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RTI APPEAL DETAILS (आरटीआई अपील विवरण)

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| Appeal Registration Number (अपील पंजीकरण संख्या) : | IFCIL/A/E/23/00005 | RTI Appeal Received Date (आरटीआई अपील प्राप्त की तिथि) : | 28/03/2023 |
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| Status (स्थिति) : | Urban | Educational Status (शैक्षणिक स्थिति) : | Details not provided. |
| Citizenship Status (नागरिकता) : | Indian | Is Appellant Bellow Poverty Line ? (क्या अपील करनेवाला गरीबी रेखा से नीचे का है?) : | No |
| CPIO Approached (संपर्क सीपीआईओ) : | 38570 | Date of Receipt of CPIO's Order/Decision (सीपीआईओ के आदेश / निर्णय के रसीद की तारीख) : | Details not provided |
| CPIO's Order/Decision No. (सीपीआईओ का आदेश / निर्णय संख्या) : | Details not provided | | |
| Ground for Appeal (अपील का आधार) : | Provided Incomplete, Misleading or False Information | | |
| Text of RTI First Appeal (आरटीआई प्रथम अपील का पाठ) : | The CPIO, IFCI has partially provided me online information on 2.3.2023 in response to my above RTI. He has denied complete and correct information on the queries at Sl.No.2, 7 and 8 which tantamount to denial of information. I therefore prefer my first appeal against denial of complete and correct information. The queries at Sl. No.2, 7 and 8 of my RTI application, response of the CPIO, IFCI and the grounds for appeal are given in the Annexure which is part and parcel of my appeal. In view of the grounds for appeal mentioned in the Annexure, you, sitting in the quasi-judicial seat, are requested to kindly pass orders | | |

directing the CPIO to provide me complete and correct information which must be available in the records of IFCI and the same is being withheld.

ANNEXURE FORMING PART OF MY APPEAL TO THE FIRST APPELLATE AUTHORITY OF IFCI LTD. AGAINST DENIAL OF INFORMATION BY CPIO, IFCI ASKED FOR BY ME IN MY ONLINE RTI REGISTRATION NO.IFCIL/R/E/23/00007

The queries on which information is denied, response of CPIO of IFCI and grounds of the appeal are as under.

1. Query No.2 – The date from which the Pension Scheme under IFCI Pension Regulations, 1993 was replaced by the Pension Scheme under LIC Group Superannuation Cash Accumulation Scheme.

Response of CPIO – The information may be treated as NIL from our side and no such information is existing on the records of IFCI Ltd.

Grounds for Appeal - The CPIO, IFCI has confirmed that date of introduction of LIC Group Superannuation Cash Accumulation Scheme for the existing employees of IFCI was 31.03.2009. If it is so, and the Pension Scheme under IFCI Pension Regulations 1993 was replaced by the former one, how it is possible that date of replacement of one scheme by another Scheme is NIL and no such information exists in the records of IFCI Ltd. Administratively, it is neither feasible nor prudent to have an effective cut-off date for introducing the one scheme but not to have on record the date on which the old scheme was replaced by the new scheme particularly when both the schemes are meant for payment of pension to the employees.

2. Query No.7 - The number of employees of IFCI who have been granted Pension as per the Pension Scheme under IFCI Pension Regulations after introduction of LIC Group Superannuation Cash Accumulation Scheme for the employees of IFCI.

Response of CPIO - The information may be treated as NIL from our side and no such information is existing on the records of IFCI Ltd.

Ground for appeal - The word NIL connotes and conveys nothing. The reply of CPIO is in abstract form. If no employee has been granted pension under the Pension Scheme under IFCI Pension Regulations, 1993 after introduction of LIC Group Superannuation Cash Accumulation Scheme then the CPIO must have disclosed in specific terms whether or whether not any employee has been granted pension under the said scheme after introduction of LIC Group Superannuation Cash

Accumulation Scheme for the employees of IFCI. The query raised in my RTI application is a matter of administrative function and record-keeping. The records must be containing entries of sanction of pension to each and every employee as and when the same is sanctioned. When the CPIO, IFCI has disclosed that LIC Group Superannuation Cash Accumulation Scheme for the employees of IFCI was introduced w.e.f. 31.03.2009, there must be records in IFCI to show about the number of employees who had been granted pension under Pension Scheme under IFCI Pension Regulations, 1993 after 31.03.2009.

3.Query No.8 - Date of sanction of pension as per the Pension Scheme under IFCI Pension Regulations, 1993 to the employees of IFCI after introduction of LIC Group Superannuation Cash Accumulation Scheme for the employees of IFCI.

Response of CPIO - Response of CPIO, IFCI to this query is same as to the query No.7 i.e. The information may be treated as NIL from our side and no such information is existing on the records of IFCI Ltd.

Ground for appeal - The CPIO, IFCI has disclosed that LIC Group Superannuation Cash Accumulation Scheme for the employees of IFCI was introduced w.e.f. 31.03.2009. It is a matter of record if, pension under Pension Scheme under IFCI Pension Regulations, 1993 had been sanctioned to any of the employees of IFCI after 31.03.2009. As and when pension is sanctioned it must carry the date of sanction also. Therefore, the CPIO must have specifically and precisely disclosed whether or whether not pension under Pension Scheme under IFCI Pension Regulations, 1993 had been sanctioned to any of the employees of IFCI after 31.03.2009.

Therefore, you are requested to advise CPIO to get the records re-checked and provide me the precious information –

- (a) Date of replacement of IFCI Pension Scheme under IFCI Pension Regulations, 1993 by LIC Group Superannuation Cash Accumulation Scheme, when the latter scheme was introduced from 31.03.2009.
- (b) Whether or whether not any of the employees of IFCI had been sanctioned pension under IFCI Pension Scheme under IFCI Pension Regulations 1993 after

introduction of LIC Group Superannuation Cash Accumulation Scheme on 31.03.2009. If pension under IFCI Pension Regulations, 1993 has been sanctioned after 31.03.2009, number of such employees may be disclosed.

- (c) If any of the employees has been sanctioned pension under Pension Scheme under IFCI Pension Regulations, 1993 after 31.3.2009, then please share the different dates on which pension under IFCI Pension Scheme under IFCI Pension Regulations, 1993 had been sanctioned after introduction of LIC Group Superannuation Cash Accumulation Scheme on 31.03.2009.

In view of the above-mentioned grounds for appeal, you, sitting in the quasi-judicial seat, are requested to kindly pass orders directing the CPIO to provide me complete and correct information in regard to my queries mentioned at Sl.No.2, 7 and 8 of my RTI application.