ORDER

Grounds of Appeal

The Appellate Authority has received a postal appeal on 17th December 2019 from Sh. Saurabh Singh. Earlier, the appellant herein had filed an application dated 17th October 2019, under RTI Act, 2005 with the CPIO Corporate Centre, POWERGRID seeking information regarding CSR projects from 1st January 2017 onwards. The instant appeal has been filed on the ground that the CPIO has not provided complete information.

On receipt of the Appeal, the issue was discussed with CPIO. CPIO informed that vide his communication dated 14th November, 2019 it was informed to the Appellant that details information of various CSR projects is available at POWERGRID’s website.

Decision:

I have perused the reply provided by the CPIO vide letter dated 14th November, 2019, wherein it has been categorically mentioned that detailed report in respect
of CSR projects undertaken is available on the website maintained by POWERGRID. In his appeal the appellant is seeking information in a particular format. In my opinion the same cannot be acceded to, in view of the fact that the information has already been provided to him and under the scheme of the Act the CPIO is not obliged to provide information in a particular format. However, if the appellant is desirous of having any information regarding any specific project he may file a separate RTI for the same.

The Appeal is accordingly disposed of.

(Sanjeev Singh)
ED (CMG) & Appellate Authority


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