

**OFFICE OF THE
ASSAM STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION
JONAKEE COMPLEX, PANJABARI, GUWAHATI-781 039**

Case No. : NCH.5/2011
Complainant/ appellant : Shri Gobinda Rajbangshi
Respondent : Executive Engineer, PWD, Mahur Road Divn.
Date of hearing : 11. 6.2015
Complaint/ Second : Shri H.S. Das, IAS (Retd)
appeal heard by : Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

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11.6.2015

The complainant Shri Gobinda Rajbangshi is present. The Public Authority is represented by Shri Paresh Haloi, Executive Engineer, PWD, Mahur Road Division, Dima Hasao District and Shri Pradip Hafila, Dy. A.O., PWD, Mahur Road Division, Mahur. The complaint petitions dtd 2.3.12 and 17.4.14 of Shri Gobinda Rajbangshi are taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties.

Shri Paresh Haloi, E.E., PWD, Road Division, Mahur made a written submission dtd 10.6.15 wherein he has stated that supporting Government orders and notifications reveal that the Mahur PWD Road Sub-Division with its officers and staff was renamed as Maibong (Building) Sub-Division under Haflong Building Divn. The staff so transferred included, vide order No. 30 dtd 20.5.86 of the EE, PWD, Road Mahur Division, one Shri Padeswar Nath, Jeep Driver along with Jeep No. AMA 4903 who was shifted to Maibong Building Sub-Division. Although the case records and documents submitted by the petitioners as well as the EE, PWD Mahur Road Divn is not clear as to when Shri Padeswar Nath expired and in which Division or Sub-Division he was serving at the time of his death, from the available records and documents it appears that he might have expired while in the service of Maibong Building Sub-Division under Haflong PWD Building Division. The main issue for the complainant/petitioner being early release of pensionary benefits of the widow of deceased driver Lt. Padeswar Nath, the Commission directs the EE, PWD Road Division, Mahur to transfer the RTI application dtd 19.12.11 of Shri Gobinda Rajbangshi to the EE, PWD Building Division, Haflong for taking necessary action within a period of 90 (ninety) days from the date of receipt of the RTI petition from the EE, PWD Road Division, Mahur. EE, PWD Road Division, Mahur is directed to extend full co-operation to his counterpart EE, PWD Building Division, Haflong in preparing the pension papers, if necessary by restructuring the Service Book and service records of the deceased employee, if his family/spouse is otherwise eligible for such pension. The Commission further directs the EE, Haflong Building Division to apprise the

petitioner as well as this Commission about the action taken by him within 100 days from the date of receipt of the RTI application dtd. 19.12.11 from the EE, PWD Road Division, Mahur.

With the above order the complaint/appeal petitions are disposed of.

Sd/-

(H. S. Das)

Assam State Chief Information Commissioner,
Panjabari, Guwahati

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Secretary & Registrar
Assam State Information Commission

Memo No. NCH.05/2011

Dtd. 11.6.2015

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1. The Executive Engineer, PWD Road Division, Mahur, Dist. Dima Hasao for information and necessary action.
2. The Executive Engineer, PWD Building Division, Haflong for information and necessary action.
3. Shri Gobinda Rajbannngshi, C/O DTDC, Basistha Chariali Centre, Basistha chariali, Guwahati -29 for information.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
4. Office File.

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