- Your RTI petition dated 12.02.2025.

Please refer to your RTI petitions. The requisite information submitted by Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS, HPC.

A copy of report of the Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS, HPC is enclosed.

If you are not satisfied with this reply you may prefer an appeal to the Commissioner of Police, Howrah, the Appellate Authority of RTI Act '05 within 30 days from the date of receipt of this letter.

<u>Address of SPIO</u>	<u>Address of Appellate Authority</u>
Deputy Commissioner of Police, Headquarters & SPIO, Howrah, 28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road, PS-Howrah, PIN-711101	Commissioner of Police, Howrah, Appellate Authority, 28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road, PS. Howrah. PIN-711101

26/5/25
Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ) &
SPIO, Howrah

Memo No.

Dated 05.2025.

Copy forwarded to the Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS, HPC with reference to his DR No. 3730/2025 dated 06.05.2025 for information.

Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ) &
SPIO, Howrah

To
The Deputy Commissioner of Police (HQ) & SPIO
Howrah Police Commissionerate.

Through proper channel

Ref: Your good office Memo No. 1845/PG/RTI/CP(H) dated 17.04.2025.

Sub: Report of RTI petition dated 12.02.2025 of Smt Shobha Roy.

Sir,

In response to the requisition submitted by Smt Shobha Roy W/O Tapan Kumar Roy of B-22, Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata-700070, I am furnishing herewith the following information as sought for: -

1. Letter of justice petition vide speed post tracking ID.- EW094295638IN was received at Shibpur PS. HPC. Your letter of justices vide speed post tracking ID.- EW09429564IN and EW094295641IN were received through superior officers.
2. Your reminder letter with same content vide speed post tracking ID.- EW122207795IN and EW122207910IN were received through superior officers.
3. Yes, formal enquiry were made over the petition of the present petitioner. This refers to Shibpur PS GDE No. 5491 dated 24.09.2024 and GDE No. 3093 dated. 29.04.2025.

During enquiry EO's had been to 117/118 Kasundia Road, PS- Shibpur Howrah talked with land owner Rama Prosad Paul (73yrs) S O L L. Krishna Kishor Paul of 117/118 Kasundia Road, PS Shibpur, Howrah, Rina Ghosh (65) W/O Rajat Ghosh, tenant of land owner Rama Prosad Paul as well as local people on spot and came to know that one Tapan Roy, husband of petitioner Sobha Roy has been living at 117/118 Kasundia Road, PS Shibpur, Howrah in the house of Rama Prosad Paul at ground floor since long year alone as tenant and he paid the rent of house to land

owner in regular basis. The present petitioner Sobha Roy was not living with her husband at there. On 2nd February 2021 Tapan Roy became seriously ill, accordingly informed his wife & son but they did not come as stated by the local people as well as the land owner. Finding no other alternative the local people with the help of Shibpur PS Police party rescued said Tapan Roy and admitted at Howrah district Hospital. On 06.02.2021 he expired. Since then the tenant room of Tapan Roy under lock and key. After death of Tapan Roy, the land owner stated that he informed the petitioner Sobha Roy to take away the house hold articles of her husband from his house verbally at several time but she did not turn up till date. The present petitioner stated the Land Lord Rama Prosad Paul that she will take away the house hold articles of her husband as per order by Ld. Court. Over this matter on basis of the petition of the land owner Rama Prosad Paul, a civil case is subjudice before Ld Civil Judge (Jr. Divn.) 2nd Court, Howrah vide TS No. 549 of 2025.

4. No FIR Lodged as yet.
5. Enquiry officers examined Rama Prosad Paul (73) and Rina Ghosh (65) during enquiry in personal visit.
6. Enquiry officers is not contacted with Rama Prosad Paul (73) and Rina Ghosh (65) over telephone.
7. No formal letter was provide to Rama Prosad Paul and Rina Ghosh.
8. As noted in colmn No.3.

This is for your kind perusal.

Yours faithfully,

Office In-Charge Shibpur PS.
Howrah Police Ccommissionerate.

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To,
The First Appellate Authority,
The Commissioner of Police,
Howrah City Police,
28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road,
P.S. Howrah-711101

Sub: An appeal under Section 19 of the RTI Act, 2005

Ref: My application under the RTI Act, 2005, dated February 12, 2025, addressed to the SPIO, being the Deputy Commissioner of Police, Headquarters, Howrah.

Dear Sir,

A court fee of Rs. 10 is attached herewith as the application fee of the RTI Appeal.

The undersigned submits an appeal/application with the following details:

1. **OFFICER NAME, DESIGNATION & ADDRESS (WITH TELEPHONE NO) OF SPIO AGAINST WHOM THE APPEAL IS PREFERRED:** Deputy Commissioner of Police, Headquarters & SPIO, Howrah City Police, 28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road, P.S. Howrah-711101
2. **PARTICULARS OF SPIO ORDER- NUMBER AND DATE (IF ANY):** Memo No. 2233-E, dated May 7, 2025
3. **BRIEF FACTS LEADING TO THE APPEAL:** The information provided by the SPIO via Memo No. 2233-E, dated May 7, 2025, (in response to the RTI application by the undersigned, dated February 12, 2025) directly contradicts or is inconsistent with the information provided in response to a previous RTI application, dated January 29, 2024, via Memo No. 1632-E, dated March 22, 2024.
4. **PRAYER/RELIEF SOUGHT:** Under the present circumstances, the appellant prays that:
 - a. The original records are summoned and perused
 - b. That the response of the SPIO be set aside to the extent that it has been appealed against, and the SPIO be directed to provide the information in question in a time-bound manner

- c. That any other relief that the First Appellate Authority deems fit and proper may also be ordered in favour of the appellant.
- d. Along with a postal reply, the appellant should be provided with an email reply to her email address of shobha.1st.july@gmail.com
- e. The appellant should be provided with copies of GD No. 5491, dated 24/9/2024, and GD No. 3093, dated 29/4/2025, mentioned in **paragraph 3** of **Memo 2233-E**, dated May 7, 2025
- f. The **exact dates** on which the formal enquiry was made, and the name and designation of the **enquiry officer**. This was not mentioned in the RTI reply (vide Memo 2233-E dated May 7, 2025), despite the request to do so in the RTI application. If a formal enquiry was made, then a copy of the GD that was filed with the Shibpur PS for such an enquiry
- g. **Kindly confirm** whether the concerned public authority (Shibpur Police Station) initiated the enquiry before **April 10, 2025**.

5. GROUNDS FOR PRAYER/RELIEF:

- a. The SPIO has provided inconsistent information regarding the two different RTI applications, dated January 29, 2024, and February 12, 2025. The SPIO has not taken notice of all the relevant facts before disposing of the RTI Appeal, dated February 12, 2025, thus delaying and denying vital information sought under the RTI Act. Thus, the reply from the SPIO should be set aside with the objective of providing accurate information to the appellant within the recommended time frame of the RTI Act, 2005.
- b. As per the proviso to Section 8(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, the information sought is not a contempt of court, a breach of parliamentary privilege, or an act that endangers national security or impedes any ongoing investigation by a law enforcement agency or prosecution.
- c. In the RTI application dated January 29, 2024 (attached as **Annexure 1**), information was sought as to whether two police officers of the Shibpur PS, namely SI Debi Prasad Mukherjee and ASI Kaushik Chandra, were present to supervise the breaking open of the door, for hospitalising the late Tapan Kumar Ray to the Howrah District Hospital. **Kindly confirm this fact** in the light of the recent reply (vide Memo No. 2233-E). It was also asked in the RTI application dated January 29, 2024, if the instruction to lock the door was issued by either of the two officers. The RTI reply at the time **answered in an unclear manner** (as referenced in paragraphs 3 to 7 of the Memo No. 1632-E, dated March 22, 2024).
- d. However, in reply to the RTI application dated February 12, 2025, which pertains to a previous police complaint (attached as **Annexure 7**), the SPIO has mentioned (vide Memo No. 2233-E) in **paragraph 3** that the deceased (Tapan Kumar Ray) was living alone in his rented flat and he was taken out and hospitalized by the neighbours and officials of the Shibpur PS. It has also

been stated that his wife, Mrs. Shobha Roy, or their only son, Abhijit Roy, was not present at the time of the incident. This information is inconsistent with the information provided in the **Memo No. 1632-E**, between **paragraphs 3 to 7**. I assume that **Memo 2233-E** presents more accurate facts, as it is based on a formal inquiry following a written complaint. Please **confirm these** facts. Also note that since Memo 2233-E mentions the presence of police officers when Tapan Kumar Ray was hospitalised, whether a **GD entry was made regarding the visit by the police officers**. It is standard protocol during a police visit to a private residence (not only were people liable for trespass or misappropriation, but before the hospitalisation, there was no way to ascertain whether Mr Ray's illness was due to any unnatural cause or not).

- e. Was Tapan Kumar Ray hospitalised on the recommendation of any local doctor? If yes, kindly provide his name.
- f. In the letter dated March 23, 2021, Mr Rama Prasad Paul has claimed that the door was locked under instructions from SI Debi Prasad Mukherjee (**paragraph 3 of Annexure 3**). **Kindly confirm this**, in the light of the recent police enquiry (as described in Memo 2233-E).
- g. In a voice call between the appellant (Shobha Roy) and the landlord, Rama Prasad Paul, dated **February 22, 2021**, Mr Paul confirms verbally that the door was locked upon the instructions from **SI Debi Prasad Mukherjee of Shibpur PS**, and a video recording of the incident, from breaking open the door to the locking of the door was made. **Kindly confirm this**.
- h. The above-mentioned facts imply that Tapan Kumar Ray was alone in his flat when the door was broken open and he was hospitalised, under the supervision of officers of the Shibpur PS. **Kindly confirm this fact**. As the Shibpur PS conducted a formal enquiry based on the written complaint (vide **Annexure 7**) by this appellant, I am assuming that the Memo No. 2233-E gives accurate information. Also, confirm if a GD was filed by the concerned officers at Shibpur PS regarding this incident. If yes, please send a copy of that GD.
- i. In a voice call between Shobha Roy and ASI Kaushik Chandra, dated **February 10, 2021**, at around **10:29 AM**, it was mentioned by the police officer that the keys are in the custody of a neighbour. Please check the voice recording of this phone call, and **kindly confirm this**.
- j. Mr Rama Prasad Paul, in his letter dated March 23, 2021, mentions in paragraphs 6, 9 and 10, that the door was locked by **someone other than the landlord**, upon instruction of SI Debi Prasad Mukherjee of Shibpur PS, and this appellant (Shobha Roy) had to seek the permission of the said police station to gain access to her late husband's belongings. He also mentions GD no. 661, dated February 10, 2021, as stating some of these facts. The copy of this GD is attached as **Annexure 8**. **Kindly confirm** whether the permission

from Shibpur PS was necessary (for the **class 1 legal heirs** of late Tapan Kumar Ray) to gain access to the flat and the belongings inside.

