

Appeal dated 10.05.2023 by Sh. Dinesh Goyal ("Appellant") received against the RTI Reply dated 08.05.2023 under Right to Information Act, 2005 ("Act")

ORDER

RTI appeal having registration no. PGCIL/A/E/23/00022 has been received online from the appellant against the RTI reply for the application dated 06.05.2023, wherein the Appellant has sought for the details pertaining to tender documents, work orders, work/action plan by contractor, approvals given to the contractor, warning or any other action taken against the contractor, material approval request, test report, bill payments etc in relation to the contract reference no. TBCB/NeemuchREZ/400KVAIS/SS01/G5/NOA-I&II/05&06 dated 23.09.2022.

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

1. Date of RTI Application: 06.05.2023
Date of Reply by CPIO: 08.05.2023
Date of First Appeal: 10.05.2023
2. The "Appellant" has sought for information/ details pertaining to tender documents, work orders, work/action plan by contractor, approvals given to the contractor, warning or any other action taken against the contractor, material approval request, test report, bill payments etc. in relation to the contract reference no. TBCB/NeemuchREZ/400KVAIS/SS01/G5/NOA-I&II/05&06 dated 23.09.2022, wherein the CPIO had denied the information citing the reason that information sought is confidential documents and cannot be provided in line with Section 8(1)(d) of RTI Act and also denied under Section 8 (1)(j) of the Act. Dissatisfied with the reply furnished by CPIO this appeal has been preferred by the "Appellant".
3. The First Appellate Authority has found that the CPIO has denied the information on merit as per the Act, 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 stands disposed of.

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

Date: 01.06.2023



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