

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

Case No. :`KP(M).137/2014

Complainant/ appellant : Sri Dulal Bora

Respondent :Commissioner of Social Welfare Department

Date of hearing : 29-04-2016

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

Chief Information Commissioner, Assam appeal heard by

ORDER

The petitioner Sri Dulal Bora is present. The public authority is represented by (1) Smti Malita Barman, Deputy Secretary, Social Welfare Department accompanied by (2) Smti Sujata Kurmi, Jr. Administrative Assistant of Social Welfare Department.

The second appeal petition dated 4-11-2013 is therefore, taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties.

From perusal of the case records, it is seen that the petitioner Sri Dulal Bora submitted an RTI petition dated 6-6-2013 before the Commissioner, Social Welfare Department.

The Deputy Secretary of Social Welfare Department has sent a written statement dated 28th April, 2016 stating that although the original RTI petition was not received in the department, the First Appellate Authority vide order dated SWD.543/2013/32 dated 19th December, 2013 had directed the SPIO to transfer the petition to the Director of Social Welfare . Accordingly, the Deputy Secretary and SPIO of Social Welfare Department transferred the RTI petition to the Director, Social Welfare by a letter dated 7th January, 2015.

This Commission directs the Director of Social Welfare Department to inform the petitioner by Registered Post within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order, about:- the amounts spent on advertisements by Social Welfare Department year-wise during the 10 Financial Years preceding the date of RTI application i.e., 6-6-2013, mentioning the Head of Account from which the cost of advertisements were incurred.

With the above order the second appeal petition dated 14-11-2013 is disposed of.

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

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Dtd. 29-4-2016

- 1. Smti Malita Barman, Deputy Secretary, Social Welfare Department ,Dispur, Guwahati for information and necessary action, as above.
- 2. Sri Dulal Bora, Koinadhara Tiniali, House No. 118, Khanapara , Guwahati-22 for information.
- 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.4.` Office File.

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