- k. The phone calls between this appellant (Shobha Roy) and the landlord, Rama Prasad Paul, happened on the following dates:
 - 1) February 10, 2021
 - 2) February 22, 2021
 - 3) February 27, 2021
 - 4) April 7, 2021
 - l. In none of the above-mentioned phone calls (voice recordings provided in the DVD marked as **Annexure 4**) did Shobha Roy express her **unwillingness to settle the matter amicably** without involving the courts. On the contrary, it was the landlord who insisted on settling the matter via litigation. He also insisted that the locks were placed upon explicit instructions from the police authorities of the Shibpur PS. **Kindly clarify this**, as this contradicts **paragraph 3 of Memo 2233-E**.
 - m. Shobha Roy was not served any court summons till the time of dispatching the written complaints to the three police authorities (vide Speed Post Tracking IDs **EW094295624IN**, **EW094295638IN**, and **EW094295641IN**). There is an error in or confusion about the statement made in **paragraph 3** of the RTI reply (Memo 2233-E). When the Shibpur PS received the written complaint, the **civil suit no. 549, of 2025**, was yet to be filed. **Kindly clarify this**.
6. **VERIFICATION BY THE APPELLANT:** I affirm that all the information in this appeal is true to the best of my knowledge. I also affirm that I am a citizen of India and otherwise competent to file an appeal before the First Appellate Authority.
7. **LIST OF DOCUMENTS IN SUPPORT OF THE APPEAL:**
- a. Self-attested photocopy of the original appeal, dated Jan 29, 2024, marked as **Annexure 1**.
 - b. Photocopy of the response of the SPIO/public authority/official, received with their letter number and date, with self-attestation, if any, marked as **Annexure 2**.
 - c. Letter dated March 23, 2021, from the landlord, Rama Prasad Paul, to Mrs Shobha Roy's former advocate, Mr S.K. Jana (**WB/811/1987**), in reply to a legal notice served by Mr Jana to Rama Prasad Paul, on behalf of his client, Shobha Roy. The letter from the landlord was addressed to Mr Jana. This is marked as **Annexure 3**.
 - d. Voice recordings between Shobha Roy and Rama Prasad Paul, as well as one ASI Kaushik Chandra (formerly posted at Shibpur PS), in a DVD, marked as **Annexure 4**.
 - e. Self-attested photocopy of the original RTI application, dated February 12, 2025, marked as **Annexure 5**.

- f. Photocopy of the response of the SPIO/public authority/official, received with their letter number and date, with self-attestation, if any, marked as **Annexure 6**.
- g. Self-attested copy of a complaint letter addressed to 3 police authorities, viz., the SHO of Shibpur PS, Deputy Commissioner of Police, and Commissioner of Police, Howrah. This is marked as **Annexure 7**.
- h. A copy of GD. no 661, dated February 10, 2021, marked as **Annexure 8**.
- i. Self-attested copy of the Aadhaar card of Shobha Roy, as proof of identity, address and Indian citizenship.

Date: June 2, 2025

Place: Kolkata

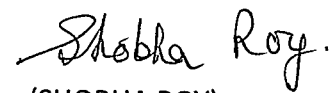
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South 24 Paraganas,
Kolkata-700070

Phone: 9830580141

Email: shobha.1st.july@gmail.com

Yours faithfully,



(SHOBHA ROY)

Appellant



Office of the Commissioner of Police
Howrah Police Commissionerate
Tel : 033-26404001, Ext-268 ; mail – pgcellhpc@gmail.com

Memo No. 3422-E

Dated 30.06.2025.

To
Smt. Shobha Roy
B 2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park,
South 24 Parganas,
Kolkata-700070.

Ref: - Your Appeal petition dated 02.06.2025 arising out of your two RTI petitions dated 29.01.2024 and 12.02.2025.

Please refer to above. I have gone through the relevant record. It is learnt that your RTI petition dated 12.02.2025 was received in this Office on 16.04.2025 and a reply has already been sent to you vide Memo No. 2233-E dated 07.05.2025 by the Deputy Commissioner of Police (HQ) & SPIO, Howrah within the statutory period and also called for a report from concerned Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur Police Station, HPC. He has submitted a report which speaks for itself (enclosed herewith).

Hence, the appeal petition is disposed off.

If you are not satisfied with the information, you can appeal before the State Information Commission, West Bengal having office at Khadya Bhaban, 11A, Mirza Ghalib Street, Kolkata -700087.

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Commissioner of Police, Howrah &
Appellate Authority, RTI Act, Howrah

To,
The Commissioner of Police
Howrah Police Commissionerate.

&

Appellate authority of RTI Act.

(Through Proper Channel)

Sub: Report of RTI petition dated 02.06.2025 of Smt. Shobha Roy.

Ref:- Memo No- 2994/PG/RTI/CP(H) dated 17.06.2025

Sir,

With due respect and humble submission. in response of the appeal petition submitted by Smt. Shobha Roy W/O Lt. Tapan Kumar Roy of B 2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata-700070 I beg to report that with reference to RTI applications dated 29.01.2024 and 12.02.2025, the information that were sought already point wise reply has been provided based on enquiry and on available records. and no additional documentation or clarification can be offered as over this matter a civil case vide TS No-549 of 2025 is subjudice before the Ld. Civil Judge (Jr. Divn.) 2nd Court, Howrah.

This is for your kind information and perusal.

Yours faithfully,

Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS,
Howrah Police Commissionerate.

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17.06.2025



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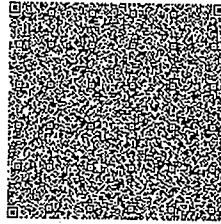
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শোভা রায়
Shobha Roy
W/O: Tapan Kumar Roy
117/118
SWAMI VIVEKANANDA ROAD
Haora (M.Corp)
Khurut Road
Howrah West Bengal - 711101
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শোভা রায়
Shobha Roy
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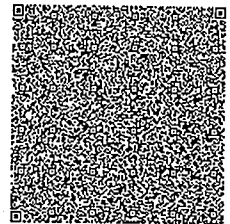


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পশ্চিম বঙ্গ - 711101

Address:

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Hearing on 18-12-2025

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

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Please find the attachment, for further details visit our website

West Bengal Information Commission

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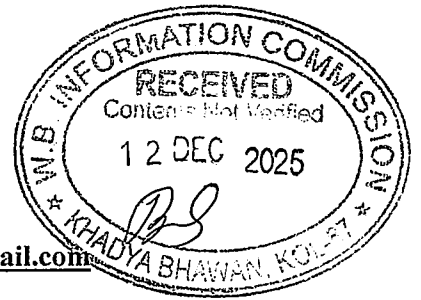
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Office of the Commissioner of Police
Howrah Police Commissionerate
Tel : 033-26404001, Ext-268 ; mail – pgcellhpc@gmail.com

Memo No. 7592 E

Dated 10.12.2025.

To
The Section Officer,
West Bengal Information Commission,
Khadya Bhaban, 11A, Mirza Ghalib Street,
Kolkata-700087.

Ref: - Your good Office Memo No. 6535- WBIC/RTI/A/101356/2435/2025 dated 04.12.2025 and Appeal No. 101356 of 2025 in c/w 2nd Appeal of Smt. Shobha Roy of B 2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata-700070.

With reference to the above, action taken report on the second Appeal is furnished for favour of kind perusal.

- 1) Smt. Shobha Roy submitted a RTI petition dated 12.02.2025 was received in this Office on 12.04.2025 (copy enclosed as Annexure-I). After getting the said RTI petition Deputy Commissioner of Police, Head Quarters & SPIO, Howrah endorsed the same to the Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS, HPC with a direction to furnish the requisite information by 27.04.2025 vide Memo No. 1845/PG/RTI/CP (H) dated 17.04.2025 (copy enclosed as Annexure-II).
- 2) In this connection Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS, HPC submitted a report vide DR No. 3730/25 dated 06.05.2025 (Copy enclosed as Annexure-III).
- 3) The Deputy Commissioner of Police, Head Quarters & SPIO, Howrah a reply was sent to the Applicant vide Memo No. 2233-E dated 07.05.2025 (Copy enclosed as Annexure-IV).
- 4) After receiving the reply by the RTI applicant Smt. Shobha Roy filed an appeal petition dated 02.06.2025 before the Commissioner of Police, Howrah & the appellate Authority of RTI Act (copy enclosed as Annexure-V).
- 5) The Commissioner of Police, Howrah & the appellate Authority of RTI Act. further endorsed the same to the Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS, HPC with a direction to furnish the requisite information by 24.06.2025 vide Memo No. 2994/PG/RTI/CP (H) dated 17.06.2025 (copy enclosed as Annexure-VI)
- 6) In this connection Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS, HPC submitted a report vide DR No. 5477/25 dated 23.06.2025 (Copy enclosed as Annexure-VII).
- 7) The Commissioner of Police, Howrah & the appellate Authority of RTI Act. a reply was sent to the Appellant vide Memo No. 3422-E dated 30.06.2025 (Copy enclosed as Annexure-VIII).
- 8) The RTI applicant Smt. Shobha Roy filed 2nd Appeal petition before the West Bengal Information Commission and in this regard, Hon'ble State Chief Information Commissioner has fixed a date of virtual hearing which will be held on 18.12.2025 at 11.30 AM.

This is for favour of your kind perusal.

S.S.
Hearing
18/12/25

Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ) &
SPIO, Howrah

Encl: As stated above

File No. 139/25

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BEFORE THE NOTARY
ALIPORE JUDGES COURT
KOLATA-700 027

25/04/RT1
21-16/04/2025

To,
The State Public Information Officer,
Deputy Commissioner of Police,
Head Quarter, Howrah,
28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road,
Howrah - 711101

Subject: Information sought under the Right to Information Act, 2005

Dear Sir,

You are requested to provide me with the following information under Section 6(1) of the provision of the "Right to Information Act, 2005". I am enclosing a court fee of Rs. 10 along with this application as the required fee for the RTI application. I humbly seek the following information regarding the unlawful actions of Mr Rama Prasad Paul and Mrs Rina Ghosh concerning the locked premises.

