

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

Case No. : DBR.12/2015
Complainant : Shri Sarat Ch. Neog
Respondent : Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh, Assam
Date of hearing : 14.12.2016
Complaint/ Second : Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Retd)
Appeal heard by : Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

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14.12.2016

The petitioner Shri Sarat Ch. Neog is present. The public authority is represented by Shri Debraj Sarmah, PIO cum Law Officer, Dibrugarh University. The second appeal petition dated 26.11.14 is taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties.

From perusal of the case records it is seen that the petitioner's second appeal petition dated 26.11.14 was returned to him for rectification and re-submission after removing certain deficiencies, which were mentioned in this Commission's letter dated 15.10.15. Accordingly the petitioner resubmitted his second appeal petition vide letter dated 5.11.15. Meanwhile the SPIO cum Law Officer of the Dibrugarh University furnished the information sought for to the petitioner vide letter dated 28.11.16.

From perusal of the information furnished in response to the petitioner's RTI petition dated 10.9.14, it is seen that all the sought for informations have been furnished to the petitioner. However, the fact remains that the SPIO of Dibrugarh University did not furnish the information within the stipulated time frame of 30 days as required u/s 7(1) of the RTI Act, 2005. This Commission directs the SPIO cum Law Officer of Dibrugarh University to be cautious in future and ensure that RTI petitions are responded to within the stipulated time of 30 days.

With the above order, the second appeal petition dated 26.11.14 is resubmitted 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/ DBR.12./2015/27-A

Dtd. 14.12.2016

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1. The SPIO cum Law Officer, Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh, Assam, PIN-786004 for information and necessary action.
2. Shri Sarat Ch. Neog, Burhahajar Konwar Gaon, PO- Barbaruah, Dist. Dibrugarh, Assam, PIN- 786 007 for information.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
4. Office File.
5. Order Book.

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