PRESS NOTE

It has brought to the notice of the Commission that the Government issued a G.O.Ms.No. 20 Dt: 10.01.2013 making some amendment to the G.O.Ms.No. 66 General Administration (I&PR.II) Department, Dt: 25.02.2006 concerning State Information Commission (Appeal procedure) Rules 2006 with the following amendment.

“*In rule 5 of the said rules sub rule (iv) shall be omitted and sub rules (v) and (vi) shall be re-numbered as sub rules (iv) and (v) respectively*.”

The matter has been examined by the A.P. Information Commission on 11-01-2013. The Commission has come to a conclusion that the result of the G.O. now issued may hamper the very functioning of the Commission.

The Commission has taken a serious view about the decision of the Government in issuing the above G.O. and expects that the Government may review its Order, and immediately withdraw the G.O. now issued in the public interest.

Dated: 11-01-2013
Hyderabad

Chief Information Commissioner.

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Section Officer