

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

Case No. : SIC/DHR.75/2013

Appellant : Md. Anowar Hussain.

Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the District Social Welfare Officer, Dhubri.

Date of hearing : 16.03.2016

Second Appeal heard by : Shri Pinuel Basumatary,

State Information Commissioner, Assam

## ORDER

16.03.2016

Smt. Raktima Baruah, CDPO, Jamadarhat ICDS Project, Dhubri present along with a Written Statement dated 16.03.2016.

The Appellant absent without any information.

Perused the case records. It is seen that the Second Appeal dated 22.10.2013 was filed with the Commission being aggrieved at the SPIO not furnishing of information relating to one of the 8 (eight) items mentioned in his RTI Application dated 04.06.2013, and "false information" in respect of item no. 2,3,4 and 6 and "incomplete information" on item no. 7 and 8.

Perused the aforementioned W/S wherewith copies of information already provided to the Applicant/Appellant have been enclosed. It is seen from the W/S that the issue raised by the Appellant in his Second Appeal is not addressed. It is also seen from the records that the First Appeal dated 05.08.2013 had been submitted to D.C., Dhubri instead of to the appropriate First Appellate Authority in the same Department, *i.e.* Social Welfare Department.

In view of the facts brought out above, the Commission hereby orders as follows –

- 1. The SPIO, office of the CDPO, Jamadarhat ICDS Project shall review the information already provided to the Appellant with reference to the shortcomings pointed out by him in para 4 of his Second Appeal Petition and provide the correct/complete information/documents. The information/documents may be provided, free of cost considering the passage of time beyond the timeframe stipulated by the RTI Act, 2005. Considering the ensuing Assembly Election a maximum of 21 days is allowed for completion of the action.
- 2. As First Appellate Authority, District Social Welfare Officer, Dhubri shall likewise review the case with reference to the Appellants made by the Appellant and in terms of this orders, within a period of 30 days of receipt of this order.

Send copies of the RTI Application, First Appeal and Second Appeal to the First Appellate Authority.

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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Deputy Registrar Assam Information Commission

## Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO, Office of the Child Development Project Officer (CDPO), Jamdarhat ICDS Project, Dhubri, PO- Jamdarhat, Dist-Dhubri, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2. First Appellate Authority/District Social Welfare Officer, Dhubri, P.O.- Dhubri, Dist-Dhubri, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 3. Md. Anowar Hussain, S/o- Lt. Mazam Ali, Vill- Boro Nichinpur (Balatary), P.O.- Madartari, Dist- Dhubri, Assam, Pin- 783330 for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.

Deputy Registrar Assam Information Commission