

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

Case No.	: SIC/KP(M).344/2016
Appellant	: Shri Harinarayan Pathak
Respondent	: The SPIO, O/o the Guwahati Municipal Corporation, Guwahati-01
Date of hearing	: 14.07.2016
Second Appeal heard by	: Shri Pinuel Basumatary, State Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R 14.07.2016

The Appellant present.

The Public Authority is represented by Md. S. I. Rahman, SPIO/Addl. Commissioner, GMC, Sri Nabajyoti Bordoloi, A.E., GMC, P. Rajesh Singh and Sri Santanu Das. The SPIO has submitted a Written Statement dated 13.07.2016.

Heard the Appellant. He reiterated his submission made through his Second Appeal dated 07.03.2015 that he was not satisfied with the information furnished to him for the reason that the information did not relate to the building about whose construction he had sought information.

Perused the W/S. The W/S has detailed the action taken to provide information sought for by the Appellant and disposal of the First Appeal filed by the Appellant as per assessment sheet furnished by the Applicant.

Heard the SPIO. It was clarified that the property in question could not be identified based on number cited by the Appellant in his RTI Application for the reason that there is no numbering of houses in the city by the GMC.

The Appellant denied that he had furnished any assessment sheet and the SPIO had no evidence to the contrary. He further submitted that the names of the persons which are mentioned in the information furnished to him through the letter dated 23.02.2015 were not related to the property in question, and that he had mentioned the name of the person as he knew during the hearing on his First Appeal. However, the name was not submitted by the Appellant in writing and the same did not get mentioned in the First Appellate Authority's order.

In view of the facts brought out above, the Commission hereby orders that the Appellant shall communicate in writing to the SPIO the name of the owner of the property in question to enable the SPIO, office of the GMC to find the information on the property in their records and provide the same to the Appellant. The communication shall be made within 7 days of receipt of this order, and within 10 days of receiving the said communication, the SPIO shall respond to the Appellant in writing and provide copies of relevant documents, free of cost.

As the Appellant requested for, a copy of the W/S no. GMC/RTI/FAA/46/2014/9382 dated 13.07.2016 submitted by the SPIO may be furnished to the Appellant along with the copy of this order.

With this, the Second Appeal Petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary State Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

Authenticated true copy. Sd/-Deputy Registrar Assam Information Commission Memo No. SIC/KP(M).344/2016/ 31 -A

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Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO, office of the Commissioner, Guwahati Municipal Corporation, Panbazar, Guwahati-781001 for information and necessary action.
- 2. The First Appellate Authority/Commissioner, Guwahati Municipal Corporation, Panbazar, Guwahati- 781001 for information.
- 3. Shri Harinarayan Pathak, Padumpukhuri, Uzanbazar, Guwahati, Assam, Pin- 781001 for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.

Deputy Registrar Assam Information Commission