

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

Case No. : LPR.9/2013
Complainant/ Appellant : Smt. Manisha Phukan
Respondent : Inspector of Schools, Lakhimpur District Circle, Lakhimpur
Date of hearing : 05.12.2015
Complaint/ Second : Shri H.S Das, IAS (Retd)
Appeal heard by : Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

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05.12.2015

The Petitioner/ Appellant Smt Manisha Phukan as well as the concerned public authority to be represented by the SPIOs of the office of Inspector of Schools, Lakhimpur District Circle, North Lakhimpur and the SPIO of office of the Principal i/c, Kamalpur Higher Secondary School, Lakhimpur, Assam both are absent without information.

The Second Appeal Petition dated 01.03.2013 is therefore taken up for consideration ex parte in the absence of both the parties.

From the case records, it appears that getting no response to her RTI application dated 18.01.2013, the petitioner filed First Appeal petition before the Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur on 26.02.2013 followed by the Second Appeal Petition dated 01.03.2013 before this Commission. It is also seen that the First Appeal Petition was transferred by the Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur to the Inspector of Schools, Lakhimpur for disposal. However, the Inspector of Schools, does not seem to have taken any action on the First Appeal Petition, so transferred by the Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur vide his letter dated 27.02.2013.

The Commission, therefore remands the appeal petition along with the RTI application to the Inspector of Schools, Lakhimpur to fix a date for hearing both the parties and dispose of the First Appeal Petition with a speaking order within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order.

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

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