



BEFORE THE WEST BENGAL INFORMATION COMMISSION Second Appeal u/s 19(3) of the Right to Information Act, 2005

1.	Name of the Appellant			:	Advocate Mr. Subhasish Ghosh Son of: Late S. N. Ghosh				
2.	Postal Address			:	AE-686, 1st Floor, Salt Lake, Sector-I Kolkata – 700064				
3.	(a)	Con	tact No.	:	+91 93306 71931				
	(b)	Ema	ail ID	:	ghosh686@gmail.com				
4.	(a)	Date of filing Application for Information under RTI Act			28.04.2023 (Annexure - 2)				
	(b)	(i) Whether Application Fees paid?			Yes.				
		(ii) Mode of Payment			Rs 10/- Court Fees Stamp.				
5.	(a)	Name of SPIO / SAPIO to whom the Application was made and address			The State Public Information Officer (SPIO) Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department Nagarayan, DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake				
	(b)) Whether RTI Petition is transferred to another SPIO u/s 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005:			No. :				
6.	Gist of information sought			•	 List of Residential Plots in Salt Lake Sectors 1, 2 and 3 with respect to which the Urban Development and Municipal Affairs Department, Government of West Bengal has issued Resumption Orders. List of Residential Plots in Salt Lake Sectors 1, 2 and 3 with respect to which the Urban Development and Municipal Affairs Department, Government of West Bengal has withdrawn Resumption Orders as per the above Question 1. Reasons behind the Withdrawal of Resumption Orders as per Question 2. 				

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7.	Have you received any response / information?	•	 Response did not provide information. Response vide Letter dated 18.05.2023 in File No. UD/O/M/RTI-42/2023 (Computer No. 725192) (Annexure - 3). 				
8.	Date of filing First Appeal	:	01.06.2023 (Annexure - 4)				
9.	Authority to whom First Appeal was made with address:	•	RTI Appellate Authority / Special Commissioner Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department Nagarayan, DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake Kolkata – 700064				
10.	Decision of the First Appellate Authority, if any, including number and date of the Order	•	• Response did not provide information. • Response vide Letter dated 20.07.2023 in File No. UD/O/M/RTI-42/2023 (Computer No. 725192) (Annexure - 5).				
11.	Grounds for 2 nd Appeal and the relief sought (specify)	:	Appellant has not received the information sought till date.				

I, **Subhasish Ghosh**, Son of: Late S. N. Ghosh, aged about 61 years, being an Indian Citizen do hereby solemnly affirm that the statements made herein are true to my knowledge based on records and the rest are my submissions to the Hon'ble West Bengal Information Commission.

I also declare that this matter has not been previously filed with the Commission nor is pending with any Court or Tribunal or Authority.

Place: Kolkata

Date: 26/09/2023

Advocate Subhasish Ghosh

Appellant

List of documents enclosed:

- 1. Self-Attested Copy of Address Proof Document.
- 2. Self-Attested Copy of RTI Application dated 28.04.2023.
- 3. Self-Attested Copy of Response to RTI Application dated 28.04.2023 by Urban Development and Municipal Affairs Department vide Letter dated 18.05.2023 in File No. UD/O/M/RTI-42/2023 (Computer No. 725192).
- 4. Self-Attested Copy of First Appeal dated 01.06.2023.
- 5. Self-Attested Copy of Response to First Appeal dated 01.06.2023 by Urban Development and Municipal Affairs Department vide Letter dated 20.07.2023 in File No. UD/O/M/RTI-42/2023 (Computer No. 725192).

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Father: S.N. GHOSH

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Advocate
District & Sessions Judges Court
Barasal, North 24 Parganas, West Bengal

Chamber & Residence: AE-686, 1³¹ F:00r, Salt Lake, Sector-I Kolkata - 700064 Mobile: 93306 71931 Email: ghosh686@gmail.com

To:

The State Public Information Officer (SPIO)
Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department
Government of West Bengal
"NAGARAYAN"
DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake
Kolkata - 700064

Date: 28/04/2023.

