From: D.Rajkumar, Supdt.(RSAS),
Southern Region,
GSI Complex, Bandlaguda,
Hyderabad - 500 068, AP.

To: The Secretary/First Appellate Authority
Under RTI Act, 2005.
Ministry of Mines, GOI,
NEW DELHI.

Sub: Filing of a First Appeal under Sec. 19 (1) of RTI Act, 2005.

Sir,

I filed a RTI application dated 30-07-2013 before the CPIO, seeking such of those information, which were initiated and held by your esteemed office.

The Deputy Secretary of your office has vide his letter No. 311/2013-M.II dated 10-09-2013 forwarded/transferred my RTI application to Shri C. Muralidharan, Director (P), GSI, CHQ, Kolkata under Section 6(3) of RTI Act, 2005, requesting him to send the reply directly to me, while endorsing a copy of the said letter to me.

It is not out of place to mention here that the information sought by me is related to your office, as the directives were issued to the GSI for implementation. Thus the onus lies on the CPIO of your office to supply the information sought to me, which is not done till date.

I am, therefore, constrained to file this First Appeal under Section 19(1) of RTI Act, 2005 before your kind authority with a prayer to direct the CPIO to furnish the information that I sought vide my letter dated 30-07-2013 without further loss of time, failing which I shall have no option except to knock the doors of the Hon'ble Commission, Central Information Commission, New Delhi for justice.

An early action in the matter is highly solicited.

Yours faithfully,

(D. RAJKUMAR)
Appellant

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No. 31/01/2013-M.II  
Government of India  
Ministry of Mines  

Shastri Bhawan,  
New Delhi, the 02.12.2013

ORDER

Shri D. Rajkumar, Supdt (RSAS), SR, GSI, Hyderabad has preferred his first appeal dated 12.11.2013 (received in this section on 21.11.2013) under Sec 19(1) of RTI Act, 2005 against his RTI application dated 30.07.2013.

2. Whereas, an RTI application of Shri D. Rajkumar dated 30.07.2013 received in this Ministry addressed to the CPIO of this Ministry seeking information of the letter indicated by Shri D. Rajkumar in his RTI application dated 30.07.2013 issued to GSI. Whereas, the subject matter of the RTI was related to GSI, it was transferred to the Director (P), GSI, Kolkata vide our letter of even number dated 10.09.2013 for providing the information directly to Shri D. Rajkumar.

3. Whereas, the Appellate Authority of GSI, has already disposed of the appeal of Shri D. Rajkumar on 19.11.2013 inter alia providing him the duly signed copy of the authorized signatory containing the information sought by Shri D. Rajkumar.

4. Whereas, the CPIO, Ministry of Mines did not have any information to share with the applicant and had duly transferred the RTI application to the concerned officer in GSI vide this Ministry's letter of even no. dated 10.09.2013, the action of the CPIO is in order.

5. The applicant, if so desires, may approach the PIO concerned in GSI for any further information in the matter. The appeal preferred by Shri D. Rajkumar is, accordingly, disposed off.

(S.B. Doval)  
Deputy Secretary & Appellate Authority

To  
Shri D. Rajkumar, Supdt (RSAS)  
Southern Region,  
GSI Complex, Banlaguda,  
Hyderabad-500068 (A.P.)

Copy to:-  
1. The joint Director (P&A) & CPIO, GSI, GSI, 27, JL Nehru Road, Kolkata-16, for taking necessary action.  
2. Shri S.C. Bose, Administrative Officer & Nodal Officer, RTI, GSI, 27, JL Nehru Road, Kolkata-16, for taking necessary action.  