

**BEFORE THE ORISSA INFORMATION COMMISSION**

**BHUBANESWAR**

**Present: Shri Jagadananda, SIC**

**Date: 16<sup>th</sup> December, 2007**

**Complaint Case No. 936 / 2007**



Ananga Prasad Pattanaik,  
Advocate,  
13, Goutam Nagar,  
Bhubaneswar-751014.....Complainant

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Public Information Officer,  
Office of the Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation,  
Near Kalpna Square,  
Bhubaneswar.....Opposite Party

**Decision**


1. Complainant Ananga Prasad Patnaik and Pravat Kumar Patanaik, PIO, Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation (BMC for short) are absent. Absence of the Complainant cannot be condoned since the earlier order dated 14/03/08, his presence was very much felt necessary and he was informed to appear today. The PIO has not prayed for leave of his absence. This case has arisen out of complaint petition dated 03/10/07.
2. During the last hearing on 14/03/08 the form A application dated 23/07/07 filed by the Complainant was not produced before the State Commission by either of the parties. They were directed to file the same today. The PIO had submitted that there is no form A application in the relevant case record. The Complainant did not produce any documentary evidence to prove the

filing of the form A application. In the absence of form A application the case could not be taken up for consideration. The Complainant was provided with another opportunity to produce the copy of his form A application which as a pivotal role to play in the case.

3. Since the Complainant is absent despite notice sent to him by speed post on 27/08/08 and no form A application is available on record, the case is disposed of and closed for want of adequate proof. Inform both the parties, PIO is hereby cautioned not to remain absent without intimation in future.

**Pronounced in the open proceedings**

Given under the hand and seal of the State Commission, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2008.

  
16/12/08  
**SIC**