

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

Case No. **KP(M).81/2014**:

Complainant/ appellant :Sri Dayananda Goswami

Respondent :North Lakhimpur Electrical Circle, APDCL

Date of hearing :18-04-2016

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

appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER

The petitioner Sri Dayananda Goswami is absent without any information. The public authority is represented by (1) Sri Debabrata Kar, Deputy Project Manager, North Lakhimpur Electrical Circle, APDCL, North Lakhimpur (2) Sri Sanjib Goswami, DGM, APDCL, and (3) B.C. Tamuly, G.M (RE), APDCL.

In the absence of the complainant his complaint petition dated 25-10-2013 is taken up for hearing ex-parte.

From the records, it is seen that Notices dted 29-3-2016 were served on both the parties. After the Notice the appellant submitted a written statement dated 8-4-2016. The CEO of North Lakhimpur Electrical Circle of APDCL has also submitted a separate written statement dated 12-4-2016. Both the written statements have been entered into the case records.

It is seen from the case records that the petitioner Sri Dayananda Goswami submitted an RTI petition dated 7-8-2013 before the Chairman and Managing Director of APDCL Ltd.. The RTI application was transferred to the Deputy General Manager, North Lakhimpur Electrical Circle vide letter dated 30-8-2013,

Meanwhile vide letter dated 30-8-2013 the General Manager, APDCL furnished some preliminary information to the petitioner. Thereafter, the Asstt. General Manager, APDCL, North Lakhimpur furnished point-wise detailed information to the petitioner vide letter dated 17-12-2013. In his written submission dated 8th April, 2016 the petitioner has mentioned that he did not receive complete and correct information, without specifically pointing out which part of the information furnished to him is incomplete and incorrect. In his absence in today's hearing this Commission could not proceed any further in this regard.

The Deputy Personnel Manager , APDCL, North Lakhimpur Sri Debabrata Kar submitted before this Commission today that the petitioner had a grievance regarding not getting service connection in the residence of his mother Smti Hemaprova Goswami at Bhasalbhati, North Lakhimpur. He further submitted that there was delay in giving the service connection due to non-existence of the infrastructure required to provide the service connection. He has further submitted that the service connection has, in the meanwhile, been given.

In his written submission dated 8th April, 2016 the petitioner has mentioned about another RTI application dated 6-11-2013 filed by him before the DGM, North Lakhimpur Circle of APDCL. This Commission is of the view that that is a separate issue on a separate RTI application which may be followed up by the petitioner separately, without linking it with the instant application dated 7-8-2013.

In view of the above and in the absence of the petitioner this Commission does not find any further cause of action and hence the complaint petition dated 25-10-2013 is disposed of.

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

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- 1. Sri Debabrata Kar, Deputy Project Manager, North Lakhimpur Electrical Circle, APDCL, North Lakhimpur for information.
- 2. Sri Dayananda Goswami, C/O Prof. K.C. Sarma, Gauthati University, P.O- Gopinath Bordoloi Nagar, Guwahati- 781 014 for information.
- 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 4. Office File.

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