Re.: Application seeking information u/s 6(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 ("RTI Act").

Respected Ma'am / Sir

In terms of Section 6(1) of the RTI Act, you are hereby requested to provide the information sought below:

- 1. List of Residential Plots in Salt Lake Sectors 1, 2 and 3 in which the Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department has issued Resumption Orders.
- 2. List of Plots in Salt Lake Sectors 1, 2 and 3 in which the Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department has Withdrawn Resumption Orders as per Question 1.
- 3. Reasons behind the Withdrawal of Resumption Orders as per Question 2.

Court Fees Stamp of Rs. 10/- has been affixed herewith as Application Fees as per the provisions of the RTI Act.

You are requested to provide the information sought hereinabove within the next 30 days as per the provisions of Section 7(1) of the RTI Act.

Please note that none of the provisions of the RTI Act bar the sharing and / or disclosure of the above sought information and the same would not violate the provisions of the RTI Act by any means.

As per the provisions of Section 4(1)(d) of the RTI Act, you are bound by the statute to provide information regarding your administrative and/or quasi-judicial decisions — in this case — with respect to Government / Public Land managed by a Public Authority.

Moreover, the information sought hereinabove does not violate the provisions of Sections 8(1)(g), 8(1)(j), 11(1) of the RTI Act.

If the information sought above is not related to your office, kindly forward this Application to the relevant office / official as per the provisions of Section 6(3) of the RTI Act.

I undertake to bear all costs for obtaining the information sought hereinabove once you provide a detailed break up of all the costs and payment method as per the provisions of Section 7(3) and 7(5) of the RTI Act.

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Department of Urban Development and Municipal Affairs (M)

Advocate District & Sessions Judges Court Barasat, North 24 Parganas, West Bengal Chamber & Residence: AE-686, 1st Floor, Salt Lake, Sector-l Kolkata - 700064 Mobile: 93306 71931 Email: ghosh686@gmail.com

Should you choose not to provide the information sought hereinabove within the next 30 days, you would be deemed to have refused the request for information as sought through this Application as per the provisions of Section 7(2) of the RTI Act. Under such circumstances, I will be compelled to take appropriate steps as provided for in the RTI Act.

Also, should you choose not to provide the information sought hereinabove, please provide valid reasons for such refusal with the period within which an appeal against such refusal can be made along with particulars of the Appellate Authority as per the provisions of Section 7(8) of the RTI Act.

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Looking forward to the timely disposal of this Application.

Thanks & Regards,

Sullasish Ghosh

Advocate

Encl.: As above

Issue No. I/396953/2023

Government of West Bengal
Department of Urban Development and Municipal Affairs
"NAGARAYAN",
MD Wings,DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake,
www.urbanservices.gov.in(RTI Cell)
Kolkata-700 064
File No-UD/O/M/RTI-42/2023.
(Computer No.725192)

From: State public Information Officer

Assistant Secretary to the Government of West Bengal.

To: Shri Subhasish Ghosh, Advocate

AE-686, Salt Lake, Sector-1, Salt Lake

Kolkata-700064

Sub: Information under RTI Act, 2005.

Sir,

I am to refer to your letter dated 28.04.2023 on the subject noted above and to say that there is no specific question in your application. As per office record no such report is available. This office is unable to provide such information.

Suffersh Ghok 26/00/2023 Yours faithfully,

Rajib Sengupta Assistant Secretary to the Govt of West Bengal

18/05/2023

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FIRST APPEAL U/S 19(1) of the RTI Act, 2005

To:

Date:

RTI Appellate Authority / Special Commissioner Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department NAGARAYAN, DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake Kolkata - 700064

Ref.: Application dt. 28.04.2023 seeking information u/s 6(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (RTI Act) (Annexure-1).

Re.: Appeal seeking information u/s 19(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (RTI Act).