- Whether a Letter of Justice (a verbatim copy of the letter is enclosed and marked as Annexure A) dated September 4, 2024, was received by
 - The Commissioner of Police (Speed Post tracking ID EW094295624IN)
 - Deputy Commissioner of Police (Speed Post tracking ID EW094295641IN)
 - Officer-in-charge of Shibpur Police Station (Speed Post tracking ID EW094295638IN)
- Whether a reminder letter with the same content was received by all the 3 authorities mentioned in point no. 1, dated September 28, 2024, with the following details:
 - Speed Post Tracking EW122207795IN
 - Speed Post Tracking EW122207910IN
 - Speed Post Tracking EW122207910IN

Did the police authorities initiate any formal inquiry into this matter? If so, kindly specify the name and designation of the Investigating Officer. Also, give a summary of the inquiry as recorded (if at all) in the station diary of Shibpur Police Station (which has the jurisdiction in this incident).

Did the police authorities file an FIR? If yes, kindly provide the FIR number and a certified copy of the FIR, or outline the procedure to obtain a copy of such FIR.

- Did the police authorities contact either Mr Rama Prasad Paul or Mrs Rina Ghosh as part of a formal inquiry? If yes, kindly mention the mode of communication: by phone, letter, personal visit, or any combination of these.
- If the police contacted Mr Rama Prasad Paul by phone, kindly provide the date and time of the call, its duration, the officer's name, and a summary of the discussion.
- If any formal letter was sent to either Mr Rama Prasad Paul or Mrs Rina Ghosh during the inquiry, kindly provide a copy of the letter.
- If an inquiry took place, kindly share a summary of the preliminary findings from the inquiry, as well as the specific dates on which such formal inquiry took place and the findings on each date.

12 FEB 2025

Declaration:

I state that the information sought under this application does not fall within the restrictions contained in Sections 8 and 9 of the RTI Act and to the best of my knowledge, it pertains to your office. The information sought is specifically related to the grievances previously stated by me against the accused.

Being a bonafide citizen of India, I am competent and eligible to seek and obtain the aforesaid information under the Right to Information Act, 2005.

In case the above information sought is not available with your department then in such event, you are requested to transfer this application to the appropriate public authority in accordance with Section 6(3) of the RTI Act and intimate me the same.

Your compliance hereof will serve justice.

Date: 12/2/2025.

Place: Bansdroni, Kolkata

Phone: 9830580141

Address:

Shobha Roy,

B 2/2, Flat no. 8,

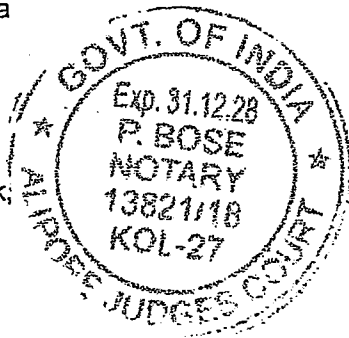
Brahmapur Northern Park,

South 24 Parganas,

Kolkata - 700070

Yours faithfully,

Shobha Roy
(SHOBHA ROY)

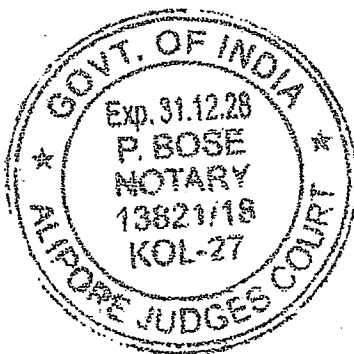


Enclosures:

- A. Copy of the letter of justice
- B. Self-attested copy of Aadhaar card of Shobha Roy (for identification and confirmation of Indian citizenship only)

*True copy of the
original notarized
document.*

Shobha Roy
9/4/2025



Identified by me

Debasish Chowdhury
Debasish Chowdhury
Advocate
Adv. No. 829/1983,
Alipore Judges' Court, Kol-700 027

Signature Attested

P. Bose
(P. BOSE)
NOTARY
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ANNEXURE "A"

Date: 27th August 2024

To,

1. Commissioner of Police
Howrah Police Commissionerate
28 No. Nityadhyan Mukherjee Road,
Howrah-711101
2. Deputy Commissioner of Police
Howrah Police Commissionerate
28 No. Nityadhyan Mukherjee Road,
Howrah-711101
3. Officer in Charge
Shibpur Police station
Howrah 711102

RE: Demand for justice in the case of illegal actions of (1) Rama Prasad Paul, resident of 30A Kasundia Road, Howrah 711101 and (2) Rina Ghosh 117/118 Kasundia Road, Khurut, Shibpur, Howrah 711101

Sir,

I, Shobha Roy, wife of Late Tapan Kumar Ray aged about 80 years, by faith Hindu, by occupation Home-maker, presently residing at B2/2 Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata 700070 would like to bring to your attention the following:-

1. That my husband Tapan Kumar Ray, son of Late Ranendra Kumar Ray, resident of 117/118 Kasundia Road, Khurut, Shibpur, Howrah 711101 passed

away on 6th February 2021 at the District Hospital Howrah, leaving behind me and my son Abhijit Roy as his only legal heirs.

2. That my husband Late Tapan Kumar Ray was a tenant of premises no. at 117/118 Kasundia Road, Howrah, Ground Floor, Howrah 711101, since 50 years. I along with our son lived together with my husband.
3. It is imperative to state that we also have a flat situated B2/2 Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata 700070, where we occasional used to go and visit. Since 2019 we had started living permanently in the said premises after coming to know about my husband's illicit relationship with one of our neighbours namely Rina Ghosh. Hence my deceased husband was still staying in Howrah and I along with my son stayed at the Kolkata flat.
4. On 6th February 2021, I found out that my husband has passed away. My son and I rushed to the hospital and after completing all formalities were able to get my husband's body and perform his last rites. After completing all the rites and customary mourning, on 10th February 2021, I along with my son went to our residence at Howrah and found the same to be locked. The lock was not our own lock. I called Mr. Rama Prasad Paul to open the lock, so that we can collect all our belongings and handover the possession back to Mr. Rama Prasad Paul, the landlord. I was told by Mr. Rama Prasad Paul to approach the neighbours, Rathin Ghosh or Rina Ghosh, for further directions. Subsequently, I personally approached our next-door neighbour, Rina Ghosh, who told us that the lock had been put by one SI Debi Prasad Mukherjee of Shibpur Police Station, and only he had the authority to open it. She also gave us the contact number of Mr. Mukherjee (9433941809).
5. Vide 10th February 2021, I informed the Officer in Charge Shibpur Police Station regarding the above stated facts and requested that I shall be allowed

access to take my belongings from our residence and the said letter was registered as a General diary being no. 661 of 10th February 2021. I was then informed that no such lock was put by any officer and Mr. Rama Prasad Paul has put the said lock and has handed over the keys to one Rina Ghosh, neighbour. My son Abhijit Roy requested the officers to help him as the landlord has illegally, dishonestly, maliciously, and wrongly kept the house under lock and key and is in possession of all the valuable movable items in the residence including cash, but the officer refused to help and instead intimidated us and asked us to immediately leave the premises. My son suffered a chest pain, increased blood pressure and breathlessness due to the intimidation faced by them at the police station.

6. Thereafter, I have approached the officers at Shibpur Police Station namely ASI Kaushik Chandra but he always told us that he could not help us as the keys are with the landlord and Rina Ghosh and we should collect the same from her.
7. Thereafter I sent the copy of the General diary to the landlord and informed him of the development but he refused to open the lock of the house unless the above named officers of the Shibpur Police Station instructed him, as the locks were put on their instructions.
8. Having no other alternative, I through my Learned Advocate Mr. S.K. Jana, sent a legal notice dated 16th March 2021 and 1st April 2021, calling upon the landlord Rama Prasad Paul to give us access to the residence, so as to allow me to take my belongings. Vide letter dated 23rd March 2021 and 7th April 2021, the landlord Rama Prasad Paul replied and reiterated that he would not open the locks unless the police personnel direct him to do so.
9. As I was not getting proper response and information from the Police Officials, I filed a RTI application dated 29th January 2024 and 27th February


2024 addressed to the SPIO, Howrah Police and received a response on 22nd March 2024 wherein it was stated that no information was available. Subsequently, I filed an appeal dated 18th April 2024 before the Appellate Authority, Commissioner of Police Howrah and the same was disposed off by order dated 23rd May 2024 and no information was provided.

10. You are requested to consider that I am a senior citizen, and several valuable items are in the said residence and I believe that the landlord and Rina Ghosh have illegally, wrongly, maliciously and intentionally kept the house under lock and key and are misappropriating the movable assets owned by my deceased husband, me and my son, which were in the impugned residence. This act of the landlord in conspiracy with Rina Ghosh is cause extreme financial hardship, emotional and mental harassment.

A list of the movable items, documents and cash that were at the residence at the time of the demise of my husband is annexed herewith and marked with letter "A"

11. Under the abovementioned circumstances, I am calling upon you to take necessary steps to register a FIR against the landlord Rama Prasad Paul and Rina Ghosh and direct them to provide access to the residence. Please treat this as a demand for justice.

Yours faithfully



Shoba Roy

Address: B 2/2, Brahmapur North Park, Kolkata 700070

Phone No: +919830580141



Office of the Commissioner of Police
Howrah Police Commissionerate
Tel : 033-26404001, Ext-268 ; mail – pgcellhpc@gmail.com

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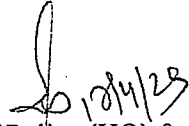
Dated: 17. 04.2025.

To
The Officer-in-Charge,
Shibpur PS,
HPC.

Ref:- RTI petition dated 12.02.2025 of Shobha Roy of B 2/2, Flat No. 8, Brahmapur Northern Park, South 24 Parganas, Kolkata - 700070.

Enclosed please find the copy of RTI petition dated 12.02.2025 of Shobha Roy of B 2/2, Flat No. 8, Brahmapur Northern Park, South 24 Parganas, Kolkata - 700070, which is self explanatory.

You are requested to please furnish requisite information by 27.04.2025 through Public Grievance Cell, Howrah.


Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ) & SPIO
Howrah



To
The Deputy Commissioner of, Police (HQ) & SPIO
Howrah Police Commissionerate.



