



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

Case No. : **KP(M).307/2013**
Complainant/ appellant : **Sri Dulal Bora**
Respondent : **Assam Tea Planters Provident Fund**
Date of hearing : **25-04-2016**
Complaint/ Second : **Shri H.S. Das, IAS (Retd)**
appeal heard by **Chief Information Commissioner, Assam**

O R D E R

The petitioner Sri Dulal Bora is present. The public authority to be represented by the SPIO of the office of Assam Tea Planters Provident Fund is absent without any information.

From perusal of the case records it is seen that the SPIO as well as the First Appellate Authority of Assam Tea Planters Provident Fund have not given any response to the RTI petition dated 11-3-2013 and the first appeal petition dated 20-4-2013 filed by the petitioner Sri Dulal Bora.

Hence the second appeal petition dated 6-6-2013 has filed before this Commission.

From perusal of the RTI petition dated 11-3-2013, it is seen that the small tea gardens will not come within the purview of the RTI petition.

It is also seen from the case records that the information sought for by the petitioner are admissible under the RTI Act, 2005.

The Commission, therefore, directs the SPIO of ATPPF, Basistha Chariali, Guwahati-29 to allow the petitioner or his authorized representative to inspect all relevant records and documents, during office hours, within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order and allow him to take notes and photo copies of documents up to 50 copies and thereafter on payment of Rs. 2/- for every additional page of photo copy . The petitioner is also directed to give at least 2 (two) days advance notice to the Chairman. Assam Tea Planters Provident Fund before inspection of the official records by him or his authorized representative.

With the above order the second appeal petition dated 6-6-2013 is disposed of.

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

**Authenticated true copy.
Sd/-
Registrar
Assam Information Commission**

Memo No.SIC/KP(M)/ 307/2013/6-A

Dtd. 25-4-2016

1. SPIO of the Office of Assam Tea Planters Provident Fund, Basistha Chariali, Guwahati-29 for information and necessary action.
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.

**Registrar
Assam Information Commission**