

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

Case No. : SIC/KAN.76/2016

Appellant : Sri Indra Rongphar.

Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the Chief General Manager (RE), APDCL, Guwahati

Date of hearing : 26.07.2016

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

State Information Commissioner, Assam

## ORDER

26.07.2016

The petitioner Sri Indra Rongphar has informed vide written statement dated 26.07.2016 that he has not received the information sought for vide his RTI petition dated 27.04.2015 from the SPIO, office of the Chief General Manager (RE), APDCL, Guwahati and that he will not be able to attend the hearing today.

The Public Authority is represented by Sri Sanjib Goswami, DGM, office of the CGM, APDCL accompanied by Sri. Hemanta Kumar Bujar Baruah, AGM.

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

A written statement has been submitted by the CGM (RE), APDCL dated 21.07.2016 wherein it has been stated that the RTI petition dated 27.04.2015 has not received by the office of the CGM (RE), APDCL due to wrong postal address and that the office was aware of the same only on receipt of First Appeal dated 15.06.2015.

On perusal of records, it appears that the no action has been taken by the First Appellate Authority on the First Appeal filed by the petitioner. The Commission therefore remands the First Appeal dated 15.06.2015 to the First Appellate Authority i.e. the Chief General Manager (RE), APDCL for hearing and disposal of the same with a speaking order within a period of 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.

With this, the Second Appeal petition dated 28.08.2015 is disposed of. The Petitioner will be at liberty to move this Commission with Appeal or Complaint petition as the case may be, if he is not satisfied with the information furnished by the SPIO or due to non-disposal of his First Appeal by the First Appellate Authority.

Sd/-

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

Authenticated true copy. Sd/-

Deputy Registrar

Assam Information Commission

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Dtd. 26.07.2016

Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO, office of the Chief General Manager (RE), APDCL, Bijulee Bhawan, Annex Building, Paltanbazar, Guwahati, Assam, 781001 for information and necessary action.
- 2. The First Appellate Authority/Chief General Manager (RE), APDCL, Bijulee Bhawan, Annex Building, Paltanbazar, Guwahati, Assam, 781001 for information and necessary action.
- 3. Sri 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