



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

Case No. : **KP(M) 267/2013**

Complainant/ appellant : **Sri Dulal Bora**

Respondent : **Deputy Commissioner, Jorhat, S.P Jorhat & I.G, Prisons.**

Date of hearing : **10-06-2016**

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 absent. The public authority is represented by (1) Sri Moni Baruah, DIG (HQ), Assam , Office of the Assam Prisons (H.Q), (2) Sri Bhaskar Pegu, Joint Secretary, Home & Political Department & SPIO of Home Department, (3) Smti Akashee Duwarah, ACS, Asstt. Commissioner & SPIO, office of the Deputy Commissioner, Jorhat, and (4) Sri Niranzan Kalita, Jr. Assistant.

The second appeal petition dated 22-5-2013 filed by the petitioner Sri Dulal Bora is taken up for consideration ex-parte in the absence of the petitioner.

The Joint Secretary and SPIO of Home Department has submitted a written submission dated 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2016, which is entered into the case records.

He has also submitted a copy of his letter dated 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2016 addressed to Sri Dulal Bora , the petitioner, which is also entered into the case records.

The SPIO of the office of Deputy Commissioner, Jorhat has also submitted a separate written submission dated 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2016 , which is also entered into the case records.

A separate written statement dated 31-5-2016 also is already received from S.P, Jorhat

The DIG (Prisons) (H.Q) submitted another written submission dated 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2016, which is also entered into the case records.

From perusal of the written submission, it appears that some contraband items including liquor and SIM cards were found during a sudden inspection of the Jorhat Central Jail by I.G, Prisons on 18-1-2012. This was followed by another report submitted by the then EAC, Jorhat, Smti L. Talukdar, Executive Magistrate , Jorhat addressed to the Deputy Commissioner, Jorhat.

From the various written submissions, it appears that other authorities like S.P, Jorhat, and Deputy Commissioner, Jorhat also reported on the issue of discovery of the contravened items in Jorhat Central Jail by the then I.G, Prisons during a sudden inspection on 18-1-2012.

Since the concerned public authority could not furnish the sought for information within the stipulated time period of 30 days, this Commission directs the Joint Secretary, Home Department to furnish copies of all the reports i.e., (i) report of the I.G, Prisons, (ii) Deputy Commissioner, Jorhat, (iii) S.P., Jorhat, and (iv) Executive Magistrate Smti L. Talukdar to the petitioner within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order, free of cost.

The petitioner will also be informed about the action taken by the Government against the concerned officials on the basis of the above-mentioned reports.

With the above order the second appeal petition dated 22-5-2013 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) . 267/2013/54-A**

**Dated. 10-6-2016**

**Copy to:**

1. Sri Moni Baruah, DIG (HQ), Assam , Office of the Assam Prisons (H.Q) for information.
2. Sri Bhaskar Pegu, Joint Secretary, Home & Political Department & SPIO of Home Department for information and necessary action, as above.
3. Sri Dulal Bora, Petitioner, Koinadhara Tiniali, House No. 118, Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for information and necessary action.
4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 4.` Office File.
5. Order Book.

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