

OFFICE OF THE ASSAM STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION: ASSAM
JONAKKEE COMPLEX, PANJABARI, GUWAHATI-37

Appeal Case No: KP(M) 668/2011

Appellant : Shri Salim Ahmed
S/O Lt. Foyez Uddin
Vill- Bauluri.
P.O- Chirakuti Bazar,
Dist- Dhubri

Public Authority: Sri U. C. Das,
Director, Elementary Education,
Assam

Heard by: Shri Himangshu Sekhar Das,
Assam State Chief Information Commr.

Appellant was
Represented by: Self.

Public Authority was
represented by Shri U. C. Das

O R D E R
11-2-2015

1. The Public Authority, i.e. the Director of Elementary Education, Sri U. C. Das appeared. Dr. A. Gogoi, SPIO and Joint Director, Elementary Education, Assam has sent a written submission regarding her inability to attend due to ankle injury and her being on leave.
2. The SPIO made another written statement dated 7th February, 2015 narrating the sequence of actions taken by her. From a perusal of records, it appears that in pursuance to this Commission's letter No. SIC/KP(M).668/2011/25 dated 16th May, 2012, the then SPIO in the Directorate of Elementary Education directed the District Elementary Education, Dhubri to furnish the required information to the petitioner within 10 days from the receipt of this order. The Commission directs the District Elementary Education officer, Dhubri to show cause as to why he shall not be penalized under Section 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 for not appearing in today's hearing without information or any prayer seeking leave of absence, and thereby causing obstruction in furnishing the information to the petitioner.
3. The petitioner/Appellant Sri Salim Ahmed is absent without any information or submitting any prayer seeking leave of absence. However, he appeared while the hearing was going on, He has made a written submission stating that the

only specific information that he wants now is the action taken by the Director, Elementary Education, Assam on the report submitted by Addl. Deputy Commissioner (Development), Dhubri District vide his letter No. DDM.43/2010/65 dated 23-3-2011. The appellant also submitted copy of Addl. Deputy Commissioner (Development)'s report. The Commission has entered the same in the case record and gave a copy to the Director, Elementary Education with the direction that he shall furnish the information about action taken by him on the report of Addl. Deputy Commissioner, Dhubri's report mentioned above, within 15 days and report compliance.

With the above order, the second appeal petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

(H.S. Das, IAS) (Retd)
State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati-37

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Secretary and Registrar,
Assam State Information Commission

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Copy to:

1. Dr. A. Gogoi, SPIO and Joint Director, Elementary Education, Assam for information and necessary action.
2. Sri U. C. Das, Director, Elementary Education, Assam, for information and necessary action.
3. Joint Director, Elementary Education, Dhubri for information and necessary action.
4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
5. Office file.

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