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Ref. No.6692/RTI/A-16

Date: November 18, 2016

FIRST APPELLATE AUTHORITY UNDER
RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT (RTI ACT), 2005
SMALL INDUSTRIES DEVELOPMENT BANK OF INDIA (SIDBI)

Appeal No.16/2016-17

APPEAL UNDER SECTION 19(1) OF THE RTI ACT BY SHRI KRISHN KAUSHIK, AGAINST ORDER NO.1987 DATED NOVEMBER 04, 2016 OF CENTRAL PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER (CPIO) OF SIDBI REGARDING HIS RTI APPLICATION DATED OCTOBER 12, 2016.

Background:

The Appellant, Shri Krishn Kaushik, Express Building, B-1/B, Sector 10, Noida, Pin - 201301, has preferred the present appeal dated November 11, 2016 against the Order No.1987 dated November 04, 2016 by CPIO of Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI) in response to his application dated October 12, 2016.

Not satisfied with the said order, the appellant has preferred this appeal, requesting intervention of FAA in providing him full information sought at query No.1, 2 & 3 as per his above application.

Observations:

I have gone through the contents of his Appeal dated November 11, 2016, the application dated October 12, 2016 of the appellant as also the order No.1987 dated November 04, 2016 passed by CPIO in the matter. It is observed that the appellant has sought information on the loans sold by SIDBI and its subsidiaries to third parties in the last ten years.

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I observe that the CPIO has provided the information which was available and could be provided. However, the information w.r.t. loans sold by subsidiaries was denied as SIDBI does not maintain any record of assets sold by them and details of third parties/companies, etc. was not given as it pertains to various borrowers of SIDBI, a public authority which are held in commercial confidence as also in fiduciary capacity and larger public interest does not warrant disclosure of such information hence claimed exemption from disclosure under section 8(1)(d) of the Act.

Order:

I find no infirmity in the order passed by CPIO and appeal is devoid of any merit and accordingly dismissed.

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

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