Through proper channel

Ref: Your good office Memo No. 1845/PG/RTI/CP(H) dated 17.04.2025.

Sub: Report of RTI petition dated 12.02.2025 of Smt Shobha Roy.

Sir,

In response to the requisition submitted by Smt Shobha Roy W/O Tapan Kumar Roy of B/2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata-700070, I am furnishing herewith the following information as sought for: -

1. Letter of justice petitionervide speed post tracking ID.- EW094295638IN was received at shibpur PS, HPC. Your letter of justices vide speed post tracking ID.- EW09429564IN and EW094295641IN were received through superior officers.
2. Your reminder letter with same content vide speed post tracking ID.- EW122207795IN and EW122207910IN were received through superior officers.
3. Yes, formal enquiry were made over the petition of the present petitioner. This refers to Shibpur PS GDE No. 5491 dated 24.09.2024 and GDE No. 3093 dated. 29.04.2025.

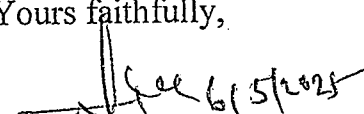
During enquiry EO's had been to 117/118 Kasundia Road, PS-Shibpur Howrah talked with land owner Rama Prosad Paul (73yrs) S/O Lt. Krishna Kishor Paul of 117/118 Kasundia Road, PS Shibpur, Howrah, Rina Ghosh (65) W/O Rajat Ghosh, tenant of land owner Rama Prosad Paul as well as local people on sport and came to know that one Tapan Roy, husband of petitioner Sobha Roy has been living at 117/118 Kasundia Road, PS Shibpur, Howrah in the house of Rama Prosad Paul at ground floor since long year alone as tenant and he paid the rent of house to land

owner in regular basis. The present petitioner Sobha Roy was not living with her husband at there. On 2nd February 2021 Tapan Roy became seriously ill, accordingly informed his wife & son but they did not come as stated by the local people as well as the land owner. Finding no other alternative the local people with the help of Shibpur PS Police party rescued said Tapan Roy and admitted at Howrah district Hospital. On 06.02.2021 he expired. Since then the tenant room of Tapan Roy under lock and key. After death of Tapan Roy, the land owner stated that he informed the petitioner Sobha Roy to take away the house hold articles of her husband from his house verbally at several time but she did not turn up till date. The present petitioner stated the Land Lord Rama Prosad Paul that she will take away the house hold articles of her husband as per order by Ld. Court. Over this matter on basis of the petition of the land owner Rama Prosad Paul, a civil case is subjudice before Ld Civil Judge (Jr. Divn.) 2nd Court, Howrah vide TS No. 549 of 2025.

4. No FIR Lodged as yet.
5. Enquiry officers examined Rama Prosad Paul (73) and Rina Ghosh (65) during enquiry in personal visit.
6. Enquiry officers is not contacted with Rama Prosad Paul (73) and Rina Ghosh (65) over telephone.
7. No formal letter was provide to Rama Prosad Paul and Rina Ghosh.
8. As noted in colmn No.3.

This is for your kind perusal.

Yours faithfully,


Office In-Charge Shibpur PS,
Howrah Police Ccommissionerate.
Inspector-in-Charge
Shibpur Police Station
H.P.C. -

DRD- 3730/25
6/5/25

Office of the
Commissioner of Police
Howrah

Memo No. 2233-E

Dated 07.05.2025.

To
Smt. Shobha Roy
W/o- Tapan Kumar Roy,
B 2/2, Flat No.-8,
Brahmapur Northern Park,
South 24 Parganas,
Kolkata-700070.


Ref:- Your RTI petition dated 12.02.2025.

Please refer to your RTI petitions. The requisite information submitted by Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS, HPC.

A copy of report of the Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS, HPC is enclosed.

If you are not satisfied with this reply you may prefer an appeal to the Commissioner of Police, Howrah, the Appellate Authority of RTI Act' 05 within 30 days from the date of receipt of this letter.


<u>Address of SPIO</u>	<u>Address of Appellate Authority</u>
Deputy Commissioner of Police, Headquarters & SPIO, Howrah, 28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road, PS-Howrah, PIN-711101	Commissioner of Police, Howrah, Appellate Authority, 28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road, PS. Howrah. PIN-711101


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SPIO, Howrah O/c

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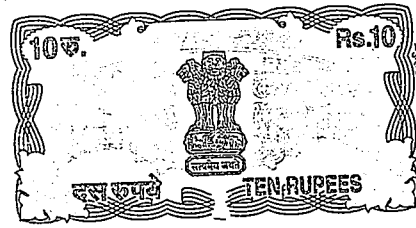
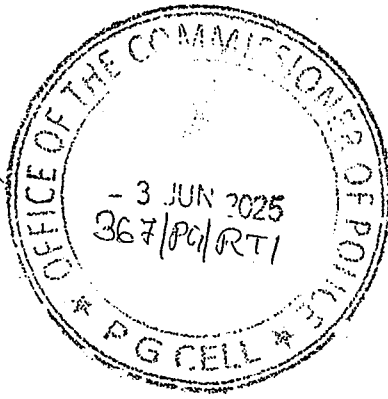
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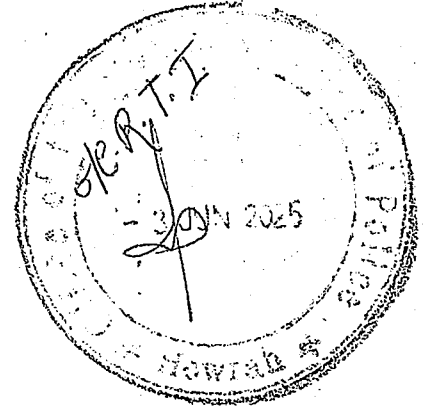
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To,
The First Appellate Authority,
The Commissioner of Police,
Howrah City Police,
28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road,
P.S. Howrah-711101

To 2682
03/06/25



Sub: An appeal under Section 19 of the RTI Act, 2005

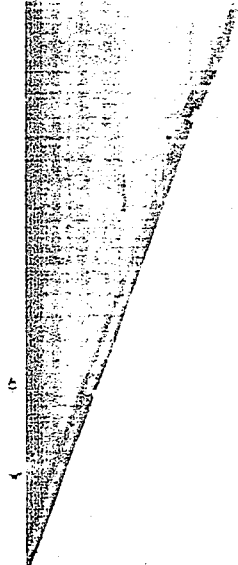
Ref: My application under the RTI Act, 2005, dated February 12, 2025, addressed to the SPIO, being the Deputy Commissioner of Police, Headquarters, Howrah.

Dear Sir,

A court fee of Rs. 10 is attached herewith as the application fee of the RTI Appeal.

The undersigned submits an appeal/application with the following details:

1. **OFFICER NAME, DESIGNATION & ADDRESS (WITH TELEPHONE NO) OF SPIO AGAINST WHOM THE APPEAL IS PREFERRED:** Deputy Commissioner of Police, Headquarters & SPIO, Howrah City Police, 28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road, P.S. Howrah-711101
2. **PARTICULARS OF SPIO ORDER- NUMBER AND DATE (IF ANY):** Memo No. 2233-E, dated May 7, 2025
3. **BRIEF FACTS LEADING TO THE APPEAL:** The information provided by the SPIO via Memo No. 2233-E, dated May 7, 2025, (in response to the RTI application by the undersigned, dated February 12, 2025) directly contradicts or is inconsistent with the information provided in response to a previous RTI application, dated January 29, 2024, via Memo No. 1632-E, dated March 22, 2024.
4. **PRAYER/RELIEF SOUGHT:** Under the present circumstances, the appellant prays that:
 - a. The original records are summoned and perused
 - b. That the response of the SPIO be set aside to the extent that it has been appealed against, and the SPIO be directed to provide the information in question in a time-bound manner

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- c. That any other relief that the First Appellate Authority deems fit and proper may also be ordered in favour of the appellant.
 - d. Along with a postal reply, the appellant should be provided with an email reply to her email address of shobha.1st.july@gmail.com
 - e. The appellant should be provided with copies of GD No. 5491, dated 24/9/2024, and GD No. 3093, dated 29/4/2025, mentioned in **paragraph 3** of **Memo 2233-E**, dated May 7, 2025
 - f. The **exact dates** on which the formal enquiry was made, and the name and designation of the **enquiry officer**. This was not mentioned in the RTI reply (vide Memo 2233-E dated May 7, 2025), despite the request to do so in the RTI application. If a formal enquiry was made, then a copy of the GD that was filed with the Shibpur PS for such an enquiry
 - g. **Kindly confirm** whether the concerned public authority (Shibpur Police Station) initiated the enquiry before **April 10, 2025**.

5. GROUNDS FOR PRAYER/RELIEF:

- a. The SPIO has provided inconsistent information regarding the two different RTI applications, dated January 29, 2024, and February 12, 2025. The SPIO has not taken notice of all the relevant facts before disposing of the RTI Appeal, dated February 12, 2025, thus delaying and denying vital information sought under the RTI Act. Thus, the reply from the SPIO should be set aside with the objective of providing accurate information to the appellant within the recommended time frame of the RTI Act, 2005.
- b. As per the proviso to Section 8(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, the information sought is not a contempt of court, a breach of parliamentary privilege, or an act that endangers national security or impedes any ongoing investigation by a law enforcement agency or prosecution.
- c. In the RTI application dated January 29, 2024 (attached as **Annexure 1**), information was sought as to whether two police officers of the Shibpur PS, namely SI Debi Prasad Mukherjee and ASI Kaushik Chandra, were present to supervise the breaking open of the door, for hospitalising the late Tapan Kumar Ray to the Howrah District Hospital. **Kindly confirm this fact** in the light of the recent reply (vide Memo No. 2233-E). It was also asked in the RTI application dated January 29, 2024, if the instruction to lock the door was issued by either of the two officers. The RTI reply at the time answered in an **unclear manner** (as referenced in paragraphs 3 to 7 of the Memo No. 1632-E, dated March 22, 2024).
- d. However, in reply to the RTI application dated February 12, 2025, which pertains to a previous police complaint (attached as **Annexure 7**), the SPIO has mentioned (vide Memo No. 2233-E) in **paragraph 3** that the deceased (Tapan Kumar Ray) was living alone in his rented flat and he was taken out and hospitalized by the neighbours and officials of the Shibpur PS. It has also

been stated that his wife, Mrs. Shobha Roy, or their only son, Abhijit Roy, was not present at the time of the incident. This information is inconsistent with the information provided in the **Memo No. 1632-E**, between paragraphs 3 to 7. I assume that **Memo 2233-E** presents more accurate facts, as it is based on a formal inquiry following a written complaint. Please confirm these facts. Also note that since **Memo 2233-E** mentions the presence of police officers when Tapan Kumar Ray was hospitalised, whether a **GD entry was made regarding the visit by the police officers**. It is standard protocol during a police visit to a private residence (not only were people liable for trespass or misappropriation, but before the hospitalisation, there was no way to ascertain whether Mr Ray's illness was due to any unnatural cause or not).

