

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

Case No. : SIC/CCR.55/2013

Complaint : Md. Mansoor Hassan Barbhuyan.

Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the Deputy Commission, Cachar Excise Branch.

Date of hearing : 25.04.2016

Complaint heard by : Shri Pinuel Basumatary,

State Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER 25.04.2016

Sri Musharab Hussain, SPIO/Superintendant of Excise, Cachar is present with a Written Statement dated 22.04.2016 which is taken on record.

Complainant absent without any information.

Perused the W/S. It has been submitted that in response to the RTI Application dated 15.02.2013 information had been provided to him through a letter dated 28.02.2013. It has been added that the First Appeal filed by the Petitioner had been dropped on 29.07.2013 by the First Appellate Authority/D.C., Cachar after the Appellant failed to be present in the 3 consecutive dates fixed for hearing.

Perused the case record. In his Complaint filed with the Commission dated 06.07.2013, the Appellant has stated that his First Appeal had not been heard. As seen above, the First Appeal had been heard subsequent to filing of the Complaint with the Commission.

Heard the SPIO. It has been submitted that the information sought for by the RTI Applicant had been provided to him by his predecessor. Based on a copy of the Complaint forwarded to him, the SPIO stated that it was not clear as to precisely on which parts of the information he was not satisfied with.

The Commission did not have the benefit of asking the Complainant to clarify his contention in his absence from today's hearing and for want of any Written Statement from him on the latest position of the case.

In view of the facts brought out above, the Complainant is hereby directed to write to the SPIO in detail the gaps/shortcomings in the information already supplied to him with reference to his RTI Application dated 15.02.2013 within 10 days of receipt of this order, and on receipt of the said communication, the SPIO shall provide the clarification/additional information to the Complainant within a period of 10 days of receipt of the said communication from the Complainant.

With this, the Complaint Petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary State Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-Deputy Registrar Assam Information Commission

- Copy to:
- 1. The SPIO, office of the Deputy Commissioner (Excise Branch), Cachar, P.O.- Silchar, Dist-Cachar, Assam, Pin-788001 for information and necessary action.
- 2. The SPIO, office of the Superintendent of Excise, Cachar, PO.- Silchar, Dist- Cachar, Assam, Pin- 788001 for information and necessary action.
- 3. The First Appellate Authority/Superintendent of Excise, Cachar, PO.- Silchar, Dist- Cachar, Assam, Pin- 788001 for information and necessary action.
- 4. Md. Manssor Hassan Barbhuyan, C/o- M.A. Barbhuyan (IAS, Retd.), Rongpur Part-IV, VIP Road, NH-53, Dist- Cachar, Assam, Pin- 788009 for information.
- 5. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 6. Office File.

Deputy Registrar Assam Information Commission