

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

Case No. : SIC/KAN.36/2016
Appellant : Shri Indra Rongphar.

Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the Executive Engineer, PHE, Diphu Rural W/S

Division, Diphu, Karbi Anglong

Date of hearing : 15.07.2016

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

State Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER 15.07.2016

The petitioner Shri Indra Rongphar is absent but has informed that he had not received the information sought for vide his RTI petition dated 08.09.2014 from the SPIO, office of the Executive Engineer, PHE, Diphu Rural Water Supply Division, Diphu. He also informed that he will not be able to attend the hearing today.

The Public Authority is absent without any intimation.

In view of large number of cases pending before the Commission, the matter is taken up for consideration based on records.

On perusal of the case records, it appears that the petitioner had filed an RTI petition dated 08.09.2014 seeking for details of implementation of schemes by the PHE department during the financial year 2012-13 and 13-14. He had filed the First Appeal before the Executive Engineer, PHE, Diphu Water Supply Division on 18.11.2014. Since, no response had been received from the SPIO, office of the Executive Engineer, PHE, Diphu Rural Water Supply Division and the First Appellate Authority i.e. Executive Engineer, PHE, Diphu Rural Water Supply Division, he filed Second Appeal petition before the Commission on 30.12.2014.

In view of the facts brought out above, the Commission hereby orders as follows:

- 1. The SPIO, office of the Executive Engineer, PHE, Diphu Rural Water Supply Division shall provide the information to the petitioner within 10 days from the date of receipt of this order and if there are records which are voluminous for making photocopies, up to 20 pages may be provided to the appellant, free of cost, and thereafter direct the appellant to inspect the records and make photocopies at his own cost, and
- 2. The First Appellate Authority *i.e.* Executive Engineer, PHE, Diphu Rural Water Supply Division shall consider and dispose of the First Appeal dated 18.11.2014 with a speaking order, within a period of 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.

With the above orders, the Second Appeal petition dated 30.12.2014 is herby disposed of.

Sd/-

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

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Deputy Registrar

Assam Information Commission

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Dtd. 15.07.2016

Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO, office of the Executive Engineer, PHE, Diphu Rural Water Supply Division, Diphu, Dist- Karbi Anglong, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2. The First Appellate Authority/ Executive Engineer, PHE, Diphu Rural Water Supply Division, Diphu, Dist- Karbi Anglong, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 3. Shri Indra Rongphar, Vill- Chirimokam, P.O.- Donkamokam, Dist- Karbi Anglong, Assam, Pin-782485 for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.

Deputy Registrar Assam Information Commission