

ACTION HISTORY OF RTI FIRST APPEAL No.DFCCL/A/E/25/00005				
Applicant Name		Jitendra Kumar		
Text of Appeal		<p>First Appeal under RTI Act, 2005 To The First Appellate Authority, Dedicated Freight Corridor Corporation of India Limited (DFCCIL), Corporate Office, New Delhi. Subject: Appeal against the response to RTI Application No. DFCCL/R/E/25/00010 regarding compliance with Shramik Kalyan Portal requirements. Respected Sir/Madam, I am submitting this appeal against the response provided by the Public Information Officer (PIO) to my RTI application dated [insert date], as the information received is incomplete, inconsistent, and misleading. Grounds for Appeal: 1. No Exemption for Data Uploading: The letter provided in response to my RTI does not explicitly exempt UP Purva Sainik Kalyan Nigam Ltd (UPSKNL) from uploading data on the Indian Railway Shramik Kalyan Portal. Indian Railways mandates 100% compliance for all contractors, including uploading details of wages, EPF, and ESIC contributions of workers. 2. Misleading Information: The response claims that registration on the Shramik Kalyan Portal is not mandatory for UPSKNL, but no official notification or valid exemption document has been provided to support this claim. This raises concerns about whether the rules are being enforced uniformly. 3. Verification of Exemption Letter: The response does not provide details of the officer or authority responsible for verifying and approving the alleged exemption for UPSKNL. It is critical to understand who authorized this deviation from Indian Railways' standard policy. 4. Non-compliance with Railway Guidelines: As per Indian Railways' guidelines, bill-passing authorities must ensure that contractors upload the required worker data to the Shramik Kalyan Portal before clearing payments. This process ensures transparency and accountability. Failure to upload data violates these guidelines and undermines worker welfare. Relief Sought: 1. Provide a copy of the official notification or document exempting UPSKNL from compliance with Indian Railway Shramik Kalyan Portal requirements. 2. Share the name, designation, and contact details of the officer who verified or approved the exemption for UPSKNL. 3. Clarify how DFCCIL ensures transparency in the absence of uploaded data on the portal and how compliance with minimum wage payments and statutory contributions is verified. 4. Direct UPSKNL to upload the data as per Indian Railways' rules to maintain transparency and worker welfare. Enclosures: 1. Copy of the RTI application and the response received. 2. Supporting information regarding Indian Railways' Shramik Kalyan Portal compliance requirements. I request your office to provide the required information at the earliest and take appropriate action to address this issue. Yours sincerely, Jitendra Kumar</p>		
Reply of Appeal		Dear appellant, Your appeal has been considered and it is found that the information provided by the CPIO is in order. Hope you appreciate the position.		
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1	FIRST APPEAL RECEIVED	03/02/2025		
2	APPEAL FORWARDED TO CONCERNED FIRST APPELLATE AUTHORITY	04/02/2025	Nodal Officer	Online
3	APPEAL DISPOSED OF	21/05/2025	FAA - Sh. D. L. Yadav	
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