

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

Case No. : KP(M).473/2013

Complainant/ appellant : Sri Dulal Bora

Respondent : Revenue and Disaster Management Department

Date of hearing : 02-03-2016

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

appeal heard by **Chief Information Commissioner, Assam**

ORDER

The public authority is represented by (1) Smti Mayuri Chetia, SPIO and Joint Secretary, Revenue and Disaster Management Department and (2) Sri Khagen Sarmah, Sr. Administrative Assistant. The petitioner Sri Dulal Bora is present.

The second appeal petition dated 12-4-2013 is taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties.

From perusal of the case records it is seen that the petitioner filed his RTI petition dated 18-2-2013, before the Principal Secretary, Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Govt. of Assam, seeking information on the source of income of Govt. of Assam with details. The Joint Secretary, R&DM Department has made a written submission dated 20th February, 2016 with a copy to the petitioner Sri Dulal Bora that the information sought for is not available in the Revenue and Disaster Management Department.

This Commission observes that the Revenue and Disaster Management Department should have transferred the RTI petition to the appropriate authority i.e., the Finance Department under Section -6(3). They are advised to do so in future.

The petitioner may file separate RTI petitions before the Finance (Economic Affairs) Department.

With this the second appeal petition dated 28-6-2013 is disposed of.

Sd/-(H. S. Das)

Chief Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

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Registrar **Assam Information Commission**

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Dtd. 2-3-2016

Copy to:,

- 1. Smti Mayuri Chetia, SPIO and Joint Secretary, Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information.
- 2. Sri Dulal Bora, Koinadhara Tiniali, House No.-118, Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for information.
- 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.4.` Office File.

Registrar **Assam Information Commission**