Respected Ma'am / Sir,

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This is to bring to your immediate attention that:

- 1. On 28.04.2023, I had filed an Application u/s 6(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (RTI Act) (Annexure-1) with the Urban Development and Municipal Affairs Department, Government of West Bengal ("UDMAD") seeking the below mentioned information:
 - 1.1. List of Residential Plots in Salt Lake Sectors 1, 2 and 3 in which the Urban Development and Municipal Affairs Department, Government of West Bengal has issued Resumption Orders.
 - 1.2. List of Residential Plots in Salt Lake Sectors 1, 2 and 3 in which the Urban Development and Municipal Affairs Department, Government of West Bengal has withdrawn Resumption Orders as per the above Question 1.1.
 - 1.3. Reasons behind the Withdrawal of Resumption Orders as per Question 1.2.
- 2. On 24.05.2023, I received a response (Annexure-2) from one Mr. Rajib Sengupta, Assistant Secretary to the Government of West Bengal at the UDMAD whereby he refused to disclose the information based on the following flimsy and obfuscatory reasons:
 - 2.1. No specific question has been asked in the above-referred application.
 - 2.2. As per office record, no such report is available.
 - 2.3. This office is unable to provide such information
- 3. From the above, it is evident that the concerned State Public Information Officer ("SPIO") at the UDMAD is withholding the information and/or documents sought vide the above-referred application under my presumption of corruption and deliberate inaction in order to hide something criminal and sinister. Such acts on the part of the SPIO are tantamount to an offence as per the provisions of the RTI Act.
- 4. Therefore, I am compelled to file the instant First Appeal as per the provisions of Section 19(1) of the RTI Act on account of my grievances and dissatisfaction due to the presumed corruption and deliberate inaction on the part of the concerned SPIO.

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Chamber & Residence: AE-686, 1st Floor, Salt Lake, Sector-I

Kolkata - 700064 Mobile: 93306 71931 Email: ghosh686@gmail.com

Advocate
District & Sessions Judges Court
Barasat, North 24 Parganas, West Bengal

- 5. Apropos, you are once again requested to provide the information sought below with respect to the above referred plot as per the provisions of Section 19(1) of the RTI Act:
 - 5.1. List of Residential Plots in Salt Lake Sectors 1, 2 and 3 in which the Urban Development and Municipal Affairs Department, Government of West Bengal has issued Resumption Orders.
 - 5.2. List of Residential Plots in Salt Lake Sectors 1, 2 and 3 in which the Urban Development and Municipal Affairs Department, Government of West Bengal has withdrawn Resumption Orders as per the above Question 1.1.
 - 5.3. Reasons behind the Withdrawal of Resumption Orders as per Question 1.2.

Please note that none of the provisions of the RTI Act bar the sharing and/or disclosure of the above referred information and the same would not violate the provisions of the RTI Act.

If the information sought above is not related to your office, kindly forward this Appeal to the relevant office / official as per the provisions of Section 6(3) of the RTI Act.

You are requested to provide the information sought hereinabove within the next 30 days of receipt of the instant Appeal as per the provisions of Section 19(6) of the RTI Act.

I undertake to bear all costs for obtaining the information sought hereinabove once you provide a detailed break up of all the costs and payment method as per the provisions of Section 7(3) and 7(5) of the RTI Act.

Looking forward to the expeditious and timely disposal of the instant Appeal.

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Subhasish Ghosh

Advocate

Enclosed .: As above

Copy to:

The State Information Commissioner
West Bengal Information Commission
KHADYA BHABAN
11A, Mirza Ghalib Street
Kolkata-700087

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Government of West Bengal Department of Urban Development and Municipal Affairs "NAGARAYAN",

MD Wings, DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake, www.urbanservices.gov.in(RTI Cell) Kolkata-700 064 File No-UD/O/M/RTI- 42/2023. (Computer No.725192)

From: State Public Information Officer &

Assistant Secretary, to the Government of West Bengal.

To:

Shri Subhasish Ghosh

AE-686, Salt Lake, Sector-I, Salt Lake, Sector-III

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Kolkata-700064

Sub:

Providing information under RTI Act, 2005.

