

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

Case No. : SIC/KAN.55/2016

Appellant : Sri Indra Rongphar

Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the DFO, Hamren Division, Karbi Anglong

Date of hearing : 12.07.2016

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

State Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER 12.07.2016

The petitioner Sri Indra Rongphar has informed that he will not be able to attend the hearing today and that he had not received the information sought for from the SPIO, office of the DFO, Hamren Division, Karbi Anglong against his RTI petition dated 17.04.2014.

The Public Authority is represented by Sri Dwijendra Bhuyan, Head Assistant & SPIO, office of the DFO, Hamren Division, Karbi Anglong. He was asked to furnish the copy of the notification notifying him as the SPIO but he could not produce the same and stated that he was notified as SPIO as there was no other gazetted officer in the division. He has submitted a written statement dated 05.07.2016 that he has directed the Forest Range Officers under Hamren Division to provide the information to the applicant vide letter dated 09.05.2014. He has also intimated that part information was provided to the applicant vide letter dated 05.07.2016 with copy to the Range Officers to submit the detailed information sought for by the applicant.

The Commission observes that the office of the DFO, Hamren Division should collect the information from the Range Officers and furnish the same to the petitioner. It is also seen that the First Appeal petition filed by the petitioner on 20.06.2014 was not disposed of by the DFO, Hamren Division, Karbi Anglong. The Commission therefore remands the First Appeal petition to the Divisional Forest Offficer, Hamren Division, Karbi Anglong for disposal of the said appeal with a speaking order after hearing the petitioner within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.

With the above direction, the Second Appeal petition dated 11.08.2014 stands disposed.

Sd/-

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

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- 1. The SPIO, Office of the DFO, Hamren Division, Karbi Anglong, Dist- Karbi Anglong, Diphu, Assam for information.
- 2. The First Appellate Authority/DFO, Hamren Division, Karbi Anglong, Dist- Karbi Anglong, Diphu, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 3. Sri Indra Rongphar, Vill-Chirimokam, PO-Donkamokam, Dist- Karbi Anglong, Diphu, Assam, Pin-782485 for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.

Deputy Registrar Assam Information Commission