

Forum for Good Governance

Regd.No.653/2009

L. No. FGG/CM/REP/ 75 /2024

Hyderabad 23rd May, 2024

To
The Hon'ble Chief Minister
Government of Telangana
Hyderabad

Respected Sir,

Sub: Vigilance and Enforcement department - Not taking action on V&E reports in Government - Request to instruct Chief Secretary to take action on V&E reports - Reg.

Ref: 1. Our representation to Chief Secretary letter No. FGG/CS/REP/46/2019, dated 9-5-2019.

 Our representation to H.E. the Governor letter No. FGG/Gov/REP/51/2020, dated 31-8-2020

3. A.S., G.A V&E letter No. 298/V&E/A1/RTI/2018 & 477/V&E/D1/2024, dated 7-5-2024

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Vigilance and Enforcement department was constituted to inquire into cases of serious misconduct by Government employees and corruption related issues. V&E sends alert notes to various departments regarding irregularities that are likely to take place. It also takes up appraisal of activities and sends appraisal reports and system improvement notes. In a way V&E acts like eyes and ears of Government. V&E is headed by Director General (Police) and supported by two Directors and about 76 other senior officers and staff. Annually about Rs. 15 crores are the expenditure of V&E.

During last 10 years, V&E has inquired and submitted its report in 1230 serious corruption related cases pertaining to various department. Further it sent 768 appraisal reports, 1215 alert notes and 123 system improvement notes. Unfortunately, after sending its reports to Government there is no further follow up action by V&E. Taking advantage of this short coming various departments in Secretariat are just ignoring the V&E reports. In some case the reports are sent to H.O.D.s and that is the end of the matter.

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In some instances, if any irregularity is likely to happen V&E alerts the respective department in Secretariat. The alert notes are not taken any cognizance and irregularity is allowed to take place.

Since last 10 years thousands of V&E reports have not seen the light of the day. Forum for Good Governance requested for information regarding disposal of V&E cases in Secretariat by filing R.T.I. application, the stock reply given to us is <u>information not available</u>. There is a deliberate attempt in Secretariat not to take required action as suggested by D.G., V&E.

V&E sends its reports after detailed inquiry / examination of cases. If timely action is not taken the tainted officials are likely to go scot free. In the state of Telangana there is no fear of punishment for wrong doing, 'sab chalta hai' attitude has developed in employees.

Common man is suffering from rampant corruption in administration. Without any fear the employees are openly demanding bribes. In HMDA, the bribe amount depends on the value of the land. If the land cost for which approval is required is high, the bribe is also high. With this open (Khullam Khulla), bribes. People are loosing faith in administration. In the past we have submitted representation to Chief Secretary and H.E. the Governor of Telangana but there is no response.

Forum for Good Governance request the Hon'ble Chief Minister to kindly review the pending V&E cases and see that quick action is taken on V&E reports. Action may also be taken on officials who have not taken timely action on V&E reports.

Yours Sincerely

M. Padmanabha Reddy

President

Forum for Good Governance

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Encl: Ref. 3rd cited

Copy to Chief Secretary, Government of Telangana

Prl. Secretary to Government, GAD

Prl. Secretary to Government, MA&UD department

Prl. Secretary to Government, PR&RD department

Prl. Secretary to Government, Agriculture & Co.op. department

Director General, Vigilance & Enforcement department

Commissioner, Vigilance Commission, Telangana state

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GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (VIGILANCE & ENFORCEMENT) DEPARTMENT

From
Public Information Officer &
Assistant Secretary to Govt.,
G.A (V & E) Dept.,
4th &5th Floor,
BRKR Bhavan,
Hyderabad.

To Sri M Padmanabha Reddy, President, Forum for Good Governance, H.No. 6-1-69, Flat 204, GKR Mansion, lakdi ka pool, Saifabad, Hyderabad-500004.

Letter No. 298 /V&E/A1/RTI/2018 & 477/V&E/D1/2024, Dt: 07.05.2024 Sir,

Sub: G.A.(V&E) Dept., - RTI Act - Sri M Padmanabha Reddy - sought for certain information under RTI Act - Reg.