Sir,

I am refer to your appeal petition dated nil which has been received by this Department on 01/06/2023 and to furnish the reply as follow:

SL. No.	Reply
Query	
1.	There is no such record of residential plots in Salt lake Sector-I,II& II, where resumption order issued by Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department.
2.	There is no such record of residential plots in Salt lake Sector-I,II & III, where resumption order issued by Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department.
3.	Your question in SL.No.3 is not for a specific plot. Therefore answer could not be supplied to you.

Yours faithfully

COMMISSIONER to the Govt of West Bengal 20-07-2023

Issue No. I/417629/2023 dt. 20/07/23

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State Chief Information Commissioner West Benga

From: rtiudmawb@gmail.com

Thu, Apr 24, 2025 01:02 PM

Subject: < No Subject>

2 attachments

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

Please see the attachment.

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Government of West Bengal Department of Urban Development and Municipal Affairs "NAGARAYAN",

MD Wings, DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake, www.urbanservices.gov.in(RTI Cell)
Kolkata-700 064
Computer No. 725192

No. UDMA-16011(11)/45/2023

Dated. 22.04.2025

From: State Public Information Officer

Department of UD & MA, Government of West Bengal

To: The Section Officer

WEST BENGAL INFORMATION COMMISSION, 11 A, Mirza Ghalib Street, Kolkata-700087

Sub: Action taken regarding RTI Application of Sri Subhasish Ghosh in respect plots in Salt Lake Sector -1,2 and 3

Ref:- His Memo No. 2345-WBIC/RTI/A/105039/987/2025 dated 09.04.2025

With reference to the above the undersigned is directed to state that the following action has been taken on the RTI applications submitted by Shri Subhasish Ghosh of AE-686, 1st floor, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700064.

Queries date and No.	Reply
1) Application date 28.04.2023	Vide letter No. I/396953/2023 dated 18.05.2023 the applicant was informed by the SPIO of this department that no such report is available. This office is unable to provide such information. (copy enclosed)
2) Appeal date nil	Vide letter No. I/417629/2023 dated 20.07.2023 the Appellate Authority of this department furnish the reply again to the applicant.(copy enclosed)

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Deputy Secretary & SPIO to the Govt. of West Bengal UD & MA Department



WEST BENGAL INFORMATION COMMISSION

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11A, Mirza Galib Street Kolkata-700 087
Phone No. (033)2252-0509,(033)2252-0501
Website: www.wbic.wb.gov.in | E-mail: scic-wb@nic.in

Memo No. 2345-WBIC/RTI/A/105039/987/2025

DATE: 09/04/2025

NOTICE FOR HEARING OF APPEAL APPEAL No: 105039 of 2025

Appellant(s):	Respondent(s):	Appellate Authority:
SUBHASISH GHOSH AE-686, 1st Floor, Salt Lake,Sector-I, Kolkata-700064 West Bengal,24 PARAGANAS NORTH,700064	SPIO: 1. The SPIO Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department, Govt. of WB, "NAGARAYAN", DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake, Kolkata- 700064	The FAA, Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department, Govt. of WB, "NAGARAYAN", DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake, Kolkata- 700064
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Date of RTI	Date of reply,if any,of SPIO	made,if any	Date of order,if any,of First AA
28-04-2023	18-05-2023	01-06-2023	

- 1. Take notice that the above appeal/complaint in respect of RTI application dated 28-04-2023 filed by the appellant/complainant has been listed for hearing before **Hon'ble State Chief Information**Commissioner Mr. Virendra at Venue Venue Address on 13-05-2025 at 11:30 AM.
- 2. The appellant/complainant may present his/her case(s) in person or through his/her duly authorized representative either in physical mode or in virtual mode, as may be suitable to him / her. Details of link for joining in virtual mode are given below.
- 3. The Public Authorities may attend the hearing physical mode or in virtual mode, as per convenience.
- (a) SPIO should personally join the hearing; if for a compelling reason(s) he/she is unable to be present, he/she has to give reasons for the same and shall authorise an officer not below the equivalent rank of SPIO, fully acquainted with the facts of the case and bring complete file/file(s) with him.

