

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

Case No. : SIC/DHR.97/2012

Appellant : Md. Salim Ahmed.

Respondent : 1) The Headmudaris of Kuthalipara Pre-

Sr. Madrassa, Dhubri.

2) The Superintendent of Kathulipara Sr.

Madrassa, Dhubri

Date of hearing : 19.01.2016

Second Appeal heard by : Shri Pinuel Basumatary

State Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER

19.01.2016

Neither the SPIO nor the Appellant present.

No Written Statement has been received from either party. Therefore, the Commission has no information on the case subsequent to receipt of the Second Appeal dated 12/7/2012.

A perusal of the case records indicates the following sequence of significant dates:

27.01.2012 RTI Application filed with the SPIO, O/o the Director, Madrassa Education, Assam
 15.02.2012 Application transferred to the Headmudaris of Kuthalipara Pre. Sr. Madrassa, and the Superintendent of Kathulipara Sr. Madrassa, Dhubri
 29.03.2012 First Appeal Filed with the Director of Madrassa Education, Assam
 12.07.2012 Second Appeal Filed with the Commission

The case records indicate that the Appellant had filed the Second Appeal as he did not receive the information he had sought for inspite of filing the First Appeal dated 29.03.2012 and passage of nearly four months from the date of filing his RTI Application.

It is seen that instead of disposing of the First Appeal in accordance with the RTI Act, 2005, the Directorate of Madrassa Education Assam transferred the same through their letter dated 18/5/2012 to the heads of the aforementioned two schools which ought not to have been done.

In view of the facts brought out above, the Commission hereby orders that the information sought for by the Appellant shall be furnished to him by the heads of the two aforementioned schools, free of cost, within a period of 10 days of receipt of this order.

Further, the Commission hereby orders that the FAA/Director of Madrassa Education Assam shall consider and dispose of the said First Appeal, with a speaking order, within a period of 21 days of receipt of this order.

A copy of the RTI Application and First Appeal dated 29.03.2012 be forwarded to the FAA.

With this, the Second Appeal Petition is hereby disposed of.

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary State Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

Authenticated true copy.

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Secretary & Registrar
Assam State Information Commission

Copy to:

- 1. The Headmudaris, Kuthalipara Pre. Sr. Madrassa, P.O.- Choudhury Char, Dist- Dhubri, Assam, Pin-783349 for information and necessary action.
- 2. The Superintendent, Kathulipara Sr. Madrassa, Dhubri P.O.- Choudhury Char, Dist- Dhubri, Assam, Pin- 783349 for information and necessary action.
- 3. The First Appellate Authority/ Director of Madrassa Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati, Pin- 781019 for information and necessary action.
- 4. Md. Salim Ahmed, S/o- Lt. Foyez Uddin, Vill- Bauluri, P.O.- Chirakuti, Dist- Dhubri, Assam, Pin-783330 for information.
- 5. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
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