

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

Case No. : SIC/DHR.27/2013

Complainant : Md. Gulzar Hussain

Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bilasipara, Dhubri

Date of hearing : 26.04.2016

Complaint heard by : Shri Pinuel Basumatary,

State Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER

26.04.2016

Ms. Shufia Khatun, SPIO/Head Teacher, Bagribari Bangla L.P. School present along with her husband to assist her. A Written Statement dated 26.04.2016 received from her.

The Complainant is absent without information.

Perused the case record. It is seen that the Complainant had submitted his RTI Application dated 28.03.2012 to the SPIO, office of the Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bilasipara and his Complaint dated 12.11.2012 after he failed to receive the information he had sought for.

Perused the aforementioned W/S. It has been submitted that all the information has been submitted by her to Dy.I.S., Bilasipara, copies of the documents have been enclosed with the W/S for evidence. The hearing notice was issued by the Commission to Dy.I.S. as First Appellate Authority. As Dy.I.S. is neither present nor has he deputed any representative in today's hearing and no Written Statement made, the Commission could not determine as to whether the information, as received from the Headmistress, has been furnished to the Complainant/Applicant. As regards the dismissal of the First Appeal dated 26.04.2012, the Dy.I.S., Bilasipara did not follow the procedure mandated by the RTI Act, 2005 and merely, issued a letter directing the aforesaid Headmistress to provide the information to the Applicant whereas in respect of the RTI Application, the Headmistress was directed to submit the information to himself, *i.e.* Dy.I.S., Bilasipara.

In view of the facts brought out above, the Dy.I.S., Bilasipara is hereby directed to provide the information to the Applicant/Complainant, free of cost, within 10 days of receipt of this order, if already not provided.

With this, the Complaint Petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary State Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

Authenticated true copy.

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Deputy Registrar Assam Information Commission Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO, Office of the Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bilasipara, P.O.- Bilasipara, Dist-Dhubri, Assam, Pin-783348 for information and necessary action.
- 2. The Headmistress, Bagribari Bengali L.P. School, Under Bilasipara Educational Block, P.O.-Bagribari, Dist- Dhubri, Assam, Pin- 783349 for information.
- 3. The Headmaster, 2306 Toppara L.P. School, Under Bilasipara Educational Block, P.O.-Bagribari, Dist- Dhubri, Assam, Pin- 783349 for information
- 4. The First Appellate Authority/Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bilasipara, P.O.- Bilasipara, Dist-Dhubri, Assam, Pin-783348 for information.
- 5. Md. Gulzar Hussain, Late Fazar Ali, Vill- Baniamari Pt-III, P.O.- Makrijhora, Bogribari, Dist-Dhubri, Assam, Pin- 783349 for information.
- 6. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 7. Office File.

Deputy Registrar Assam Information Commission