

**OFFICE OF THE APPELLATE AUTHORITY, under RTI Act,
HIGH COURT OF MADHYA PRADESH, BENCH AT INDORE**

RTI Appeal No. 04/2025

**Mrs. Madhumita Roy,
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.....Appellant

Vs

**Smt. Nirupama Shrivastava, Joint Registrar (M)/
State Public Information Officer, High Court of M.P.,
Bench at Indore**

..... Respondent

Order

(Delivered on 29 May 2025)

This appeal has been preferred u/s. 19 (1) of the RTI Act., 2005 by the appellant Mrs. Madhumita Roy being aggrieved by the order passed by the State Public Information Officer, High Court of M.P., Bench at Indore dated 06/05/2025 by which applicant's application is rejected.

Appellant has sought following information by his application dated 17/04/2025 filed before SPIO :-

"(i) Details of Information required :

Certified Copy of Order or Action Taken Report for the Complaint letter forwarded by Mr. Dilip Deo to the Registrar General, Indore High Court, MP which was sent from Ratu SO through Indian Post Registry having consignment number RJ236558030IN and the same was delivered on 27.07.2024 to the aforesaid addressee. (PFA of the Consignment Track History).

After receiving of application, SPIO has rejected the application mainly on the ground that as per the provision 8 (j) of the RTI Act, information, sought relates to the personal information.

Applicant filed this appeal mainly on the ground that the certified copy of the complaint which is sought the applicant is related to her husband and she has full right to know the action taken as the matter is concerned to her and her husband only.

Heard appellant Madhumita roy and reply/written argument of SPIO.

Perused the order of SPIO which reveals that application of applicant is rejected only on ground that information sought is relates to personal information.

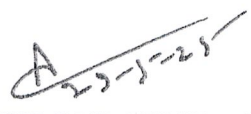
It is clear that applicant is wife of complainant, so, information sought by applicant could not be treated as third party personal information. Action taken by this Registry which is only forwarding the same to Main Registry on any complaint is not private in nature and there is no bar of section 8 and 9 of RTI Act.

So, on the above discussion, I found that applicant should be given information which is available in this Registry and for other she may be informed about authority.

Thus appeal is allowed and authority is directed to give all information which are available in this office.

Copy of this order be sent to Joint Registrar (M), High Court of M.P., Bench at Indore for necessary action and information. A copy of this order be also provided free of cost to the appellant/applicant and also to the SPIO for information and necessary action.

As per Section 19(3) of the RTI Act, 2005, appellant/applicant may file an appeal to the Hon'ble Appellate Authority (State Information Commission, Bhopal) within 90 days of the issuance of this order.


(ANOOP KUMAR TRIPATHI)
APPELLATE AUTHORITY