



Government of Jammu and Kashmir
DIRECTORATE OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
GRAMIN VIKAS BHAWAN, GOLE-PULLI, TALAB-TILLO, JAMMU-180002.

Subject: Implementation of J&K RTI Act 2009.

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It has been observed that the information under RTI is not being provided timely to the RTI activists with the result, they approach to the first appellate authority for providing of information under RTI Act 2009. In most of the cases, the PIOs are not attending the first appeal in the office of the first appellate authority personally and send their representatives for hearing. The instructions/orders passed by the first appellate authority are also not complied in letter and spirit with the result the applicant approach to the commission and earn a bad name for the Department.

Keeping in view, the above circumstances, it is impressed upon all the PIOs of this Division to get themselves well versed with the RTI Act and provide the information to the RTI activists well in time and attend the hearing before First Appellate Authority personally in case of filing of appeal by the information seeker.

The instructions may be adhered in letter and spirit and non-compliance of the instructions shall be viewed seriously.

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