



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

Case No. : BPT.51/2013

Complainant/ appellant : Shri Prasanta Kakoty

Respondent : SDO (Civil), Food, Civil Supplies & CA, Bajali

Date of hearing : 03.11.2015

Complaint/ Second : Shri Pinuel Basumatary, IA&AS (Retd)
appeal heard by : State Information Commissioner, Assam

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03.11.2015

Public Authority was represented by Shri Achyut Kr. Dutta, Inspector, FCS&CA, Bajali along with Head Asstt. of the office of the SDO (Civil), Bajali.

Appellant was absent.

Perused the case records. The following dates are relevant.

23.8.12	RTI Application submitted to SDO, FCS&CA, Bajali
7.12.12	First Appeal preferred to DC, Barpeta
31.1.13	Second filed before the Commission
12.10.15	Hearing Notice

Perused also the written statement submitted by the SPIO through letter No. BJFS-41/2007/Pt-I/104 dtd 2.11.15, which indicates that the information sought for has been provided to the Appellant. It has also been submitted that the information sent to the Applicant through letter No. BJFS-41/2007/Pt-I/103/1757 dtd. 2.11.15 was refused to be received by the Applicant and that the same has subsequently been sent to the Applicant by Registered Post with A/D. A copy of the Post Office's receipt has been enclosed with the written submission.

In view of the above, the Second Appeal petition of Shri Prasanta Kakoty is disposed of.

Attention of the Public Authority is drawn to the provisions in the RTI Act regarding penalty for delay in providing information to Applicants under the Right to Information Act, 2005 which provides for penalty and recommendation to the

administrative department to initiate disciplinary proceedings against the SPIOs who are guilty of delay and negligence.

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary
State Information Commissioner, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati

Authenticated true copy.

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Secretary & Registrar
Assam State Information Commission

Memo No. BPT.51/2013/

Dtd. 03.11.2015

Copy to:

1. The Sub-Divisional Officer (Civil), Bajali Sub-Division, Dist. Barpeta, Assam for information and necessary action.
2. Shri Prasanta Kakoty, Vill_ Barbang (Kayastha Para), PO- Pathsala, Dist. Barpeta, Assam, PIN-781325 for information.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
4. Office File.

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