



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

Case No. : SNR.5 /2014
Complainant/ appellant : Shri Milan Jyoti Barthakur
Respondent : Director, Higher Education, Govt. of Assam
Date of hearing : 05. 1.2016
Complaint/ Second : Shri H.S. Das, IAS (Retd)
Appeal heard by : Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R
05.1.2016

The Petitioner Shri Milan Jyoti Barthakur is present. The Public Authority is represented by Smt. Chinmayee Talukdar, Deputy Director and SPIO of the office of the Directorate of Higher Education, Govt. of Assam accompanied by Shri Nilomoni Kalita, Junior Asstt. of the Directorate of Higher Education. The complaint petitions dtd 25.11.13 and 21.2.14 are taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties. On being asked by this Commission the applicant stated that he is still interested in getting the information sought for by him and he also made a written submission to that effect. His complaint petitions are, therefore, converted into Appeal petitions for hearing u/s 19 of the RTI Act, 2005.

From perusal of the case records it is seen that the petitioner vide his RTI application dtd 9.1.13 sought information on appointment of Shri Himangshu Maral, Asstt. professor of History Department of Demoria College including a copy of his appointment letter, the copy of interview marking of experts/President of the GB and Secretary, comparative statement of all the candidates who appeared for interview and resolution of the Governing Body approving selection of Shri Himangshu Maral.

The SPIO and Deputy Director, Higher Education Mrs. Chinmayee Talukdar has made a written submission dtd 4.1.16 narrating the actions taken by them on the RTI petition. The SPIO's written submission also shows that no information has been furnished to the applicant till date.

This Commission therefore, directs the SPIO of the Directorate of Higher Education to furnish the information to the applicant within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.

With the above order, the petition dtd 25.11.13 and 21.2.14 are 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. SNR.5 /2014/

Dtd. 05.1.2016

Copy to: 1. The SPIO & Deputy Director in the office of the Directorate of Higher Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19 for information and necessary action.
2. Shri Milan Jyoti Barthakur, Bhir Gaon, PO- Panibhoral, District- Sonitpur, Assam, PIN- 784176 for information.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
4. Office File.

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