



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

Case No. : SIC/CCR.29/2013  
Appellant : Md. Selim Uddin Choudhury  
Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the Block Elementary Education Officer  
(BEEO), Katigora Educational Block, Cachar  
Date of hearing : 11.02.2016  
Second Appeal heard by : Shri Pinuel Basumatary,  
State Information Commissioner, Assam

**O R D E R**  
11.02.2016

The Appellant present.

The SPIO absent. However, a Written Statement dated 9/2/2016 from the District Elementary Education Officer (DEEO), Cachar/First Appellate Authority (FAA) and W/S dated 10/2/2016 from Block Elementary Education Officer, Katigora, Cachar received.

Perused the W/S received from the SPIO. It has been submitted that in a letter dated 17/1/2013 the SPIO/BEEO, Katigora had written to the DEEO providing the information relating to point no. 3 and requested the latter (DEEO) to provide the information to the Petitioner on point no. 1 & 2 as these were not available on Block Elementary Education Office. A copy of the said letter was endorsed to the Petitioner.

Heard the Appellant. The Appellant submitted that he had not received any information and that he had not received the said letter dated 17/1/2013.

Perused the abovementioned W/S received from the FAA/DEEO, Cachar. It has been submitted that the instant RTI Application had been transferred to BEEO, Katigora with a direction to provide the information directly to the Petitioner. It is seen that the W/S does not refer to the aforementioned letter from the BEEO, Katigora as also about any action that may have been taken to provide the information relating to point no. 1 & 2 to the Appellant. It is evident that the FAA/DEEO, Katigora has not dealt with the RTI Application with the seriousness that it deserves in accordance with the RTI Act, 2005.

No evidence has been received in the Commission of the First Appellate Authority (FAA)/DEEO, Cachar having disposed of the First Appeal dated 29/11/2012 submitted by the Appellant.

In view of the facts brought out above, the Commission hereby orders that DEEO, Cachar shall provide the complete information pertaining to all 3 points in the RTI Application to the Appellant, free of cost, within a period of 10 days of receipt of this order.

It is also ordered that the DEEO, Cachar in the capacity of FAA shall consider and dispose of the First Appeal dated 29/11/2012, with a speaking order, within a period of 21 days of receipt of this order.

With this, the Second Appeal Petition is disposed of

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary  
State Information Commissioner, Assam  
Panjabari, Guwahati

Authenticated true copy.

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Dy. Secretary & Dy. Registrar  
Assam State Information Commission

Copy to:

1. The SPIO, Office of the Block Elementary Education Officer, Katigorah Educational Block, P.O.- Katigorah, Dist- Cachar, Assam, Pin- 788805 for information and necessary action.
2. The First Appellate Authority/District Elementary Education Officer, Cachar, P.O.- Silchar, Dist- Cachar, Assam, Pin- 788001 for information and necessary action.
3. Md. Selim Uddin Choudhury, Vill- Karaikandi Part-II, P.O.- Rajartilla, Dist- Cachar, Assam, Pin- 788805 for information.
4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
5. Office File.

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