Ref: Application under RTI Act, from Sri M.Padmanabha Reddy, Secretary Forum for Good Governance, H.No.6-1-69, Flat No.204, GKR Mansion, Lakdikapool, Saifabad, Hyderabad – 500 004, Ph.No.040-2323 0334, Email: ffggapindia@mail.com Website: www.fggindia.org. Hyderabad, Dt.30.03.2024.

In response to your application under RTI Act received vide reference cited, the number of Vigilance Reports, Appraisal Reports, Alert Notes, and System improvements sent to Government from 2014 to 2024 (April) are furnished as under Annexure.

The receipt of the letter may be acknowledged

Yours faithfully

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Public Information Officer & Assistant Secretary to Govt., G.A (V & E) Dept.,

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Details of Vigilance Reports sent to Govt. from (2014 to 2024) upto 31.03.2024 Department wise

Sl. No.	Department	2014				2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Total
1	Revenue	12	10	5	9	17	4	28	46	31	9	3	174
2	Revenue (R&S)	1	2	1					3	10	8	1	26
3	Revenue(Endow)	1	1	1		1		1	1	2	1	-	9
4	Revenue (CT)	9	4	1				2			2		18
5	MA&UD	24	28	19	6	40	13	42	30	48	32	2	284
6	PR&RD	9	12	14	10	21	7	15	15	27	10	2	142
7	I&CAD	8	9	5	4	15	3	12	8	6	3		73
8	Agr&Coop	8	14	11	7	6	4	29	15	12	3	1	110
9	Ind&Comm	3	2	1	3	-	1	2		2	3		17
10	CAF & CS	4	7	9	6	9	6	8	6	4	4	1	64
11	EFS&T	8	7	6	8	7	3	10	3	7	1	1	61~
12	School Edn.	6	1	1	3	2	2		5	4	4		28
13	Social Welfare	1	3										4
14	SCD			1	2			1	3		1		8
15	HM&FW	5	11	6	2	7	2	2	4	5	3		47~
16	Tribal Welfare	2	2	2	1	1	1	2	1	1			13
17	Housing	6	3										9
18	Home	3	-1	1		1		2	2	4	1		15
19	Energy	1	2			1	6	7	4	6	1		28 ~
20	WD&CW		2		1		1		1	1	1		7
21	Higher Edn.	1	3	1				2		2	3		12
22	AHDD & F	1	1			2	2			1	1	1	9
23	GAD		2					1					3
24	YA&TC	2	1		1	1				4			9
25	Finance	5			3		1			1	2		12
26	Planning												
27	BC Welfare		1		3			1	1				6
28	LET&F	1	1			2	2	2	1	1			10
29	Minorities				1								1
30	IT&C												
31	Vigil.Comm.						1			11			1
32	TR&B	1	3	3	3	3		1			4		18
33	RWS	3		-	1	1							5
34	Prohibition & Excise												
35	Mines & Geology							3	3	1			7
	Total	125	133	88	74	137	59	173	152	180	97	12	1230

Public Information Officer & Assistant Secretary to Govt., G.A (V & E) Dept.,

Details of Appraisal Report sent to Govt. from (2014 to 2024) upto 31.03.2024 Department wise

Sl. No.	Department	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020		2022	2023	2024	Total
1	Revenue	15	10	5	7	9	5	3	7	16	2	1	80
2	Revenue (R&S)		1			15							1
3	Revenue(Endow)		1			1						•	2
4	Revenue (CT)	1								2	1	1	5
5	MA&UD	11	42	8	6	29	20	8		15	3	1	143
6	PR&RD	6	15	2	6	23	7	1		7	11	2	80
7	1&CAD	1	6	4	4	23	9	1		6	5		59
8	Agr&Coop	11	7	4	6	8	5	2		7	2		52
9	Ind&Comm	2	1	1	2	1		2		1		1	11
10	CAF & CS	24	18	17	15	16	12	7	2	3	7	1	122
11	EFS&T	3	8	1	1	3	4	2	1		4		27
12	School Edn.	4	5		1	1		1		2	1		15
13	Social Welfare		1										1
14	SCD	1			2					2			5
15	HM&FW	1	7	5	5	2	3			11	5		39
16	Tribal Welfare	1			1			1	1		1		5
17	Housing		3	1									4
18	Home	9	- 2		1	1		1			2	2	18
19	Energy	2				4	1			2	1		10
20	WD&CW		1	1	1	1							4
21	Higher Edn.	3	2			2	1		1				9
22	AHDD & F		1			1					2		4
23	GAD	1			1		1						3
24	YA&TC	1	1		1			1	1	1			6
25	Finance											1	1
26	Planning	-											
27	BC Welfare						1			1			2
28	LET&F	2	2				2			1			7
29	Minorities		2										2
30	IT&C				-		1						1
31	Vigil.Comm.				1					1.			2
32	TR&B	2	2	1	3	15	2	2	2	13	4		46
33	RWS	1				1							2
34	Prohibition & Excise												
35	Mines & Geology												
	Total	102	138	50	64	141	74	32	15	91	51	10	768

