



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

Case No. : SIC/BPT.5/2015
Complainant/Appellant : Md. Tajmul Ali
Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the B.D.O., Bhawanipur Development Block, Barpeta
Date of hearing : 22.03.2016
Complaint/Second Appeal heard by : Shri Pinuel Basumatary,
State Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R
22.03.2016

Both the parties present.

Written Statement dated 18.03.2016 received from PD, DRDA, Barpeta.

Perused the case record. It is seen that the RTI Applicant had submitted a Complaint dated 19.06.2014 after he failed to receive any response from the SPIO.

Deposing before the Commission, the Petitioner stated that he was yet to receive the information and has therefore, prayed for converting his Complaint Petition to Second Appeal Petition.

Perused the W/S of the PD, DRDA, Barpeta. It has been submitted that the RTI Application dated 18.02.2014 was transferred to the concerned BDO, namely BDO, Bhawanipur Development Block, Barpeta with the direction to furnish the information to the Petitioner and that no compliance report has been received from the said BDO.

Heard the SPIO. It has been submitted that the RTI Application could not be traced after the receipt of the Commission's notice dated 08.03.2016 and therefore, was not in a position to state whether any action had been taken to provide the information. He prayed for time to trace the case and take action as necessary.

As the Appellant has submitted that he was yet to receive the information, the Commission hereby orders that a copy of the RTI Application dated 18.02.2014 shall be handed over today by the Appellant to the SPIO and the SPIO shall take necessary action to provide the information to the Appellant/Applicant, free of cost. A maximum time of 30 days from the date of receipt of this order is given to the SPIO in view of the ensuing Assembly Election.

With this, the Second Appeal Petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary
State Information Commissioner, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-

Deputy Registrar
Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/BPT.5/2015/ -A

Dtd. 22.03.2016

Copy to:

1. The SPIO, Office of the Block Development Officer, Bhawanipur Development Block, Dist- Bhawanipur, Assam, Pin- 781301 for information and necessary action.
2. Md. Tajmul Ali, S/o Md. Akkas Ali, Vill- Itarbhitia, PO- Barbala, Dist- Barpeta, Assam, Pin- 781316 for information and necessary action.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
4. Office File.

Deputy Registrar
Assam Information Commission