

OFFICE OF THE ASSAM STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION JONAKEE COMPLEX, PANJABARI, GUWAHATI-781 037

Case No. : JRT.40/2011

Complainant/ appellant : Sri Pitambar Dev Mahanta

Respondent : Sub-Divisional Officer (C), Majuli Sub-Divn, Jorhat.

Date of hearing : 18.5.2015

Complaint/ Second : Shri H.S. Das, IAS (Retd)

appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER 18.5.2015

The petitioner as well as the Public authority – both are absent.

From perusal of the case records it appears that the SDO (C), Majuli vide his letter dtd. 19 August, 2011 had informed giving a detailed reply to the petitioner in response to the RTI application dtd 11.6.11. Subsequently on 9.2.12 the SDO (C), Majuli again wrote to the petitioner in response to his first appeal petition dtd 06.9.11. In the opinion of the Commission, both these letters answered the question raised by the petitioner. Therefore, the Commission does not see any further cause to pursue the second appeal petition dtd 10.2.12.

However, the Commission also perused its earlier order dtd 1.9.12 directing the SPIO in the office of the SDO (C), Majuli to show cause as to why penalty as provided u./s 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 shall not be imposed on him for his failure to furnish the information to the applicant within the stipulated period of 30 (thirty) days.

Reply to the show cause notice from the concerned SPIO at the relevant point of time is yet to be received. Fix..09.06.2015 at 11.00 AM for personal appearance of the concerned SPIO in the office of the SDO (C), Majuli.

Sd/-

(H. S. Das) Assam State Chief Information Commissioner, Panjabari, Guwahati

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Secretary & Registrar Assam State Information Commn.

Memo No. JRT.40/2011

Dtd. 18.5.2015

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- 1. The SDO (C), Majuli Sub-Division, Dist. Jorhat for information and necessary action.
- 2. The SPIO in the office of the SDO (C), Majuli, Jorhat for information and necessary action.
- 3. Sri pitambar Dev Mahanta, Vill- Alengi Maderguri Satra, PO- Dergaon, Golaghat, PIN-785614 for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.

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