



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

Case No. : SIC/DHR.76/2013
Appellant : Md. Hifzur Rahman Ahmed
Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the District Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Officer, Dhubri, Assam
Date of hearing : 14.03.2016
Second Appeal heard by : Shri Pinuel Basumatary,
State Information Commissioner, Assam

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14.03.2016

The Public Authority is represented by Dr. A.H. Mollah, SPIO, office of the District Animal Husbandry & Veterinary, Dhubri and Dr. Bijoy Kr. Choudhury, A.R.O., representative of First Appellate Authority/District Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Officer, Dhubri.

The Appellant absent without information. However, considering that the matter has been pending for some time, the Commission has decided to go ahead with the hearing on this appointed day *ex parte*.

Written Statements received from both the FAA and SPIO.

The Appellant had filed his Second Appeal with this Commission dated 20.07.2013 stating that he had not received complete information from the SPIO in response to his Application dated 27.12.2012.

Perused the case records and aforementioned Written Statements. It is seen that on being asked to deposit an amount of Rs. 10,000/- for cost of photocopying documents he had opted to deposit a sum of Rs. 244/- for photocopying of documents relating to query no. 3 from out of the 4 queries made in his Application. It is also seen that the Appellant had subsequently sought through his letter to the SPIO dated 05.03.2013 information on the remaining 3 queries in response to which the SPIO had asked him to deposit the balance amount as cost for photocopying through letter dated 26.03.2013. The SPIO had submitted that the Appellant did not deposit the said amount.

From the facts brought out above, it is seen that, in his Appeal, the Appellant had not mentioned the fact of his not having deposited the cost of photocopying on account of which the information could not be furnished by the SPIO. It is thus seen that the balance information could not be provided to the Appellant owing to his not depositing the cost of photocopying and lack of response from him.

The Second Appeal case is hereby disposed of.

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary

State Information Commissioner, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati

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Deputy Registrar
Assam Information Commission

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1. The SPIO, Office of the District Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Officer, Dhubri, P.O.- Dhubri, Dist-Dhubri, Assam , Pin- 783301 for information.
2. The First Appellate Authority/ District Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Officer, Dhubri, PO- Dhubri, Dist-Dhubri, Assam , Pin- 783301 for information.
3. Md. Hifzur Rahman Ahmed, Advocate, Dhubri Bar Association, Dhubri, P.O.- Dhubri, Dist- Dhubri, Assam, Pin- 783301 for information.
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