

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

Case No. : **KP(M)392/2013** 

Complainant/ appellant :Sri Dulal Bora

Respondent :DHS, Assam

Date of hearing : **08-01-2016** 

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

appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

## ORDER

The petitioner Sri Dulal Bora is present. The public authority is represented by (1) Dr. Rajeeb Kr. Sharma, Joint Director of Health Services. and (2) Dr. Arundhati Deka, Deputy Director of Health Services

The second appeal petition dated 15-6-2013 is taken up- for hearing in presence of both the parties.

The appellant Sri Dulal Bora had filed an RTI petition dated 15-3-2013 before the Director of Health Services, Assam, seeking information on the actions taken by the department to provide fluoride free drinking water to the people of Kampur area of Nagaon district, actions taken to supply fluoride free drinking water and actions taken to give relief to the people affected by drinking of fluoride contaminated water.

This Commission observed that supply of fluoride free water is the primary responsibility of PHE Department. The Joint Director of Health Services submitted that they work jointly with PHE Department to supply fluoride free water to the Kampur area of Nagaon besides other parts of the State.

The appellant stated that he is also aware of the actions taken in the field by the Health & Family Welfare Department to mitigate the evil affects of fluoride toxicity on the human body.

This Commission, therefore, directs the Joint Director of Health Services to send a written reply to the petitioner detailing the actions taken by them within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.

With the above order the second appeal petition dated 15-6-2013 is disposed of.

Sd/-

(H. S. Das)

Assam State Chief Information Commissioner, Panjabari, Guwahati

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Secretary & Registrar

**Assam State Information Commission** 

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- 1. SPIO of the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup (Metro), for information and necessary action.
- 2. Sri Dulal Bora, Koinadhara Tiniali, House No.-118, Khanpara, Guwahati-22 for information.
- 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 4. Office File.

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