

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

Case No. : KP(M).325/2016
Complainant/ Appellant : Shri Bhaskar Jyoti Das
Respondent : SPIO of Transport Department Govt. of Assam, Dispur
Date of hearing : 3.10.2016
Complaint/ Second : Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Rtd)
Appeal heard by : Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

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3.10.2016

The petitioner Shri Bhaskar Jyoti Das is present. The public authority to be represented by the SPIO of Transport Department, Govt. of Assam is absent. However, the SPIO and Jt. Secretary, Transport Department, Govt. of Assam has sent a written statement dated 27th September, 2016 stating that information sought for by the petitioner was furnished vide letter dated 9.11.15. The petitioner also acknowledged receipt of the same. Being not fully satisfied with the information furnished, he filed first appeal petition dated 30.11.15. The SPIO and Jt. Secretary in his WS has stated that 11th January, 2016 was fixed for hearing of the first appeal petition but the appellant did not turn up. The petitioner deposed that he received the communication for appearance before the FAA late and that is why he could not appear. He further submitted that all other informations have been furnished except the photocopies of the certificates in support of the academic and technical qualifications of the 24 senior most MVIs.

This Commission observes that these are informations that are required to be disclosed suo motu and proactively by the concerned public authority u/s 4 of the RTI Act, 2005. This Commission, therefore, directs the SPIO of Transport Department to furnish above mentioned information to the petitioner within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order free of cost up to 40 pages of photocopy and thereafter on payment of Rs. 2.00 for every additional page of photocopy.

The appellant said that he will personally collect the information from the SPIO within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order. The SPIO is therefore, directed to furnish the information accordingly.

With the above order, the second appeal petition dated 2.1.16 is disposed of.

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

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-
Registrar
Assam Information Commission

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1. The Joint Secretary & SPIO of the office of the transport Department, Govt. of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information and necessary action.
 2. Shri Dhruba Jyoti Das, C/O- Shri Ajit Kr. Bhuyan, Editor in chief, Prag News, 4th Floor, Surya Tower, B. Baruah Road, Ulubari, Guwahat7 for information.
 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
 4. Office File.
 5. Order Book.

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