Appeal dated 24.02.2023 by Sh. Barot Nagajibhai Soma Bhai ("Appellant") received against the RTI Reply dated 15.02.2023 under Right to Information Act, 2005 ("Act")

ORDER

RTI appeal having registration no. PGCIL/A/E/23/00013 has been received online from the appellant against the RTI reply for the application dated 06.02.2023, wherein the Appellant has sought for the details pertaining to cutting of trees, Security Guards etc.

The following are observed on examining the "Appeal" & "RTI Application";

1. Date of RTI Application: 06.02.2023 Date of Reply by CPIO: 15.02.2023 Date of First Appeal: 24.02.2023

- 2. The "Appellant" has sought for information details pertaining cutting of trees, Security Guards etc., which were denied by CPIO citing reason that Applicant has not sought for any information which is readily available as in the form as defined as "information" under Section 2 (f) of the RTI Act. Dissatisfied with the reply this appeal has been preferred by the "Appellant".
- 3. Further, the appellant has preferred this appeal as a grievance redressal by raising further more queries, which is not provided in the scheme of RTI Act.
- 4. The First Appellate Authority has found that the CPIO denied the request as per the Act on merit, therefore, I found no reason to interfere with it.

On the above ground, I do not find any reason to interfere with the RTI Reply and the "Appeal" filed by the "Appellant" does not hold good and is liable to be rejected. With this order, the Appeal stand disposed of.

Copy of this order may be supplied to Appellant and CPIO, WR-II.

Date: 20.03.2023

Executive Director
First Appellate Authority
Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd., Vadodara.

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