

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

ORDER	
Complaint/ Second Appeal heard by	: Shri H.S. Das, IAS (Retd) Chief Information Commissioner, Assam
Date of hearing	: 10. 3.2016
Respondent	: Guwahati Metropolitan Development Authority, Guwahati
Complainant/ appellant	: Shri Dulal Bora
Case No.	: KP(M).135/2014

10.3.2016

The petitioner Shri Dulal Bora is absent without information. The Public Authority is represented by Shri Debraj Kalita, SPIO of GMDA. In view of the large number of pending cases before the Commission, the Second Appeal petition dtd 14.11.13 is taken up for consideration expare on merit in absence of the petitioner.

From perusal of the case records and cross-verification of records of this Commission, it is seen that another Second Appeal petition dtd 13.7.13 with reference to an RTI petition dtd 16.3.13 on exactly the same matter as in the RTI petition dtd 2.7.13 relating to the present Second Appeal petition dtd 14.11.13 was already disposed of vide this Commission's order dtd 2.2.16 in Case No. KP(M).506/2013 on the basis of a written statement from the petitioner was that he had already received the sought for information.

In view of the above, the instant Second Appeal petition dtd 14.11.13 is found to be redundant. Therefore, it is dismissed with the observation that this Commission has detected several cases of submission of multiple RTI applications and subsequent appeal petitions by Shri Dulal Bora on the same subject before the same Public Authorities and/or other Public Authorities causing confusion and duplicacy of work to the Public Authorities as well as to this Commission.

<u>This Commission, therefore, directs the petitioner Shri Dulal Bora to verify his</u> records of pending RTI petitions, First Appeal petitions and Second Appeal petitions and withdraw the multiple and superfluous petitions that he might have submitted inadvertently, to save the concerned Public Authorities and the Appellate Authorities from doing redundant and unnecessary works.

> (H. S. Das) Chief Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

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- 1. The SPIO in the office of the Chairman, GMDA, Bhangagarh, Guwahati- 781 005 for information and necessary action.
- Shri Dulal Bora, Kainadhara, House No. 118, Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for information.
- 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 4. Office File.

Registrar Assam Information Commission

Dtd. 10.3.2016