

26

IN THE HON'BLE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CONTEMPT PETITION (CIVIL) DAIRY NO. 36812 OF 2024
IN
WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) NO. 1040 OF 2019

IN THE MATTER OF:

ANUJ NAKADE

... (PETITIONER)

VERSUS

DR. POONAM MALAKONDAIAH
GOVT. OF ANDHRA PRADESH & ORS ...(RESPONDENTS)

AFFIDAVIT ON BEHALF OF UT OF DADRA & NAGAR
HAVELI AND DAMAN & DIU IN COMPLIANCE OF THE
ORDERS DATED 17.04.2025, 15.01.2025 AND 20.03.2023
PASSED BY THIS HONOURABLE COURT

[FOR INDEX PLEASE SEE INSIDE]

ADVOCATE FOR THE UNION TERRITORY OF DNH AND
DAMAN& DIU: S. N. TERDAL

INDEX

Sr. No.	Particular	Page No.
1.	Affidavit on behalf of UT of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu in compliance of the Orders dated 17.04.2025, 15.01.2025 and 20.03.2023 passed by this Hon'ble court in Contempt Petition (Civil) Dairy No. 36812 of 2024 in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 1040 of 2019	1-3
2	<u>Annexure-R-1</u> A true copy of letter No. Dir(IT)/RTI/2014/62 dated 13/05/2025 issued by the Joint Secretary -cum-Director (IT), Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu	4

IN THE HON'BLE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CONTEMPT PETITION (CIVIL) DAIRY NO. 36812 OF 2024
IN
WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) NO. 1040 OF 2019

IN THE MATTER OF:

ANUJ NAKADE

... (PETITIONER)

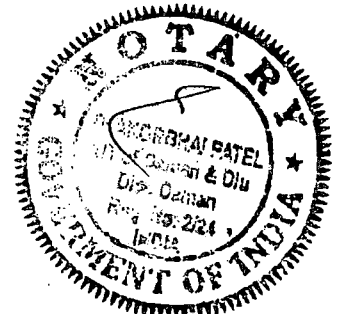
VERSUS

DR. POONAM MALAKONDAIAH
GOVT. OF ANDHRA PRADESH & ORS ...(RESPONDENTS)

AFFIDAVIT ON BEHALF OF UT OF DADRA & NAGAR
HAVELI AND DAMAN & DIU IN COMPLIANCE OF THE
ORDERS DATED 17.04.2025, 15.01.2025 AND 20.03.2023
PASSED BY THIS HONOURABLE COURT

I, Ashish Mohan, working as **Director-cum-Joint Secretary (Home), Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu** having my office at Home Department, Secretariat, Vidyut Bhawan, Kachigam, Nani Daman do hereby solemnly affirm and state as under :-

That in my official capacity as stated above I am well conversant with the facts and circumstances of the case and as such I am competent to swear this affidavit.

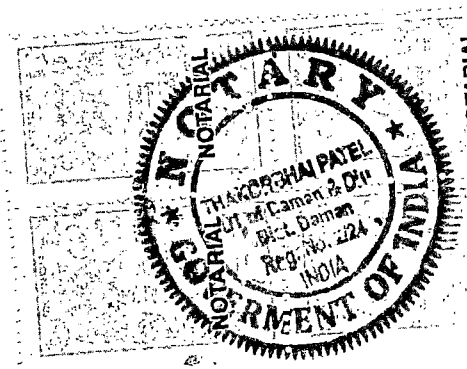
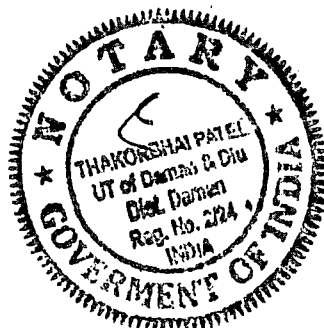


1. It is submitted that this Hon'ble Court vide Order dated 20/03/2023 in the Writ Petition (Civil) No. 1040 of 2019 directed that *"in view of the orders which have been passed in Writ Petition (Civil) No 1325 of 2020, there shall be a direction to all the State governments/Union Territories to set up and operationalize online web portals so that information sought under the Right to Information Act 2005 is made available in respect of all public authorities falling within their jurisdiction."*

