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Ref. No.L00072446/RTI/A-10/2018

November 01, 2017

# FIRST APPELLATE AUTHORITY UNDER RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT (RTI ACT), 2005 SMALL INDUSTRIES DEVELOPMENT BANK OF INDIA (SIDBI) Appeal No.10/2017-18

APPEAL UNDER SECTION 19(1) OF THE RTI ACT BY SHRI SATSANGRAJ BHIVRAJ SONAWANE AGAINST ORDER NO.2187 DATED JULY 27, 2017 OF CENTRAL PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER (CPIO) OF SIDBI REGARDING HIS RTI APPLICATION RECEIVED ON JUNE 28, 2017.

### Background:

The Appellant, Shri Satsangraj Bhivraj Sonawane, Infront of Main Post Office, Noor Colony, Naralibag, Aurangabad, PIN-4310001, Maharastra, has preferred the present appeal dated October 10, 2017 against the Order No.2187 dated July 27, 2017 by CPIO of Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI) received on October 25, 2017.

Not satisfied with the said order, the appellant has preferred this appeal, requesting intervention of FAA in providing him information sought by him in his RTI application.

### **Observations:**

I have gone through the contents of his Appeal dated October 12, 2017, as also the order No.2187 dated July 27, 2017 passed by CPIO in the matter. It is observed that vide his above RTI application; the appellant had sought information relating to Startup India and Standup India pertaining to Aurangabad District.

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I observe that CPIO has provided the information available with him to the appellant from serial 1- 3 as per his RTI application. CPIO has rightly mentioned Section 8(1)(d) and (e) of RTI Act by not providing the each beneficiary name and sanctioned amount for his query no. 3 as the requested information pertains to borrowers of various Banks and held by the public authorities in fiduciary capacity and no larger public interest warrant for its disclosure. However, in appeal, the appellant now clearly mentioned that he is interested in for total number of application sanctioned and amount sanctioned to each individual applicant without disclosing their name. Since, the appellant never asked for personal information or the name of the beneficiaries, therefore, I observe that the information of sanctioned amount of each applicant without disclosing the individual name may be provided.

#### Order:

I allow the appeal and direct the CPIO to provide the information of sanctioned amount of each applicant (with grant total of sanctioned amount) without disclosing the individual name and address as requested and clarified by appellant at query no. 3 in his RTI application, within 20 working days from the date of receipt of the order.

Copy of this order be sent to the appellant and CPIO.

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