F. No. OM-73/2005 GOVERNMENT OF ARUNACHAL PRADESH MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS &TRAINING DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS CIVIL SECRETARIAT, BLOCK NO.18 ITANAGAR

NOTIFICATION

The 1st May, 2007

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 27 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (Act No. 22 of 2005), the Governor of Arunachal Pradesh is hereby pleased to make the following rules to amend the Arunachal Pradesh Right to Information Rules, 2005, namely:-

1. Short title and commencement:-

- (1) These rules may be called the Arunachal Pradesh Right to Information (Appeal Procedure) Rules, 2007.
- (2) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
- 2. Amendments:- In the Arunachal Pradesh Right to Information Rules, 2005 (herein after called the Principle Rules);
 - (1) Sub-rule(1) of rule 4 shall be omitted.

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Commissioner and Secretary to the Government of Arunachal Pradesh Itanagar.

Procedure for seeking information

- 1. Application Procedure for request of Information.
- 1. Apply in Form-A or through electronic means in English to the PIO, specifying the particulars of the information requested for.
- 2. Apply on plain paper for person's residing outside the Capital Complex as well as District headquarters.
 - 3. Reason for seeking information is not required to be given.
- 4. Pay fees as may be prescribed (if not belonging to below poverty line category).
- 5. Application for information can be submitted directly to PIO or through any APIO.
- 2. Time limit for supply of information.
 - 1. 30 days from the date of application.
 - 2. 48 hours for information concerning the life or liberty of a person.
- 3. 5 days shall be added, in case of application submitted through the Assistant Public Information Officer (APIO).
- 4. 40 days from the date of application, if the information concerns a third party interest.
- 3. Payment of fee/cost of information.
- 1. Payment of application fess in advance is not required. Application fees or cost of information relating to tender documents/bits/quotation/Business contracts can be paid in advance.
- 2. Cost of information is required to be paid on intimation by the PIO only.
 - 3. No fees will be charged from people living below poverty line.
- 4. Information must be provided to applicant fee of cost, if the PIO fails to comply with the prescribed time limit.
- 5. Fee or cost of Information should be paid through Treasury Challan only.
- 4. Ground of rejection.
- 1. Request for information may be rejected, if the information requested is exempted from disclosure under Section or it infringes copy of any person other than the State under Section 9 of the Act.