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Details of Alert Notes sent to Govt. from (2014 to 2024) up-to 31.03.2024 Department wise

		31.03.2024 Department wise												
	Sl. No.	Department	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Total
	1	Revenue	19	55	22	4	15	24	9	6	50	28		232
	2	Revenue (R&S)	22	17		2					4	6		51
	3	Revenue(Endow)		3		1	1	6		1	16	2	1	31
	4	Revenue (CT)	27	47	1	7			1		5	6	1	95
	5	MA&UD	20	22	14	5	10	15	4	5	49	43	2	189
	6	PR&RD	16	14	5	5	2	5	2		8	8	1	66
	7	I&CAD	4	4	3	3	1	1			7	11		34
	8	Agr&Coop	13	16	2	11	8	4	7	1	12	6		80
	9	Ind&Comm			1	3	2	1		1	3	1		12
	10	CAF & CS	16	12	13	9	1	1	2		6	3	1	64
	11	EFS&T	3	4	3	1	1	2	1		1	8	1	25
I	12	School Edn.	2	3		3	3			1	2			14
	13	Social Welfare		1						-	1			2
	14	SCD				1			1					2
	15	HM&FW	5	8	1	3	1	1	3	4	6	3	1	36
	16	Tribal Welfare	1						1		1	1		4
	17	Housing	1	3							2			6
	18	Home	6	-3	2	7	1	1			9			29
	19	Energy		2	2			1		1	5			11
	20	WD&CW						1						1
	21	Higher Edn.	1	1		4	2	1					1	10
	22	AHDD & F								1	5	1		7
	23	GAD				1								1
	24	YA&TC							1	1				2
	25	Finance												-6370
	26	Planning												
	27	BC Welfare							1	1				2
	28	LET%F	17	12	6	9	22	26	21		43	25	2	183
	29	Minorities							1		1			2
	30	IT&C				-					1			1
	31	Vigil.Comm.									•1			
L	32	TR&B	2	1		2	2				7	3	1	18
	33	RWS		1		1								2
	34	Prohibition & Excise									1			1
	35	Mines & Geology									1	1		2
L		Total	175	229	75	82	72	90	55	23	246	156	12	1215

Public Information Officer & Assistant Secretary to Govt., G.A (V & E) Dept.,

Details of System Improvement Notes sent to Govt. from (2014 to 2024) upto 31.03.2024 Department wise

SI. No.	Department	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Total
1	Revenue		2	5	2	1	1			3			14
2	Revenue (R&S)		1									v	1
3	Revenue(Endow)	1											1
4	Revenue (CT)			2								1	2
5	MA&UD	2	1	2	5					5	2		17
6	PR&RD	1	1	4	1					1	2		10
7	I&CAD	1	2	3	1					3			10
8	Agr&Coop	4	2	5	5		2	1		1			20
9	Ind&Comm			1	1						1		3
10	CAF & CS			5									5
11	EFS&T		1		2				1		1		5
12	School Edn.			1	1								2
13	Social Welfare			1									1
14	SCD			1									1
15	HM&FW			2	4	1		1					8
16	Tribal Welfare												7.00
17	Housing			1	1								2
18	Home		1			1							2
19	Energy		-	1	1			1					3
20	WD&CW												
21	Higher Edn.				1								1
22	AHDD & F									1			1
23	GAD												
24	YA&TC												
25	Finance												
26	Planning												
27	BC Welfare								1				1
28	LET&F				1								1
29	Minorities												
30	IT&C												
31	Vigil.Comm.									*1			
32	TR&B		1	1	1			1		1			5
33	RWS			2	1			12					3
34	Prohibition & Excise												
35	Mines & Geology									4			4
	Total	9	12	37	28	3	3	4	2	19	6		123

