

Madhya Pradesh High Court  
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Zakir Hussain Khan vs Central Information Commission on 28 November, 2011  
W.P. No.14850.11

Writ Petition No. 14850 of 2011

28/11/2011

Shri R. S. Verma, learned counsel for the petitioner.

Petitioner, a petty contractor, panged with non supply of work by the Western Coalfields Ltd. (for short 'WCL'), with an impression that the contract work in WCL is being doled out without public tender, filed an application on 11-12-2009 seeking information as to how many tenders were called in 2008 and 2009 along with the details thereof as to tender notice number, name of work, contractor's name, estimated costs, under section 6(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The petitioner was called upon to deposit Rs. 10,242/- towards expenses for supply of documents, he therefore modified the application on 24-02-2010 and confined it to (i) Twenty work orders relating to contract between Rs 50,000/- to Rs. 1,00,000/-, (ii) Ten work orders relating to contract between 1,00,000/- to Rs. 2,00,000/-, (iii) Ten work order relating to amount more than Rs. 20,000/-. Since the information was not supplied to petitioner, he filed an appeal whereby appellate authority by his order dated 12-05-2010 directed W.P. No.14850.11

Assistant Public Information Officer, Kanhan Area to supply the information as sought for by the petitioner.

As, the petitioner insisted upon supply of 240 pages instead of 64 pages supplied to him. Petitioner preferred a Second Appeal whereon in the light of the fact that requisite information in 64 pages having been provided to the petitioner free of costs the Appeal was dismissed.

Aggrieved, the petitioner files this petition on the ground that he is entitled for 240 pages information.

The petitioner having not brought on record the relevant information supplied to him free of cost and having not disputed regarding their relevancy, no case is made out by the petitioner for indulgence.

In the result petition fails and is hereby dismissed.

(SANJAY YADAV)

JUDGE

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