

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

Case No. : SIC/GLP.38/2011

Complainant : Md. Moniruz Zaman Khandakar

Respondent : The SPIO, O/o Municipal Board, Goalpara

Date of hearing : 03.05.2016

Complaint heard by : Smt. Nilufer Alam Hazarika, IAS (Retd.)

State Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER

03.05.2016

Both the parties are absent. No written statement received.

However, in view of the large number of cases pending before this Commission, the Complaint petition dated 29.11.2011 is taken up for consideration on merit, based on record.

On perusal of case record, it appears that Md. Moniruz Zaman Khandakar had filed an RTI application on 09.08.2011 before the SPIO, office of the Municipal Board, Goalpara, seeking for information on schemes taken up by the office of the Municipal Board, Goalpara. Reminders were sent by the petitioner to the Municipal Board, Goalpara on 25.08.2011.

The petitioner filed a Complaint petition before the Commission on 29.11.2011 which was forwarded to the Chairman, Municipal Board, Goalpara vide letter dated 06.01.2012 to dispose of the Appeal petition within 30 days from the date of receipt of the order and submit a report to the Commission. The Petitioner filed a Complaint petition for non-compliance of the Commission's order vide letter dated 31.08.2012 and based on the same the Commission fixed 03.05.2016 for hearing of the Complaint petition.

In view of the absence of the both the parties and any written communication from them, it could not be ascertained whether the information sought for had been furnished to the petitioner after issue of the hearing notice or whether the petitioner is still interested to obtain the information.

In view of the above, the Commission directs the SPIO, office of the Municipal Board, Goalpara to furnish the information as sought for by the petitioner, within 20 days from the date of receipt of this order, if not already furnished.

With the above direction, the matter is disposed of.

Sd/-

Nilufer Alam Hazarika, IAS (Retd.) State Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

Authenticated true copy. Sd/-

Deputy Registrar

Assam Information Commission

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Dtd. 03.05.2016

Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO, office of the Goalpara Municipal Board, Goalpara, Dist-Goalpara, Assam, Pin-783101 for information and necessary action.
- 2. The First Appellate Authority/Chairman, Goalpara Municipal Board, Goalpara, Dist-Goalpara, Assam, Pin-783101 for information and necessary action.
- 3. Md. Moniruz Zaman Khandakar, S/o Late Hamid Khandakar, Vill- Milan Nagar/Shatipur, PO- Baladmari, Dist- Goalpara, Assam, Pin- 783121 for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.