



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

Case No. : **KP(M)699/2013**

Complainant/ appellant : **Sri Debajit Kalita**

Respondent : **Zila Parishad, Barpeta/**

Date of hearing : **18-12-2015**

Complaint/ Second : **Shri H.S. Das, IAS ( Retd)**  
appeal heard by **Chief Information Commissioner, Assam**

**O R D E R**

The petitioner Sri Debajit Kalita is absent without any information. The public authority is represented by Md. Omar Khayyam, SPIO, Barpeta Zila Parishad.

The complaint petition dated 6-10-2013 is taken up for hearing ex-parte in the absence of the petitioner.

From perusal of the case records, it is seen that the petitioner filed his RTI petition dated 18-6-2012 before the SPIO of Barpeta Zila Parishad, seeking information on the projects implemented by Sarupeta Zila Parishad for the financial years 2006-07 till the date of the application and information on the budget allocation for the year 2012-13.

Not getting any response to his RTI petition the petitioner filed his first appeal petition dated 8-8-2012 as stated by the petitioner in his complaint petition dated 16-10-2013. But the complainant has not enclosed a copy of his first appeal petition with his complaint petition. However, it is seen from the case records that the CEO of Barpeta Zila Parishad disposed of the first appeal petition vide order dated 1-7-2013 directing Sri K. Misra Junior Asstt and Sri S. Hussain , Head Assistant to furnish the required information to the petitioner. From the complaint petition it is seen that no information has been furnished to him till date.

In view of the above, this Commission directs the SPIO of Barpeta Zila Parishad to furnish the required information, which are admissible under the RTI Act, 2005 to the petitioner within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order by allowing the petitioner to inspect the relevant documents/ records during office hours on any working day and allow him to take notes and photo copies of relevant documents required by him, free of cost up to 50 copies and thereafter on payment of Rs. 2/- for every additional copy.

The SPIO is also directed to show cause by submission of a written statement as to why penalty under Section 20 of the RTI Act shall not be imposed on him for his failure to comply with the provisions of the RTI Act. 2005, His written submission to reach the Commission within 30 days from the date of this order.

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

**Authenticated true copy.  
Sd/-  
Secretary & Registrar  
Assam State Information Commission**

Copy to;

1. Md. Omar Khayyam, SPIO, Barpeta Zila Parishad.for information & necessary action
2. Sri Debajit Kalita, Shiv Mandir Path, Gopal Nagar, Noonmati, Guwahati-20 for information.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
4. Office File.

**Secretary & Registrar**  
**Assam State Information Commission**