- e. Was Tapan Kumar Ray hospitalised on the recommendation of any local doctor? If yes, kindly provide his name.
- f. In the letter dated March 23, 2021, Mr Rama Prasad Paul has claimed that the door was locked under instructions from SI Debi Prasad Mukherjee (paragraph 3 of Annexure 3). Kindly confirm this, in the light of the recent police enquiry (as described in Memo 2233-E).
- g. In a voice call between the appellant (Shobha Roy) and the landlord, Rama Prasad Paul, dated February 22, 2021, Mr Paul confirms verbally that the door was locked upon the instructions from SI Debi Prasad Mukherjee of Shibpur PS, and a video recording of the incident, from breaking open the door to the locking of the door was made. Kindly confirm this.
- h. The above-mentioned facts imply that Tapan Kumar Ray was alone in his flat when the door was broken open and he was hospitalised, under the supervision of officers of the Shibpur PS. Kindly confirm this fact. As the Shibpur PS conducted a formal enquiry based on the written complaint (vide Annexure 7) by this appellant, I am assuming that the Memo No. 2233-E gives accurate information. Also, confirm if a GD was filed by the concerned officers at Shibpur PS regarding this incident. If yes, please send a copy of that GD.
- i. In a voice call between Shobha Roy and ASI Kaushik Chandra, dated February 10, 2021, at around 10:29 AM, it was mentioned by the police officer that the keys are in the custody of a neighbour. Please check the voice recording of this phone call, and kindly confirm this.
- j. Mr Rama Prasad Paul, in his letter dated March 23, 2021, mentions in paragraphs 6, 9 and 10, that the door was locked by someone other than the landlord, upon instruction of SI Debi Prasad Mukherjee of Shibpur PS, and this appellant (Shobha Roy) had to seek the permission of the said police station to gain access to her late husband's belongings. He also mentions GD no. 661, dated February 10, 2021, as stating some of these facts. The copy of this GD is attached as Annexure 8. Kindly confirm whether the permission

from Shibpur PS was necessary (for the **class 1 legal heirs** of late Tapan Kumar Ray) to gain access to the flat and the belongings inside.

k. The phone calls between this appellant (Shobha Roy) and the landlord, Rama Prasad Paul, happened on the following dates:

- 1) February 10, 2021
- 2) February 22, 2021
- 3) February 27, 2021
- 4) April 7, 2021

l. In none of the above-mentioned phone calls (voice recordings provided in the DVD marked as **Annexure 4**) did Shobha Roy express her **unwillingness to settle the matter amicably** without involving the courts. On the contrary, it was the landlord who insisted on settling the matter via litigation. He also insisted that the locks were placed upon explicit instructions from the police authorities of the Shibpur PS. **Kindly clarify this**, as this contradicts **paragraph 3 of Memo 2233-E**.

m. Shobha Roy was not served any court summons till the time of dispatching the written complaints to the three police authorities (vide Speed Post Tracking IDs **EW094295624IN**, **EW094295638IN**, and **EW094295641IN**). There is an error in or confusion about the statement made in **paragraph 3** of the RTI reply (Memo 2233-E). When the Shibpur PS received the written complaint, the **civil suit no. 549, of 2025**, was yet to be filed. **Kindly clarify this**.

6. **VERIFICATION BY THE APPELLANT:** I affirm that all the information in this appeal is true to the best of my knowledge. I also affirm that I am a citizen of India and otherwise competent to file an appeal before the First Appellate Authority.

7. **LIST OF DOCUMENTS IN SUPPORT OF THE APPEAL:**

- a. Self-attested photocopy of the original appeal, dated Jan 29, 2024, marked as **Annexure 1**.
- b. Photocopy of the response of the SPIO/public authority/official, received with their letter number and date, with self-attestation, if any, marked as **Annexure 2**.
- c. Letter dated March 23, 2021, from the landlord, Rama Prasad Paul, to Mrs Shobha Roy's former advocate, Mr S.K. Jana (**WB/811/1987**), in reply to a legal notice served by Mr Jana to Rama Prasad Paul, on behalf of his client, Shobha Roy. The letter from the landlord was addressed to Mr Jana. This is marked as **Annexure 3**.
- d. Voice recordings between Shobha Roy and Rama Prasad Paul, as well as one ASI Kaushik Chandra (formerly posted at Shibpur PS), in a DVD, marked as **Annexure 4**.
- e. Self-attested photocopy of the original RTI application, dated February 12, 2025, marked as **Annexure 5**.

- f. Photocopy of the response of the SPIO/public authority/official, received with their letter number and date, with self-attestation, if any, marked as Annexure 6.
- g. Self-attested copy of a complaint letter addressed to 3 police authorities, viz., the SHO of Shibpur PS, Deputy Commissioner of Police, and Commissioner of Police, Howrah. This is marked as Annexure 7.
- h. A copy of GD. no 661, dated February 10, 2021, marked as Annexure 8.
- i. Self-attested copy of the Aadhaar card of Shobha Roy, as proof of identity, address and Indian citizenship.

Date: June 2, 2025

Place: Kolkata

Address:

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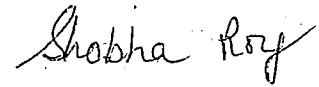
South 24 Paraganas,

Kolkata-700070

Phone: 9830580141

Email: shobha.1st.july@gmail.com

Yours faithfully,



(SHOBHA ROY)

Appellant

ANNEXURE 1

Date 29th January 2024

To,
State Public Information Officer
Deputy Commissioner of Police, Head Quarter, Howrah
28, Nityadhyan Mukherjee Road
Howrah 711101

Sub: Information sought for under the Right to Information Act, 2005

Sir,

You are requested to provide me with the following information under Section 6 (1) of the provision of the "Right to Information Act, 2005"

1. Whether a General Diary no. 661, dated February 10th, 2021, lodged at the Shibpur Police station by one Shobha Roy, wife of Tapan Kumar Roy, resident of B 2/2 Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata-700070? If yes, please provide copy of the same?
2. Whether any general diary/complaint was filed by Shobha Roy, wife of Tapan Kumar Roy, resident of B 2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata-700070, against one Rama Prasad Paul resident of 30A, Kasundia Road, Howrah-711101?
3. Whether ASI Kaushik Chandra of Shibpur Police Station/ SI Debi Prasad Mukherjee of Shibpur Police Station had instructed Rama Prasad Paul resident of 30A, Kasundia Road, Howrah-711101, to lock late Tapan Kumar Roy's residence situated at 117/118 Kasundia Road, Howrah-711101, when he was taken to the hospital on 1st February 2021?
4. Whether any police officer was present at 117/118 Kasundia Road, Howrah-711101, along with Rama Prasad Paul resident of 30A Kasundia Road, Howrah-711101, at the time of locking the premises being 117/118 Kasundia Road, Howrah-711101?
5. Whether an inventory list was prepared by the police officer/witness present at 117/118 Kasundia Road, Howrah-711101, along with Rama Prasad Paul resident of 30A Kasundia Road, Howrah-711101, at the time of locking the premises being 117/118 Kasundia Road, Howrah-711101? If yes, please provide details and copy of the inventory list? If any video recording was taking during the said period? If yes, please provide the same.
6. Please provide the name of the person who took custody of the keys of the residence 117/118 Kasundia Road, Howrah-711101.

7. Whether copies of the attached letter herein and marked with the letter "A" was ever served upon Shibpur Police Station?

I state that the information sought under this application does not fall within the restrictions contained in Section 8 and 9 of the RTI Act and to the best of my knowledge it pertains to your office.

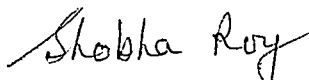
A Court fee of Rs.10/- is affixed on the application as per the West Bengal Right to Information Rules, and I also undertake to pay further fees or charges for providing the above information, either in print or in electronic media, as and when indicated by you.

As a bona-fide citizen of India my client is competent and eligible under the RTI Act to request and obtain the aforesaid information from you. In case the above information sought for is not available with your department then in such event, you are requested to transfer this application to the appropriate public authority in accordance with the section 6(3) of the RTI Act and intimate me the same.

I request you to kindly provide me with the information sought for above at the earliest and oblige.

Your compliance hereof will serve justice.

Yours faithfully,


SHOBHA ROY

Advocate

Encl: As above

ANNEXURE 2

Office of the
Commissioner of Police
Howrah

Memo No. 1632-E

Dated 22.03.2024.

To
Smt. Shobha Roy
W/o Tapan Kumar Roy,
B 2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park,
Kolkata-700070.

Ref:- Your two RTI petitions dated 29.01.2024 and 27.02.2024.

Please refer to your RTI petitions. The requisite information submitted by the Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS, HPC.

A copy of report of Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS, HPC is enclosed.

If you are not satisfied with this reply you may prefer an appeal to the Commissioner of Police, Howrah, the Appellate Authority of RTI Act' 05 within 30 days from the date of receipt of this letter.

<u>Address of SPIO</u>	<u>Address of Appellate Authority</u>
Deputy Commissioner of Police, Headquarters & SPIO, Howrah, 28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road, PS-Howrah, PIN-711101	Commissioner of Police, Howrah, Appellate Authority, 28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road, PS. Howrah. PIN-711101

Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ) &
SPIO, Howrah

Memo No.

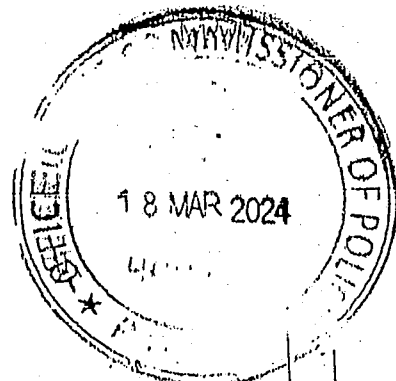
Dated 03.2024.

