FA/2020-21/406 & MIS ref. PGCIL/A/E/20/00060

पावर ग्रिड कारपोरेशन ऑफ इंडिया लिमिटेड POWER GRID CORPORATION OF INDIA LIMITED सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम 2005 के अंतर्गत आपीलीय अधिकारी

सूचना का अधिकार अधिनयम 2005 के अतगत आयाताय आयिकार। APPELLATE AUTHORITY UNDER THE RTI ACT, 2005 केन्द्रीय कार्यालय', सौदामिनी', प्लाट नं,2.सक्टर- 29, गुड़गांव, हरियाणा 122001-

कन्द्राय कायालय , साद्धामना', प्लाट न ,2.सक्टर- 29, गुड्गाव , हारयाणा 122001-CORPORATE CENTRE, 'SAUDAMINI', PLOT No.2, SECTOR-29, GURGAON, HARYANA- 122001

Ref: C/CP/AA/RTI Act, 2005 Date:29th December, 2020

Appellant:

Mr. Annu Malik, Saket-110017 Delhi

Public Authority:

POWERGRID

Respondent:

Chief GM (CP) & CPIO, Corporate Centre, POWERGRID,

Gurgaon.

Grounds of Appeal

The Appellate Authority has received an online appeal bearing number PGCIL/A/E/20/00060 on 03.12.2020 from Mr. Annu Malik. Earlier, the appellant herein had filed an online RTI application bearing numbers PGCIL/R/E/20/00453 dated 01.11.2020, with the CPIO Corporate Centre, seeking information related to expenditure on R&D, foreign visits, night-shift allowance and allowances for working on public holidays. The instant appeal has been preferred on the ground that the CPIO has not provided the information within the stipulated time.

Order:

The RTI application was filed on 01.11.2020 and in response to the same reply was given by the CPIO on 03.12.2020. Though the reply should have been given within thirty days but there was a delay of one day in sending the reply hence, this appeal. In my considered opinion the delay is not inordinate. CPIO should endeavour to provide the information within the stipulated period, however, in a given scenario if it appears that a reply may take more time an interim reply may be given to the applicant. In future CPIO should take this into account while dealing with requests under RTI Act.

The appeal is accordingly disposed of.

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