

OFFICE OF THE
ASSAM STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION
JONAKEE COMPLEX, PANJABARI, GUWAHATI-39

Complaint Case No: CCR.97/2014

Appellant : Md. A.K. Laskar,
General Secretary, ACRDO, Silchar
Vill & PO- Nearigram Pt.II
Dist- Cachar, Assam, PIN- 788013

Public Authority: Superintendent,
Bikrampur Senior Madrasa & PIO, Cachar,
Assam

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

Appellant was Present
Represented by:

Public Authority was Md. Sirajuddin Borbhuyan,
represented by Superintendent, Bikrampur Sr. Madrasa,
Bhangarpar, Dist. Cachar, Assam

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The complainant/ petitioner Md. A.K. Laskar and Md. Sirajuddin Borbhuyan Ahmed, Superintendent, Bikrampur Senior Madrasa and SPIO- both are present.

Since there is no order from the first Appellate Authority, therefore, the second appeal petition is treated as a complaint petition and the matter is heard accordingly.

The Superintendent of Bikrampur Sr. madrasa made a written statement dated 19.2.2015 before the Commission stating that he is ready to provide all the information in his office.

On perusal of original RTI petition dated 15.2.2014 it is seen that the petitioner asked information under 13 (thirteen) different items – which is voluminous. It is accepted that it will be difficult for the Superintendent i/c of the Bikrampur Sr. Madrasa to make copies of all these documents and furnish to the petitioner. The Commission, therefore, directs the Superintendent of the Bikrampur Senior Madrasa to make available all relevant for the four calendar years from 2010 to 2013. The Complainant/ petitioner will accordingly visit the office of the Superintendent i/c , Bikrampur Sr. madrasa to inspect the relevant office records during office hours within 20 (twenty) days from the date of receipt of this order and make and take copies of documents that he wants.

The Commission also takes note of the fact that the first Appellate Authority i.e. the Director of Madrasa Education, Govt. of Assam, kahilipara, Guwahati-19 did not take cognizance of the first appeal petition of the petitioner nor has he

appeared before the Commission in spite of the Commission's notice No. SIC/CCR/97/2014-5 dated 9.2.15. The Commission therefore, directs the personal appearance of the Director of Madrasa Education, Govt. of Assam at 11.00 AM on 25th February, 2015 before the Commission and will submit written affidavit under oath explaining under what circumstance he failed to perform his duties and responsibilities under the RTI Act, 2005.

Issue summon accordingly.

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

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Secretary & Registrar
Assam State Information Commn.

Memo No.CCR. 97/2014/

Dtd. 23.2.2015

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1. The Director, Madrasa Education, Govt. of Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati- 781 019 for information and necessary action.
2. The Superintendent, Bikrampur Senior Madrasa, PO- Bhangarpar, Dist- Cachar, Assam for Information & necessary action.
3. Md. A.K. Laskar, General Secretary, ACRDO, PO & Vill- Nearigram, Dist. Cachar, Assam, PIN- 788013 for information and necessary action.
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