Copy forwarded to the Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS, HPC with reference to his DR No. 2274/24 dated 17.03.2024 for information.

Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ) &
SPIO, Howrah



The Deputy Commissioner of, Police (HQ) & SPIO
Howrah Police Commissionerate.



Through proper channel

Ref: Your good office Memo No. 1050/PG/RTI/CP(H) dated 06.03.2024.

Sub: Report of RTI petition dated 29.01.2024 of Smt Shobha Roy.

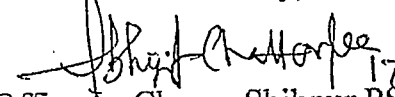
Sir,

In response to the requisition submitted by Smt Shobha Roy W/O Tapan Kumar Roy of B/2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata-700070, I am furnishing herewith the following information as sought for: -

1. Yes, General Diary No. 661 dated 10.02.2021 was lodged at Shibpur PS by one Shobha Roy, W/O Tapan Roy of B-2/2 Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata 700070
2. As noted in Point No. 1.
3. Information not available.
4. Information not available.
5. Information not available.
6. Information not available.
7. Information not available

This is for your kind perusal.

Yours faithfully,


Office In-Charge Shibpur PS,
Howrah Police Commissionerate.
Inspector-In-Charge
Shibpur Police Station
HPF
DRND - 2274/24
dt - 17.3.24



Office of the Commissioner of Police
Howrah Police Commissionerate
Tel : 033-26404001, Ext-268 ; mail – pgcellhpc@gmail.com

Memo. No. 2994 /PG/RTI/CP (H)

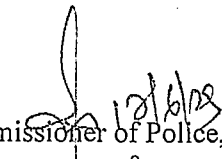
Dated: 17.06.2025.

To
The Officer-in-Charge,
Shibpur PS,
HPC

Ref:- Appeal petition dated 02.06.2025 of Smt. Shobha Roy W/o- Late Tapan Kumar Roy of B 2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata-700070 arising out of her RTI petitions dated 29.01.2024 & 12.02.2025 and your reply vide DR Nos. 2274/24 dated 17.03.2024 & 3730/25 dated 06.05.2025.

Enclosed herewith please find the copy of Appeal petition dated 02.06.2025 of Smt. Shobha Roy W/o- Late Tapan Kumar Roy of B 2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata-700070 alongwith DVD arising out of her RTI petitions dated 29.01.2024 & 27.02.2024 and your reply vide DR No. 2274/24 dated 17.03.2024, which is self explanatory.

You are requested to please furnish requisite information/documents by 24.06.2025 through Public Grievance Cell, Howrah.


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&
Appellate Authority of RTI ACT.

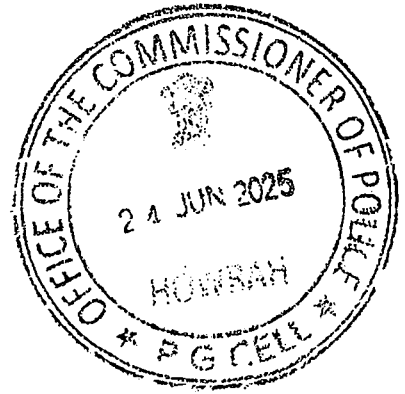


To
The Commissioner of Police
Howrah Police Commissionerate.

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Appellate authority of RTI Act.

(Through Proper Channel)



Sub: Report of RTI petition dated 02.06.2025 of Smt. Shobha Roy.

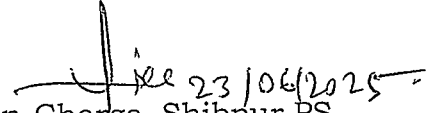
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Sir,

With due respect and humble submission, in response of the appeal petition submitted by Smt. Shobha Roy W/O Lt. Tapan Kumar Roy of B 2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park, Kolkata-700070 I beg to report that with reference to RTI applications dated 29.01.2024 and 12.02.2025, the information that were sought already point wise reply has been provided based on enquiry and on available records, and no additional documentation or clarification can be offered as over this matter a civil case vide TS No-549 of 2025 is subjudice before the Ld. Civil Judge (Jr. Divn.) 2nd Court, Howrah.

This is for your kind information and perusal.

Yours faithfully,


Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur PS,
Howrah Police Commissionerate.
Inspector-in-Charge
Shibpur Police Station
H.P.C.

DRMO. 5477/4
23/6/25



Office of the Commissioner of Police
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Memo No. 3422-E

Dated 30.06.2025.

To

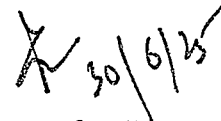
Smt. Shobha Roy
B 2/2, Brahmapur Northern Park,
South 24 Parganas,
Kolkata-700070.

Ref: - Your Appeal petition dated 02.06.2025 arising out of your two RTI petitions dated 29.01.2024 and 12.02.2025.

Please refer to above. I have gone through the relevant record. It is learnt that your RTI petition dated 12.02.2025 was received in this Office on 16.04.2025 and a reply has already been sent to you vide Memo No. 2233-E dated 07.05.2025 by the Deputy Commissioner of Police (HQ) & SPIO, Howrah within the statutory period and also called for a report from concerned Officer-in-Charge, Shibpur Police Station, HPC. He has submitted a report which speaks for itself (enclosed herewith).

Hence, the appeal petition is disposed off.

If you are not satisfied with the information, you can appeal before the State Information Commission, West Bengal having office at Khadya Bhaban, 11A, Mirza Ghalib Street, Kolkata -700087.

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Commissioner of Police, Howrah &
Appellate Authority, RTI Act, Howrah



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Memo No. 759312

Dated 10-12-2025.

To
The Section Officer,
West Bengal Information Commission,
Khadya Bhaban, 11A, Mirza Ghalib Street,
Kolkata-700087.

Ref: -Your good Office Memo No. 6282- WBIC/RTI/A/101660/2417/2025 dated 25.11.2025 and Appeal No. 101660 of 2025 in c/w 2nd Appeal of Shri Kisshor Bhattacharjji of HRBC Housing Estate, HIT Quarters, Type-IV, Block-20, Flat-3, Dumurjala, Howrah-711101.

With reference to the above, action taken report on the 2nd Appeal is furnished for favour of kind perusal.

- 1) Shri Kisshor Bhattacharjji submitted a RTI petition dated 25.08.2025 (copy enclosed as Annexure-I). After getting the said RTI petition Deputy Commissioner of Police, Head Quarters & SPIO, Howrah endorsed the same to Officer-in-Charge, Bantra PS, HPC and Officer-in-Charge, Cyber Crime PS, HPC with a direction to furnish the requisite information by 06.09.2025 vide Memo No. 4165(2)/PG/RTI/CP (H) dated 27.08.2025 (copy enclosed as Annexure-II).
- 2) In this connection Officer-in-Charge, Bantra PS, HPC and Officer-in-Charge, Cyber Crime PS, HPC submitted reports vide DR No. 2305/25 dated 05.09.2025 & 730/CCPS/HPC/25 dated 02.09.2025 respectively (Copy enclosed as Annexure-III).
- 3) The Deputy Commissioner of Police, Head Quarters & SPIO, Howrah a reply was sent to the Applicant vide Memo No. 5891-E dated 09.09.2025 (Copy enclosed as Annexure-IV).
- 4) After receiving the reply by the RTI applicant Shri Kisshor Bhattacharjji filed an appeal petition dated 15.09.2025 before the Commissioner of Police, Howrah & the appellate Authority of RTI Act (copy enclosed as Annexure-V).
- 5) The Commissioner of Police, Howrah & the appellate Authority of RTI Act. a reply was sent to the Appellant vide Memo No. 6186-E dated 24.09.2025 (Copy enclosed as Annexure-VI).
- 6) The RTI applicant Shri Kisshor Bhattacharjji filed 2nd Appeal petition before the West Bengal Information Commission and in this regard, Hon'ble State Chief Information Commissioner has fixed a date of virtual hearing which will be held on **02.01.2026 at 11.30 AM.**

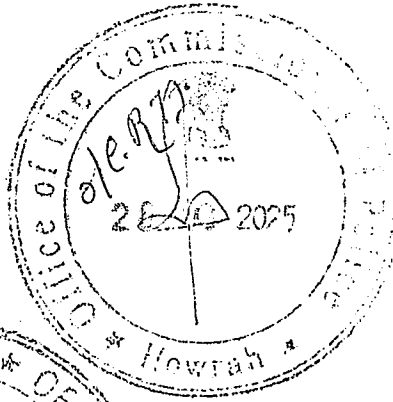
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Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ) &
SPIO, Howrah

Enclosure: As stated above

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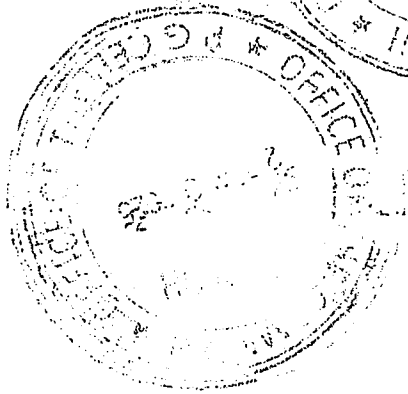
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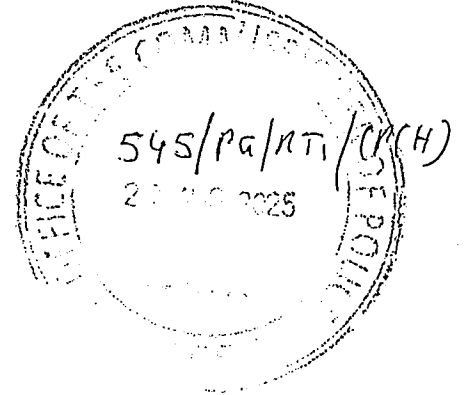
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To

SPIO /Howrah Police Commissionarate,
Dr Shyamal Samanta (IPS) /DCP (HQ),
HOWRAH POLICE COMMISSIONARATE,
O/O the Commissioner of Police,
28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road,
Howrah Railway Station,
PS -- Howrah,
District -- Howrah,
PIN - 711101.
West Bengal.



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Sub :- Request for Information under Right to Information Act 2005
regarding Investigation progress of my General Diary (GD) entry
number 334 dated 07.09.2024 recorded at Bantra PS/ Howrah
under Howrah Police Commissionerate, West Bengal.

