

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

Case No. : BPT.96/2012

Complainant/ appellant : Md. Zakir Hussain

Respondent : BEEO, Bhawanipur Block, Howly, Barpeta

Date of hearing : 16. 7.2015

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

appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER 16.7.2015

The petitioner Md. Zakir Hussain is present. The Public Authority is represented by (1) Shri Liladhar Das, BEEO, Bhawanipur Block, (2) Shri M.C. Deka, DEEO, Barpeta and (3) Shri Prakash Kalita, S.A., in the office of the BEEO, Bhawanipur Block. The second appeal petition dtd. 13.9.12 is taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties.

The incharge BEEO, Bhawanipur Block, Howly has made a written submission dtd 15.7.15 stating that the earlier Head Teacher of No.108 – Betbari L.P. School Md. Salamat Khan had prepared the required information and wrote to the petitioner Md. Zakir Hussain to collect it from the school. The petitioner stated that he was asked to deposit Rs. 5000.00 towards the cost of furnishing the required information. Apparently, the number of pages appears to be 2500 @ Rs. 2.00 per page. This is too voluminous and logistically difficult for the Head Teacher of the Betbari L.P. School. The Commission therefore, directs the petitioner to visit and meet the Head Teacher of No. 108- Betbari L.P. School and inspect documents including taking notes thereof as he may require. The Head Teacher of Betbari L.P. School is directed to facilitate to inspect documents and give him photocopies free of cost upto 25 copies and thereafter on payment of Rs. 2.00 for every additional copy. This process of inspection of documents and furnishing of the information be completed within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.

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

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

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Secretary & Registrar Assam State Information Commission

Memo No.BPT 96/2012/

Dtd. 16.7.2015

Copy to:

- 1. The Block Elementary Education Officer, Bhawanipur Education Block, Barpeta Dist., Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2. The Head Teacher, No. 108 Betbari L.P. School, PO- Barbala, Dist. Barpeta, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 3. Md. Zakir Hussain, Vill- Hatizana, PO- Jashihatipara, Dist- Barpeta, Assam, PIN- 781 316 for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.

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