



**Before the State Information Commission, Kerala  
Thiruvananthapuram-695 039.**

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Proceedings of the State Information Commission, Kerala, in  
Appeal Petition No.244/2007/SIC

No.1830/SIC-Gen<sub>2</sub>/2007.

Date: 01.08.2007

Joe I Mangaly,  
Mangaly Industries Pvt. Ltd.  
BOC Road, Palakkad-678 014

} Appellant

**Vs**

The Deputy Commissioner (General)  
& State Public Information Officer,  
Office of the Commissioner of Commercial  
Taxes, Thiruvananthapuram.

} Respondent

**ORDER**

The appellant approached the Commission with a second appeal on 17.03.2007. The facts leading to the second appeal is as follows.

The appellant filed an application for some information before the respondent on 27.11.2006. But, the respondent on 20.12.2006 rejected the application. But the appellant preferred the first appeal on 31.01.2007. The Appellate Authority also rejected the first Appeal vide proceedings dated 20.02.2007 under Section 8(1) (d) of the RTI Act. Hence the Second Appeal.

On getting the Second Appeal the Commission asked for a detailed report. The report was submitted on 05.06.2007. The Commission examined

the report very carefully. In the report the Commissioner, Commercial Taxes points out that the present case is related to an identical issue about which the High Court has granted an interim stay for four months. He further said that the matter is sub-judice and sought time till the disposal of the Writ Petition.

The Commission agrees with the stand taken by the Commissioner, Commercial Taxes. The matter is clearly sub-judice. And there is no ground for the intervention of the Commission. Hence the Appeal is dismissed.

Dated this, the 1<sup>st</sup> August , 2007.