

**OFFICE OF THE
ASSAM STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION
JONAKKEE COMPLEX, PANJABARI, GUWAHATI-781 037**

Case No. : SIC/NGN.47/2016
Appellant : Md. Siddiquir Rahman
Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the PD, DRDA, Nagaon, Assam

Date of hearing : 06.10.2016
Second Appeal heard by : Shri Pinuel Basumatary,
State Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R
06.10.2016

The Appellant, Md. Siddiquir Rahman is present.

The SPIO, O/o the PD, DRDA, Nagaon is neither present nor has he apprised the Commission regarding the status of furnishing the information which he was asked to do through the Commission's notice.

Written Statement received from the SPIO, O/o the DC, Nagaon. It has been submitted that the RTI Application has been transferred to ADC (Dev.), O/o the DC, Nagaon, and that the DC had disposed of the First Appeal with the order to the PD, DRDA, Nagaon to provide the information within 5 days.

Perused the Written Statement from the District Development Commissioner. It has been submitted that after receiving the RTI Application from the SPIO/ ADC, DC's office Nagaon, the same had been transferred to PD, DRDA, Nagaon through a letter dated 06.01.2014. It is not known as to whether the information has been furnished.

In view of the facts brought out above, the Commission hereby orders that the SPIO, O/o the PD, DRDA, Nagaon, shall,

1. Furnish the information sought for by the Appellant, free of cost, within 10 days of receipt of this order, and

2. Submit an explanation as to why penalty shall not be imposed on him/her under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act, 2005 for his/her failure to furnish the information to the Applicant within the stipulated period of 30 days, within 21 days of receipt of this order.

The next date of hearing will depend on compliance or otherwise of this order by the SPIO.

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary

State Information Commissioner, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati

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Dy. Registrar

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1. The SPIO, O/o the PD, DRDA, Nagaon, Assam for necessary action and information.
2. The First Appellate Authority/ DC, Nagaoon, Assam, for information.
3. The Appellant, Md. Siddiquir Rahman, General Secretary, Anti-Corruption & Transparency Organisation, Vill & PO- Fakuli Pathar, PS- Juria, Nagaon, Pin- 782 124 for information.
4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
5. Office File.

Dy. Registrar
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