Respected Sir,

I am writing to request information in terms of RTI Act, 2005, regarding the 'Final Report' of the investigation of GD No.334 dated 07.09.2024 registered at Bantra PS under HPC/WB which is under your jurisdiction so far my knowledge which is related to a "Social Media based Cyber Crime allegation" against the undersigned by Sri Somnath Das and his family on 24.08.2024 and later on the same allegation against my wife Smt. Joly Bhattacharjee also on 29.11.2024, and also related to the appeals in connection with the same dated

24.08.24 , 27.08.24 , 07.09 24 , 01.12.24 , 03.12.24 , 13.12.24 , 15.01.25 , 12 .02.25 , 21 .03.25 , 21.05.25 to OC / Bantra PS , Higher Officials including Honorable CP of HPC, OC / Bantra PS , Cyber Crime PS , Hon'ble PC, DCP (N), DCP (N), Hon'ble PC respectively of myself and my wife jointly .

Specific Information requested :-

- 1) Current Status of the Investigation :-
 - i) Please provide the concise overview of the Final Report of the investigation since respected DCP (North) / IPS / Howrah intimated to me and my wife Smt. Joly Bhattacharjee verbally on 03.01.2025 by saying that original culprit had already been identified by name and he also told us that the case was not of Hacking or cloning but rather misuse of our phone numbers only . And he also requested us not to expose the name of the actual culprit .
 - ii) In connection with the Para (i) above, please provide also a concise overview of the investigative action taken so far against the 'identified culprit' by name in this connection, including evidence collected, or investigation conducted .
 - iii) Also please provide me the recorded information received from META by Cyber Crime Dept. / HPC / WB regarding our innocence and non-involvement with the "Social Media based Cyber Crime" in connection with our Facebook Accounts which was shown to the Complainant against their allegation against me and my wife Smt Joly Bhattacharjee by the IC of this case and that same information was also communicated verbally to me and my wife Smt Joly Bhattacharjee by the IC of this case of Cyber Crime Police Station / Howrah under HPC /WB on dated 07.01.2025 .
 - iv) If the statement from the concerned Dept. of HPC does not seem to be true narrated above in para (i), (ii) and (iii) by me only on the basis of verbal statement of the overall In-charge of Cyber Crime Department the respected DCP (N) / Howrah on 03.01.2025 and IC of the case of Cyber Crime Dept./Howrah on dated 07.01.25, then please provide a detailed account of the current status of the investigation .

v) Also please provide a detailed account of the current status of the investigation against my written complaint dated 02/03.12. 2024 to OC / Cyber Crime Police Station/Howrah and intimated also to Hon'ble PC of /HPC about sending of ugly and shameful message by some "Aami Khokan" in the messenger of my Facebook Account on dt. 30.12.2024, which was almost like verbal abuse against me and my wife Smt. Joly Bhattacharjee on the day of occurrence of the fact i.e. 23.11.2024 in front of near about 100 local neighbours of our area at the time of an enquiry by the Police Officials of Bantra PS, Howrah.

vi) Sir , as a concerned senior citizen , I seek the above mentioned informations under the RTI INFORMATION ACT ' 2005 for the reasons stated below :-

- For ensuring transparency and accountability of Police Administration,
- For regaining our social respect,
- For getting relief from mental anguish we have been suffering since 24.08.24 till today , as we have not received any response to our multiple requests to the Police Administration of HPC to know the progress or outcome of the investigation into the Social Media based Cyber Crime against us .,
- And also as senior citizen couple (69 yrs. & 60 yrs.), we can spend the rest of our life peacefully, free from the false allegation which has already been proven in the context of the above-mentioned Cyber Crime related case, subject to the verbal Statements of the Hon'ble DC (North) / Howrah and IC of this case of Cyber Crime PS / Howrah Police Commissionarate, as mentioned in para (i) and (ii).

Encl :- An original DD of Rs.10/- vide DD No. 727829 dated 17.07.2025 in favor of "STATE BANK of INDIA , HOWRAH BRANCH TO THE GOVT. OF W.B. RTI ACT" is affixed herewith .

I am also willing to pay the necessary fees as prescribed under the RTI Act 2005 if necessary.

Thanking you ,

Yours sincerely

Kishor Bhattacharji

(KISSHOR BHATACHARJJI)

Dated :- 25/08/2025



Office of the Commissioner of Police
Howrah Police Commissionerate
Tel : 033-26404001, Ext-268 ; mail – pgcellhpc@gmail.com

Memo. No. 4165(2) /PG/RTI/CP (H)

Dated: 27. 08.2025.

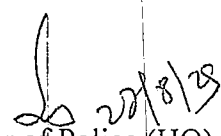
To

1. The Officer-in-Charge,
Bantra PS,
HPC.
- ✓ 2. The Officer-in-Charge,
Cyber Crime PS,
HPC.

Sub:- RTI petition dated 25.08.2025 of Shri Kisshor Bhattacharjji of HRBC Housing Estate, HIT Quarters, Type-IV, Block-20, Flat-3, Dumurjala, Howrah-711101.

Enclosed herewith please find the copy of RTI petition dated 25.08.2025 of Shri Kisshor Bhattacharjji of HRBC Housing Estate, HIT Quarters, Type-IV, Block-20, Flat-3, Dumurjala, Howrah-711101, which is self explanatory.

You are requested to please furnish requisite information by 06.09.2025 through Public Grievance Cell, Howrah.


Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ) & SPIO
Howrah



To

The Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ) & S.P.I.O.
Howrah Police Commissionerate.

Through O/C P.G. Cell, HPC

Ref: Your kind Memo No. 4165(2)/PG/RTI/CP (H) dt. 27.08.2025

Sub :- Report regarding RTI petition dt. 25.08.2025 of Shri Kishore Bhattacharjee of HRBC Housing Estate, HIT Quarter Type-IV, Block 20, Flat-3, Damurjola, Howrah-01 in c/w Bantra PS GDE No.334 dated 07.09.2024.

Respected Sir,

With due respect, I beg to report that I enquired into the matter, perused the relevant PS records and found that on 07.09.2024 the petitioner informed the matter vide Bantra PS GDE No. 334 dated 07.09.2024 and as the matter was related to Cyber, petitioner was sent to OC Cyber PS, HPC for further action.

This is submitted for your kind perusal.

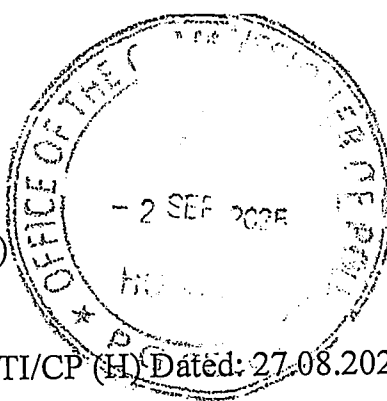
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(Sudip Dasgupta)
Inspector of Police
O/C Bantra PS, HPC
Dated 05.09.2025

Inspector of Police
Officer-in-charge
Bantra P.S.
Howrah

DR NO - 2305/25
Dt - 05-09-25

To
The Deputy Commissioner of Police (HQ)
Howrah Police Commissionerate



Ref: - Memo No.-4165(2)/PG/RTI/CP (H) Dated: 27.08.2025

Sub: - RTI petition dated 27.08.2025 of Shri Kisshor Bhattacharjji, of HRBC Housing Estate, HIT Quarter, Type -IV, Block-20, Flat 3, Dumurjala, Howrah

Respected Sir,

In compliance your kind order, it came to know that the petitioner namely Shri Kisshor Bhattacharjji of HRBC Housing Estate, HIT Quarter, Type - IV, Block-20, Flat 3, Dumurjala, Howrah reported at Bantra PS, HPC vide GDE No.- 334 dated 07.09.24 related to social media based Cyber Crime allegation against him made by Shri Somanath Das and his family on 24/08/24 and against his wife Jolly Bhattacharjee on 29/11/24.

We assisted Bantra PS over the connecting issue alleged by Shri Somanath Das but after searching available record of Cyber Crime PS, HPC, there is no data found which was given as assistance to Bantra PS in c/w Bantra PS, HPC vide GDE No.- 334 dated 07.09.24.

This is for your kind information and perusal.

Yours faithfully

Prosenjit Kapri
01.09.25

(PROSENJIT KAPRI)

Officer-In -Charge

Cyber Crime Police Station

Howrah Police Commissionerate

Officer-in-Charge

Cyber Crime P.S.

Howrah City Police

DR NO - 730/CCPS/HPC/25

DT - 02/09/25



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Howrah Police Commissionerate
Tel : 033-26404001, Ext-268 ; mail – pgcellhpc@gmail.com

Memo. No. 7891-E

Dated: 09, 09.2025.

To
Shri Kisshor Bhattacharji,
HRBC Housing Estate,
HIT Quarters, Type-IV,
Block-20, Flat-3,
Dumurjala, Howrah-711101.

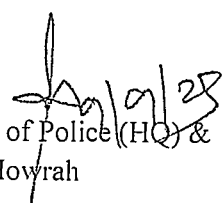
Ref: - Your RTI petition dated 25.08.2025.

Please refer to your RTI petition. The requisite information submitted by Officer-in-Charge, Cyber Crime PS, HPC.

A copy of report of Officer-in-Charge, Cyber Crime PS, HPC is enclosed.

If you are not satisfied with this reply, you may prefer an appeal to the Commissioner of Police, Howrah, the Appellate Authority of RTI Act. within 30 days from the date of receipt of this letter.

<u>Address of SPIO</u>	<u>Address of Appellate Authority</u>
Deputy Commissioner of Police, Headquarters & SPIO, Howrah, 28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road, PS-Howrah, PIN-711101	Commissioner of Police, Howrah, Appellate Authority, 28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road. PS. Howrah. PIN-711101

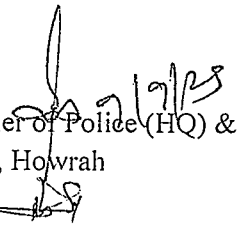

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SPIO, Howrah

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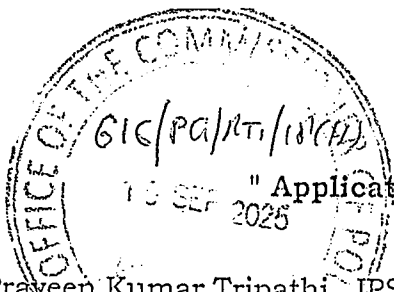
Dated: 09-09.2025.

