OFFICE OF THE ASSAM STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION JONAKEE COMPLEX, DISPUR, GUWAHATI-6

Appeal Case No: BPT.3/2013

Appellant: Shri Debajit Kalita

Gopal Nagar, Noonmati

Shiv Mandir Path, Guwahati-20

Public Authority: Sri Chittaranjan Deka,

BDO, Bhawanipur Development Block

Heard by: Shri Himangshu Sekhar Das,

Assam State Chief Information Commr.

Appellant was Represented by:

Self.

Public Authority was

represented by

Sri Chittaranjan Deka,

BDO, Bhawanipur Development Block &

Sri Tapan Ch. Das, Sr. Assistant and

Deemed PIO.

ORDER 28-01-2015

Petitioner Sri Debajit Kalita is present. The Public Authority was represented by Sri Chittaranjan Deka, BDO of Bhawanipur Development Block along with Sri Tapan Ch. Das, Sr. Assistant. The SPIO of the Development Block Sri Nirmal Das could not attend due to spinal problems as reported by the Public Authority. The SPIO is reportedly on leave. The Public Authority is directed to submit a copy of the SPIO's leave application and the leave sanctioning order to the Commission within 10 days.

Coming to the original RTI petition dated 26-9-2012 it appears that the information sought for by the petitioner/ appellant on all the 4 (four) points i.e- 'a' 'b' 'c' and 'd' have not been furnished by the Public Authority to the petitioner. The first Appellate Authority i.e., BDO of Bhawanipur Development Block also did not respond and react to the first appeal petition. Both the SPIO and the First Appellate Authority are hereby cautioned to be more prompt and responsive to RTI petitions in future and they are directed to furnish the information sought for by the petitioner/ appellant within 15 days.

With this the Second appeal petition is disposed off.

Sd/-H. S. Das,IAS (Retd) Assam State Chief Information Commissioner Panjabari, Guwahati-39

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Sd/-Secretary & Registrar Assam State Information Commn.

Memo No. SIC/BPT.3/2013/

28-1-2015

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- 1. 1st Appellate Authority, Bhawanipur Development Block, Barpeta for information & Necessary action.
- 2. SPIO Bhawanipur Development Block, Barpeta for information & necessary action.
- 3. Sri Chittaranjan Deka, BDO Bhawanipur Development Block for information and necessary action.
- 4. Computer Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office file.

Registrar and Secretary Assam State Information Commission, Panjabari, Guwahati-39