



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

Case No. : **KP(M). 520/2013**  
Complainant/ appellant : **Sri Dulal Bora**  
Respondent : **Commissioner of Transport, Assam**  
Date of hearing : **17-05-2016**  
Complaint/ Second appeal heard by : **Shri H.S. Das, IAS ( Retd)  
Chief Information Commissioner, Assam**

**O R D E R**

The petitioner Sri Dulal Bora is present. The public authority is represented by Sri Gunadhar Das, SPIO of the office of Commissioner of Transport, Khanapara, Guwahati -22.

The second appeal petition dated 3-8-2013 is taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties.

The SPIO has made a written submission dated 12<sup>th</sup> May, 2016, enclosing a copy of letter dated 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2013 with enclosures , giving the petitioner information about revenue collection of the Commissionerate.

From perusal of the case records it is seen that vide his RTI application dated 8-4-2013 the petitioner Sri Dulal Bora wanted information on the profit and loss of the Transport Department of the Govt. of Assam during the tenure of Sri Anjan Dutta and Sri Chandan Brahma as Ministers of the Department.

The Commission is of the view that the Transport Department is not a commercial organization and therefore, the question of any profit or loss in their functioning does not arise. The Commission observes that this simple information could have been provided by the Transport Department to the petitioner within the stipulated time , as prescribed under the RTI Act, 2005, which they did not.

This Commission, therefore, directs the Commissioner of Transport and the SPIO to be more careful in future, so that RTI applications are responded to within the stipulated time period.

With the above direction the second appeal petition dated 3-8-2013 is disposed off.

**Sd/-**

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

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**Registrar**

**Assam Information Commission**

**Memo No.SIC/KP(M)/ 520/2013 / 13-A**

**Dtd.17-5-2016**

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1. Sri Gunadhar Das, SPIO of the office of Commissioner of Transport, Khanapara, Guwahati -22 for information.
2. Sri Dulal Bora, Koinadhara Tiniali, House No.-118, Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for information
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
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