

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

Case No. : NLB.45/2012

Complainant/ appellant : Md. Masiuz Zaman

Respondent : Block Development Officer, Paschim Mangaldoi

Dev.

Block

Date of hearing : 20. 7.2015

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

appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER 20.7.2015

The petitioner Md. Masiuz Zaman is absent without information. The Public Authority is represented by Shri Madhusudhan Basumatary, Sr. Asstt in the office of the DEEO, Nalbari and Shri Suresh Ch. Deka, APO in the office of the District Elementary Education Officer, Nalbari. The second appeal petition dtd 3.9.12 is taken up for hearing ex-parte.

The District Elementary Education Officer made a written submission dtd 1.7.15 enclosing copies of communications between the BEEO, Paschim Nalbari and him and between DEEO, Nalbari with the petitioner Md. Masiuz Zaman. His written submission is entered into the case records.

It is seen from the enclosures that information against point No. 1 of the RTI application has been furnished. Information on Point No. 2 & 3 as furnished by the DI of Schools, Nalbari vide his letter dtd 4.5.12 is incomplete. The Commission directs the DI of Schools, Nalbari to collect the information from wherever it is available and furnish the same to the petitioner within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order. Reply to question No. 4 of the RTI application

dtd 25.4.12 has been furnished. As regards question No. 5 of the RTI application, reply has not been furnished.

The concerned Teacher Shri Manik Deka has himself admitted in his letter dtd 29.5.12 addressed to the Block Elementary Officer, Paschim Nalbari that he also works as a reporter for a Daily Newspaper (Asomiya Pratidin) without taking any permission from his controlling authority.

The D.I. of School, Nalbari is hereby directed to inform the Commission whether a teacher of a provincialised L.P. School can also work as a reporter of a newspaper in addition to his own duties under the existing Service Rules and Conduct Rules, within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order.

With the above order the second appeal petition dtd 3.9.12 is disposed of.

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

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-Secretary & Registrar Assam State Information Commission

Memo No.NLB.45/2012/

Dtd. 20.7.2015

Copy to:

- 1. The District Elementary Education Officer, Nalbari, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2. The Dy. Inspector of Schools, Nalbari Dist. Nalbari, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 3. Md.Masiuz Zaman, Vill & PO Deharkalakuchi, Disit. Nalbari, Assam for information.
- 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 4. Office File.

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