

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

Case No. : KP(M)658/2013

Complainant/ appellant : Sri Joydev Das,

Respondent : Commissioner of Taxes, Assam

Date of hearing : 16-11-2015

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

appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER

The petitioner Sri Joydev Das is present. The public authority is represented by Sri Sandeep Chanda, Superintendent of Taxes, Guwahati Unit-'D'.

The second appeal petition dated 30-9-2013 is taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties and in continuation of this Commission's earlier order dated 12-10-2015.

As ordered by this Commission on 12-10-2015 the petitioner has made a written statement dated 12-11-2015, which is entered into the case records. He has stated that he wants the required information for the period from 1-10-2001 to 31-5-2010. He has further submitted that he suspects some irregularities in assessment of Entry Tax by the concerned officials of the Commissioner of Taxes, Govt. of Assam and , therefore, in public interest the information sought for by him should be furnished.

Sri P. K. Sinha, Asstt. Commissioner of Taxes, Guwahati Unit 'D' has made a separate written submission dated 9-11-2015. In his written submission he has referred to various provisions of the RTI Act, orders passed by various Courts from time to time including the Hon'ble Supreme Court and Section 102 of the Assam Value Added Tax Act, 2003.

The Commission fixes 1.30 P.M on 19th November, 2015 for further hearing of the second appeal petition. In view of the short Notice, the Commission directs both the parties present to take note of this and appear at the appointed time and date for the next hearing, as