Copy forwarded to :-

1. The Officer-in-Charge, Cyber Crime PS, HPC with reference to his PS DR No. 730/CCPS/HPC/25 dated 02.09.2025 for information.
2. The Officer-in-Charge, Bantra PS, HPC with reference to his PS DR No. 2305/2025 dated 05.09.2025 for information


Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ) &
SPIO, Howrah

d/c



Sm File No. - 291/2025

" Application under RTI Act 2005 "

To
Shri Praveen Kumar Tripathi, IPS,
Hon'ble Commissioner of Police & The Appellate Authority,
HOWRAH POLICE COMMISSIONARATE,
28, Nityadhan Mukherjee Road,
PS : Howrah,
PIN - 711101.

DCP, HQ

Annexure - Y

Subject : First Appeal under RTI Act, 2005 against incomplete response to The RTI Appeal dated 25.08.2025 of the undersigned to SPIO/HOWRAH Police Commissionarate (Xerox copy enclosed).

Reference : Memo No. 5891-E Dated : 09.09.2025 of Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ) & SPIO, Howrah Police Commissionarate (Xerox copy enclosed) and the letter of Sri Prosenjit Kapri, Officer-in-charge, Cyber Crime Police Station, Howrah Police Commissionarate Dt. 01.09.25 as an enclosure (Xerox copy enclosed).

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Respected Sir,

Deputy Commissioner of Police
(HQ) Howrah

I am writing to appeal against the response to the Memo No. 5891-E dated 09.09.2025 provided by Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ & SPIO of Howrah Police Commissionarate in response to my RTI appeal dated 25.08.2025 received by the undersigned on 11.09.2025.

The grounds for my appeal are appended below :-

1) The response only addresses the GD entry and doesn't provide information regarding my written appeals to the Police Administration of Howrah Police Commissionarate as requested in my RTI appeal dt. 25.08.25.

2) In this aspects, please have a look on the first para of my appeal dated 25.08.2025 and also item (v) of ' Specific Information requested ' so that, as a RTI Applicant I can get the proper and a complete response to my said RTI appeal.

3) Sir, as a First Appealed Authority the following points may please be noted raised by the undersigned as a RTI Applicant :-

i) The Officer-in-charge of Cyber Crime Police Station of HPC informed to the DC (HQ), IPS/HPC & SPIO / HPC that they couldn't find any data related to GD No. 334 dated 07.09.2024 registered at Bantra PS. Due to this, they couldn't provide assistance to Bantra PS as per DC (HQ) & SPIO/HPC's Memo No.- 4165(2)/PG/RTI/CP(H) Dated : 27.08.2025.

ii) In connection with the point (i) above I have to mention here that Myself and my wife Smt Joly Bhattacharjee appeared before Respectable DC (North) on dated 03.01.2025 as per his call message vide Org No.- 540/DCP(ND)/HPC/24 Dt :- 23.12.2024. This was in connection with my appeal / petition dated 13.12.2024 addressed to Respectable Commissioner of Police/ HPC. I had enclosed a filled-up form related to "Social Media Related Crime" vide Encl. No.(4) provided by the Cyber Crime Department/HPC which mentioned Police Station Bantra, GD No.334 and dated 07.07.09.24 (Xerox copy enclosed).

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iii) It seems logical to note that if the DC (North)/HPC , as the overall In-charge of the Cyber Crime Department/ HPC , is aware of the said cyber-crime issue and the details of the GD , then his Departmental Head and office should also be aware of it . This is because they are the custodians of the correspondence related to Cyber Crime case as per the official system.

iv) On the contrary , in respect to the RTI reply dt.09.09.2025 based on the letter of Officer-in-charge of Cyber Crime Police Station dt.07.09.2025 against my RTI appeal dated 25.08.2025 seems to be very much contradictory .

The Officer-in-charge of Cyber Crime Police Station/HPC is making contradictory statements. On one hand, he claims to have no data about GD No. 334 dated 07.09.2024 registered at Bantra PS, which prevented him from assisting them. On the other hand , he says he assisted Bantra PS regularly regarding the same cyber-crime issue mentioned in the RTI appeal dated 25.08.2025 of the undersigned related to the GD .

The above mentioned issue must be dealt by the Cyber Crime Department/HPC and may be monitored by Bantra PS since it is " Cyber Crime Related " which was also confirmed verbally both by the Bantra PS/HPC as well as Cyber Crime Department/HPC. My experience as a retired Mechanical Engineer of Indian Railways can also speak for the same mentioned above .

As a responsible Senior Citizen couple, we have submitted all our applications and all the information related to our applications to the Cyber Crime Department as per their directives with utmost faith and trust without having them sign our personal copies.

Despite not having any receipt copies with us , the positive and helpful attitude of the officials of that department made us believe that they were the only safe custodian of our original applications and informations with the help of which we would get justice against the false allegation to us after a proper investigation .

In this situation, at present in view of the incomplete and contradictory reply of SPIO/HPC to my RTI appeal dated 25.08.2025, I am constantly hesitant to trust the Police Administration of Howrah for a proper investigation and the hope of getting a fair trial.

Because, if the specified Department of the Police Administration regarding " Cyber Crime" is unable to properly preserve the information provided either by any applicant or by the other Department of Police Administration , then on what basis will they be able to conduct a investigation, it is not clear to me as a ordinary retired Mechanical Engineer of Indian Railway.

Also , in connection with the above I want to mention that since August 2024 whenever myself and my wife visited the office of the Cyber Department/HPC seeking justice for a false accusation against us regarding a " Social Media based Cyber Crime " , we have noticed a common practice . The department often accepts applications and receives required information from the applicants without providing any acknowledgement of receipt on the personal copy of the applicants. Myself and my wife have had the same experience.

Although I appreciated in my earlier appeal that the officials are very polite and sensitive I already mentioned in my earlier appeals to the Officials of HPC.

4) In my RTI appeal dated 25.08.2025, I specifically requested for information about current investigation status of my case . I asked if the statement I was given by the higher officials, verbally, doesn't seems to be true, then please provide details on whether the investigation is ongoing or concluded .

I request you to direct the respected DC (HQ)/HPC & SPIO/ HPC to provide a complete response to my RTI appeal dt. 25.08.2025, including details of any actions taken based on my GD entry and subsequent written appeals which are already highlighted in the first para of my appeal dt. 25.08.2025 and copies of any documents or correspondence related to my case including the correspondence with META .

- Encl :- i) An original DD of Rs. 10/-, vide DD No. 727951 dated 15.09.2025 in favor of "STATE BANK OF INDIA, HOWRAH BRANCH TO THE GOVT.OF W.B. RTI ACT" is affixed herewith .
- ii) Xerox copy of PPO Booklet of South Eastern Railway (*Proof of Indian Citizen*)
 - iii) Self attested Xerox copy of Aadhar Card No. 3407 3094 8554.of the undersigned, Kisshor Bhattacharji , as a proof of Indian Citizen.
 - iv) Xerox copy of my first appeal to DC(HQ) & SPIO/HPC dated 25.08.2025 (04 pages)
 - v) Memo No. 5891-E Dated : 09.09.2025 of Dy. Commissioner of Police (HQ) & SPIO Howrah Police Commissionerate.
 - vi) Xerox copy of Letter of Sri Prosenjit Kapri, Officer-in-charge, Cyber Crime Police Station, Howrah Police Commissionerate Dt . 01.09.2025
 - iv) Xerox copy of filled-up Standard Form regarding "Social Media Related Crime" provided by Cyber Dept./HPC.

I am also willing to pay the necessary fees as prescribed under the RTI Act, 2005 if necessary.

Thanking you ,

Yours sincerely ,

Dated - 15.09.2025
Place - Howrah

Kisshor Bhattacharji

(KISSHOR BHATTACHARJJI)
HRBC HOUSING ESTATE ,
HIT QTRS, TYPE-IV, FLAT-3,
DUMURJALA ,
HOWRAH- 711101. ,
WEST BENGAL,
Mobile No. 9062634306.
Email :- kisshorjoly1957@gmail.com

Cyber Crime Police Station

24 Bellilous Road, Howrah, West Bengal - 711101

Landline Number - (033-2676-8007) / WhatsApp Number - 7044605839

Email ID - (cybercrimepshe@gmail.com)

Police Station- BANTRA PS

GDE/Case No- 334

Date- 07/09/2024

1. Petitioner's Details:-

- i. Name (with age)- KISSHOR BHATTACHARJJI
- ii. Father's/Husband's Name- SARBANJAN BHATTACHARYA
- iii. Address- FLAT-3, BLOCK-20, HRBC HOUSING ESTATE, HIT QUARTERS, HOWRAH-711101
- iv. Contact No. and WhatsApp No. - 8584032634
- v. G-mail/Facebook/Instagram/Twitter URL: <https://www.facebook.com/kishor.bhattacharjji.7?mibextid=ZbWKwL>

2. Account details of Petitioner from which the money has been transferred: -

- i) A/C No. (With IFSC Code)-
- ii) Wallet No/ VPA (if any)-
- iii) Debit/Credit Card No -
- iv) Mobile No. (Bank Linked) -

3. Fraudster/Miscreant's Details:

- i) G-mail/Facebook/Instagram/Twitter URL:
- i. <https://www.facebook.com/kishor.bhattacharjji.7?mibextid=ZbWKwL>
- ii.
- ii) Wallet Number/ VPA (if any)-
- iii) Bank A/C No. (With IFSC Code)-
- iv) Contact No/ WhatsApp Number-

4. Modus Operandi- Fake Facebook account.5. Total Fraud Amount -6. Occurrence of offence Date (with approx. time)-

For, Kishor Bhattacharjji

[Signature]

Full Signature with Date

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Sign. of Duty Officer



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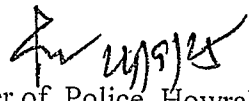
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Ref: - Your Appeal petition dated 15.09.2025 arising out of your RTI petition dated 25.08.2025.

Please refer to above. I have gone through the relevant record. It is learnt that the required information has already been sent to you by the Deputy Commissioner of Police (HQ) & SPIO, Howrah in his reply vide Memo No. 5891-E dated 09.09.2025.

Hence, the appeal petition is disposed off.

If you are not satisfied with the information, you can appeal before the State Information Commission, West Bengal having office at Khadya Bhaban, 11A Mirza Ghalib Street, Kolkata -700087.


Commissioner of Police, Howrah &
Appellate Authority, RTI Act, Howrah