2. That in compliance of the directions of the Hon'ble Court, the UT Administration of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu has developed the RTI Portal (i.e. rti.dddgov.in) for the U.T. of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu. A true copy of letter No. Dir(IT)/RTI/2014/62 dated 13/05/2025 issued by the Joint Secretary -cum- Director (IT), Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu is annexed herewith and marked as

Annexure-R-1 [Page 4]

Serial No. 633/1343/25
Daman, Dt. 22-5-2025
Particular Attestation



3. It is submitted that the respondent craves leave of this Honourable court to further add, amend and file detailed submissions/affidavit if required by this Honourable Court.
4. That the above Affidavit has been filed by the respondent to comply with the directions of this Hon'ble Court.

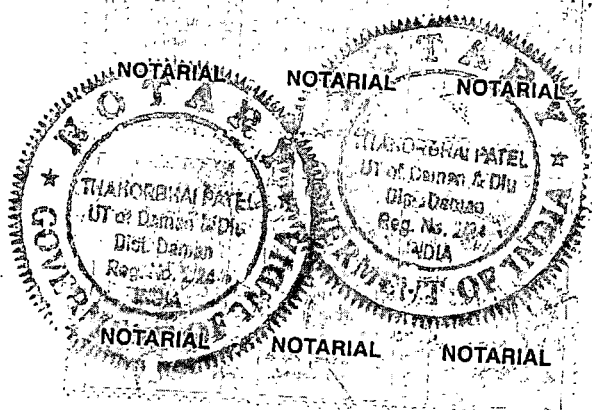
DEPONENT

(Ashish Mohan)
Director-Cum
Joint Secretary (Home)
Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman C.T.

VERIFICATION

I, the deponent above named do hereby verify and solemnly affirm that the contents of the above affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and nothing material has been concealed therefrom.

Verified at Daman on this the 22nd day of May, 2025.



DEPONENT

(Ashish Mohan)
Director-Cum
Joint Secretary (Home)
Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman C.T.

Solemnly Affirmed Before me by
Shri/Smt. Ashish Mohan
of Daman Who has been identified
before me by Shri _____
of _____
whom I know Personally

THAKORBHAI D. PATEL
Advocate & Notary
Daman, Dist. Daman

ANNEXURE R-1

(4)

cle



**Administration of
Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu (UT)
Department of Information Technology
Daman**

No. Dir(IT)/ RTI/2014/ 6 2

Date: - 13/05/2025

To,
The Director-cum Joint Secretary (Home)
UT of DNH & DD.

Subject: Development/onboarding of the RTI online portal of Union Territory of Dadra Nagar Haveli & Daman & Diu for submitting the RTIs applications.

RTI No. Contempt petition dated. 19/04/2025

Sir,

With reference to the above cited subject, it is to highlight that the U.T. Administration of DNH & DD has received Contempt petition dated. 19/04/2025 from Assistant Registrar, PIL (WRIT) (Supreme Court) which states that the States and Union Territories which do not comply the directions issued by Supreme Court vide order dated. 20/03/2023, shall complete the process for setting up and operationalize the online web portal for RTI within six weeks. Copy of the Contempt petition is enclosed herewith.

2. In this regard, it is to inform you that the Department of NIC, DNH & DD has successfully developed the RTI portal (i.e. rti.dddgov.in) for the U.T. of DNH & DD before the given timeline and the portal is ready to go-live. Hence, you are requested to take further necessary action.

Thanking You,

Yours faithfully

Amit K. Parnasi
Joint Secretary-cum-Director (IT)
UT of DNH & DD

सही प्रतिलिपि
TRUE COPY

Encl: As above

Copy to:

- 1) PA to the Advisor to Hon'ble Administrator, DNH & DD for kind information.
- 2) The Secretary (IT), DNH & DD for kind information.
- 3) The SIO, NIC, DNH & DD for kind information

62

13/5/25