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# ASSAM STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

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Case No. : KP(M).101/2017 Complainant/ Appellant : Sri Dulal Bora

Respondent : Director, WPT&BC Department.

Date of Hearing : 7-4-2017

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

appeal heard by State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

#### O R D E R 7-4-2017

The petitioner Sri Dulal Bora is absent. He informed the Registry of this Commission telephonically that he would not be able to appear before this Commission today due to other pre-occupations. The public authority is represented by :- (1) Sri Gobin Ch. Mili, SPIO of the office of Directorate of WPT&BC and (2) Sri Mohan Ch. Hazarika. of the same office.

The second appeal petition dated 2-3-2017 with reference to the petitioner's RTI petition dated 19-9-2017 seeking various informations about Tiwa Autonomous Council is taken up for hearing ex-parte in the absence of the petitioner.

The SPIO and Joint Director of the Directorate of WPT&BC made a written submission dated 1-4-2017 stating that the petitioner's RTI petition was transferred to the Principal Secretary of Tiwa Autonomous Council vide a letter dated 19-10-2017. Similarly the first appeal petition dated 2-1-2017 was also transferred to the Principal Secretary of Tiwa Autonomous Council vide letter dated 12-1-2017. The SPIO enclosed with his written statement, copies of his above mentioned letters addressed to the petitioner. He also mentioned that the Tiwa Autonomous Council is a Statutory Council established by the State Government and it is in existence.

From perusal of the RTI petition it is seen that the petitioner sought the following informations for the period 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2001 till 19-9-2016:-

- 1, Photo copies of receipts with number issued by DIPR against advertisements of Notice inviting tenders for building construction
- 2. Photo copies of receipts with numbers issued by DIPR against advertisements of Notice inviting Tenders for Construction of roads and
- 3. Photo copies of receipts with numbers issued by DIPR against advertisements of Notice inviting Tenders for construction of Stage/ Auditorium for holding cultural activities

It appears that the informations sought for by the petitioner are admissible under the RTI Act, 2005.

This Commission, therefore, directs the Principal Secretary of Tiwa Autonomous Council to furnish the sought for informations to the petitioner free of cost <u>within 15</u> <u>days from the date of receipt of this order.</u>

With the above order the second appeal petition dated 2-3-2017 is disposed of.

Sd/-

(H. S. Das) State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

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Registrar

#### **Assam Information Commission**

## Memo No SIC/ KP(M) / KP(M)101/2017/11 -A

Dated 7-4-2017

# Copy to:.

- 1) Sri Gobin Ch. Mili, SPIO of the office of Directorate of WPT&BC, for information.
- 2) Principal Secretary, Tiwa Autonomous Council, Morigaon, for information and necessary action, as ordered above.
- 3) Sri Dulal Bora, Koinadhara Tiniali, House No. 118, Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for information.
- 4) Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5) Office file.
- 6) Order Book.

Registrar **Assam Information Commission.**