Issue No. I/396953/2023

Government of West Bengal
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From: State public Information Officer

Assistant Secretary to the Government of West Bengal.

To: Shri Subhasish Ghosh, Advocate

AE-686, Salt Lake, Sector-1, Salt Lake

Kolkata-700064

Sub: <u>Information under RTI Act, 2005</u>.

Sir,

I am to refer to your letter dated 28.04.2023 on the subject noted above and to say that there is no specific question in your application. As per office record no such report is available. This office is unable to provide such information.

Yours faithfully,

Rajib Sengupta Assistant Secretary to the Govt of West Bengal 18/05/2023

Government of West Bengal Department of Urban Development and Municipal Affairs "NAGARAYAN",

MD Wings, DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake, www.urbanservices.gov.in(RTI Cell) Kolkata-700 064 File No-UD/O/M/RTI- 42/2023. (Computer No.725192)

From: State Public Information Officer &

Assistant Secretary, to the Government of West Bengal.

Shri Subhasish Ghosh

AE-686, Salt Lake, Sector-I, Salt Lake, Sector-III

Kolkata-700064

Providing information under RTI Act, 2005. Sub:

Department on 01/06/2023 and to furnish the reply as follow:

Sir, I am refer to your appeal petition dated nil which has been received by this

SL. No.	Reply			
Query				
1.	There is no such record of residential plots in Salt lake Sector-I,II& II, where resumption order issued by Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department.			
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3.	Your question in SL.No.3 is not for a specific plot. Therefore answer could not be supplied to you.			

Yours faithfully

DJATA GHOSH **COMMISSIONER** to the Govt of West Bengal

20-07-2023

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Issue no.1/442601/2023

Government of West Bengal

Department of Urban Development and Municipal Affairs

"NAGARAYAN",

MD Wings, DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake, www.urbanservices.gov.in(RTI Cell)
Kolkata-700 064
File No- UDMA-16011(11)/175/2023
(Computer No.796511)

From: The State Public Information Officer & Assistant Secretary, to the Government of West Bengal.

To : Shri Samrat Saren

D/2, Nowbhanga, Sristi Apartment (1st floor)

Sector-IV, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700105

Sub: Providing information under RTI Act, 2005

Sir,

With reference to the above noted subject, I am to furnish below the reply as asked for in your RTI application dated 19.06.2023(seriatim):-

Sl.No.	Reply
1.	There are many plots in the entire RA Block of Salt Lake, Sector-IV., BMC ward no. 36, Kolkata-700105.No, available information or record in this section.
2.	No, available information or record in this section.

Yours faithfully,

Rajib Sengupta
Assistant Secretary
to the Govt of West Bengal
03/10/2023

Issue No. I/627370/2025

Government of West Bengal Department of Urban Development and Municipal Affairs "NAGARAYAN",

MD Wings,DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake, www.urbanservices.gov.in(RTI Cell) Kolkata-700 064 (Computer No.796511)

File No. UDMA-16011(11)/175/2023

Dated. 05.04.2025

From: Deputy Secretary & State Public Information Officer to the Government of West Bengal

To: The Section Officer

WEST BENGAL INFORMATION COMMISSION, 11 A, Mirza Ghalib Street, Kolkata-700087

Sub: Action taken report in r/o hearing on 06.05.2025 against RTI Application of Sri Samrat Saren.

With reference to the above the undersigned is directed to furnish a report in the following manner:-

Queries date and No.						Reply	y		_	
1)	Application	date	19.06.2023	1.	Vide	issue	no.	1/4426	01/2023	dated
received from Sri Samrat Saren about					10.202	3 a rep	ly wa	as sent	to the a	pplicant
information of RA Block of Salt Lake,					ich w	as prov	ided	by the	Land M	lanager,
Sector-IV, BMC, ward no.36,Kolkata-					hanna	gar, of th	is dep	artment	.(copy end	closed)
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Land Manager, Bidhannagar (9433352083) has been requested to attend the hearing on 06.05.2025 on virtual mode.

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Deputy Secretary & SPIO to the Govt. of West Bengal UD & MA Department