Public Information Officer & Assistant Secretary to Govt.,
'G.A (V & E) Dept.,



విజిలెన్స్ రిపోర్ట్ లపై చర్యలు తీసుకోండి

సీఎంకు ఎఫ్జీజీజీ లేఖ

హైదరాబాద్, వెలుగు: ప్రభుత్వ శాఖల అధికారులు, ఉద్యోగుల అవినీతిపై విజిలెస్స్ డిపార్ట్మైమెంట్ ఇచ్చిన రిపోర్ట్ లపై చర్యలు తీసు కోవాలని సీఎం రేవంత్ రెడికి ఫోరం ఫర్ గుద్ గవర్నెన్స్ (ఎఫ్జీజీజీ) సెక్రటరీ పద్మనాభరెడ్డి లేఖ రాశారు . గత పదేంద్రలో విజిలెన్స్ శాఖ ప్రభుత్వానికి ఎన్నో రిపోర్ట్ల్లు ఇచ్చినా అక్కడి అధికారులు వాటిని సీఎంపోకు పంపకుండా తొక్కి పెట్టారని ఆరోపించారు. దశాబ్దకాలం లో విజిలెన్స్ ఆఫీసర్లు అధికారుల అవినీతిపై 3,336 రిపోర్ట్ల్లు పంపారన్నారు. ఈ రిపోర్ట్ లపై గతంలో గవర్నర్, సీఎస్కు ఫిర్యాదు చేశామని అయినా చర్యలు తీసుకోలేదని చెప్పారు. రెవెన్యూ, జీహెచ్ఎంసీ, హెచ్ఎం డీఏలో అవినీతి ఎక్కువగా ఉందని.. ఇలాంటి వాటిపై నిఘా పెట్టాలని ఆయన కోరారు.

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FGG urges Revanth to act on pending vigilance reports

Hans News Service Hyderabad

THE Forum for Good Governance (FGG) has urged Chief Minister A Revanth Reddy to review the pending Vigilance and Enforcement cases, see that quick action is taken on its reports, and act against those who have not taken timely action on the reports. The FGG secretary, M Padmanabha Reddy, said the V & E department was constituted to inquire into cases of serious misconduct by government employees and corruption-related issues. 'The V&E sends alert notes to various departments regarding irregularities that are likely to take place. It also takes up appraisals of activities and sends reports and system improvement notes. In a way, V&E acts like the eyes and ears of the government'.

- V&E dept monitors misconduct and corruption, sends alert notes
- Over 10 years, 1,230 corruption cases, 768 appraisal reports
- Lack of follow-up action on V&E reports criticised

'During the last 10 years, V&E has inquired and submitted its report in 1,230 serious corruption-related cases pertaining to various departments. It sent 768 appraisal reports; 1,215 alert notes, and 123 system improvement notes. Unfortunately, after sending its reports to the government, there has been no further follow-up action by V&E. Taking advantage of this shortcoming, various departments in the Secretariat are just ignoring the V&E reports.

- Delay in action allows tainted officials to escape punishment
- "Sab chalta hai" attitude fosters rampant corruption
- High-profile corruption cases erode public trust in administration

In some cases, the reports are sent to HODs, and that is the end of the matter.' 'In some instances, if any irregularity is likely to happen, V&E alerts the respective department in the Secretariat. The alert notes do not require any cognisance and irregularities are allowed to take place. In the last 10 years, thousands of V&E reports have not seen the light of day. Reddy said FGG requested information regarding the disposal of V&E cases in the Secretariat by filing an RTI application; the stock reply given to us is that information is not available. There is a deliberate attempt by the Secretariat not to take the required action as suggested by D-G and V&E.

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