

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

Case No. : KP(M).383 /2013

Complainant/ appellant : Shri Dulal Bora

Respondent : Social Welfare Department, Govt. of Assam

Date of hearing : 2. 3.2016

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

Appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER 2.3.2016

The petitioner Shri Dulal Bora and the Public Authority represented by Smti. Dipalee Devi, Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Social Welfare Department – both are present. The Second Appeal petition dtd 6.6.13 is taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties in pursuance of this Commission's earlier order dtd 10.2.16.

From perusal of the case records it is seen that the petitioner Shri Dulal Bora filed his RTI petition dtd 15.3.13 before the Commissioner of Social Welfare Department, Govt. of Assam seeking detailed information on the fund released to the Assam State Commission for Protection of Child Rights (ASCPCR) by the State Government, purposes for which the fund were utilized and other related information. The petitioner filed his First Appeal petition dtd 16.4.13 and Second Appeal petition dtd 6.6.13 on the ground of non-receipt of information sought for by him.

The Joint Secretary, Govt. of Assam, Social Welfare Department has submitted a written statement dtd 29.2.16 stating that the RTI petition dtd 15.3.13 was not specific and therefore, it was returned to the petitioner vide letter dtd 30.3.13. However, from the enclosures of the Second Appeal petition dtd 6.6.13 it is seen that the appellant mixed up his enclosures and he stated that he enclosed copy of the First Appeal petition dtd 16.4.13 in respect of another of his RTI petition dtd 14.3.13.

In view of the above infirmities in the Second Appeal petition, it is dismissed.

Sd/-(H. S. Das) Chief Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

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Sd/-Registrar Assam Information Commission

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- 1. The Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of Assam & SPIO, Social Welfare Department, Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information.
- 2. Shri Dulal Bora, Kainadhara, House No. 118, Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for information.
- 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 4. Office File.

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