

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

Case No. : KP(M).26/2016

Complainant/ Appellant : Shri Mrinal Kanti Kalita

Respondent : Labour Commissioner, Assam

: 09.8.2016 Date of hearing

Complaint/ Second : Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Rtd)

Chief Information Commissioner, Assam Appeal heard by

## ORDER

09.8.2016

The petitioner Shri Mrinal Kanti Kalita is present along with Shri Debajit Goswami to assist him. The public authority to be represented by the SPIO of the office of the labour Commissioner, Assam is absent. However, he has sent a written submission dtd 26.7.16, which is entered into the case records. In his WS the Labour Commissioner mentioned that Shri Mrinal Kanti Kalita, the petitioner was asked to deposit an amount of Rs. 690.00 towards the cost of Xeroxing of documents, but that the petitioner did not deposit the amount. Instead the petitioner approached the Addl. Chief Secretary, Labour & Employment Deptt., Govt. of Assam and subsequently vide letter dtd 8.7.14 the Labour Commissioner furnished the sought for information to the petitioner.

However, the petitioner deposed that the information furnished vide letter dtd 8.7.14 is not relevant to the RTI petition. The petitioner submitted that in response to his RTI petition dtd 12.2.14, the SPIO of the office of the Labour Commissioner asked the petitioner to deposit Rs. 300.00 vide letter dtd 7.3.124. Accordingly the petitioner deposited the amount on 25.3.14, after which he was furnished with some information on 26.3.14. The petitioner found that the information furnished to him was incomplete. The concerned SPIO did not give any information in response to point No. 2 and point No. 3(ii) of the RTI application dtd 12.2.14.

This Commission, therefore, directs the SPIO of the office of the Labour Commissioner, Assam to furnish the above two information to the petitioner within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.

To avoid any communication gap and further inaccuracies in furnishing the required information, this Commission also directs the petitioner to personally collect the remaining information, as above, from the office of the Labour Commissioner, Assam within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.

This Commission further directs the Labour Commissioner to furnish the relevant information free of cost as he failed to furnish the complete information during the stipulated period.

With the above order, the second appeal petition dtd 10.5.14 is disposed of

Sd/(H. S. Das)
Chief Information Commissioner, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati

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Sd/-Registrar Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/KP(M).26/2016/50-A

Dtd. 09.8.2016

Copy to:

- 1. The Labaour Commissioner, Govt. of Assam, Gopinath Nagar, Guwahati-16 for information and necessary action.
- 2. Shri Mrinal Kanti Kalita, C/O- Lt. Digen Kalita, Vill & PO- Tarani, PS-Rangia, Dist. Kamrup, Assam, PIN-781354 for information.
- 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 4. Office File.
- 5. Order Book.

Registrar
Assam Information Commission