

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

Case No. : SIC/DMJ.45/2016

Appellant : Shri Manab Ch. Dutta

Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the Asst. Director, Food, Civil Supply &

Consumer Affairs, Dhemaji

Date of hearing : 02.03.2017

Second Appeal heard by : Shri Pinuel Basumatary,

State Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER

02.03.2017

None of the parties present. However, a Written Statement dated 01.03.2017 has been received from the SPIO, O/o the Asst. Director, Food, Civil Supply & Consumer Affairs, Dhemaji.

Perused the W/S. It has been submitted that the information had been furnished to the Appellant on 06.07.2016 and later on 25.01.2017, and the receipt acknowledged by the Appellant. The acknowledgement of receipts on copies of the RTI Application dated 09.05.2016 has been enclosed.

Perused the case record. It is seen that the Appellant had submitted his Second Appeal to this Commission after the SPIO failed to furnish the information sought through the above mentioned RTI Application and non-disposal of his First Appeal dated 17.06.2016 by the First Appellate Authority/Deputy Commissioner, Dhemaji. It is seen that the SPIO indeed furnished the information much after the lapse of the 30 day time as stipulated by the RTI Act, 2005.

From the records, it could not be ascertained as to why the Appellant had submitted in his Second Appeal that he had not receive any information inspite of having acknowledged the receipt of "all documents" on 06.07.2016.

The Second Appeal is hereby disposed of considering that the information has since been furnished and the Appellant has acknowledged the receipt thereof. However, the Commission hereby directs the SPIO to henceforth furnish information sought under the said Act timely.

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary State Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

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- 1. The SPIO, O/o the Asst. Director, Food, Civil Supply & Consumer Affairs, Dhemaji Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2. The First Appellate Authority/Deputy Commissioner, Dhemaji, Assam for information.
- 3. Shri Manab Ch. Dutta, Ward No. 2, Dhemaji Tiniali, PO & Dist- Dhemaji, Pin- 787 057, Dhemaji, Assam for information.
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