

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

Case No. : KP(R).7/2017

Complainant/ Appellant : Shri Biswajit Debnath

Respondent : Circle Officer Lanka Revenue Circle

Date of hearing : 20.04.2017

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

Appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER

20.04.17

- 1. The petitioner Shri Biswajit Debnath is present accompanied by Shri Ranjit Debnath. The public authority is represented by Shri Garga Mohan Das, ACS, Circle Officer, Lanka Revenue Circle, District Hojai. The second appeal petition dated 14.3.17 is taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties.
- 2. From perusal of the case records it is seen that the petitioner filed an RTI petition dated 28.7.16 before the Public Information Officer of the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Hojai District, which was transferred to the Circle Officer, Lanka Revenue Circle vide Deputy Commissioner's office letter dated 23.8.16. The C.O., Lanka Revenue Circle furnished informations against all the 13 points listed in the RTI petition. Not satisfied with the information furnished, the petitioner filed second appeal petition before this Commission on 14.3.17.
- 3. After detailed deliberations, the petitioner submitted that:-
 - (i)Annexure-I of the information furnished vide letter dated 22.9.2016 needs to be duly signed and sealed by the Circle Officer, Lanka Revenue Circle, and
 - (ii) 11 nos of attendance sheets and one order sheet furnished by the Circle Officer, Lanka Revenue Circle also need to be signed with seal by the Circle Officer, Lanka.

This Commission directs the petitioner to visit the office of the Circle Officer, Lanka Revenue Circle within 15 days from the date of this order, which was pronounced in presence of both the parties and get the above mentioned documents duly signed and sealed by the Circle Officer, Lanka Revenue Circle. The Circle Officer is also directed to do the needful accordingly.

- 4. As regards point No. 9 of the RTI petition, the Circle Officer had already furnished the required information. He further clarified that the specific response of the question is "No".
- 5. The other points in the RTI petition have already been responded to by the Circle Officer, Lanka Revenue Circle vide his letter dated 22.9.16.

In view of the above, the second appeal petition dated 14.3.17 is disposed of.

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

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-

Registrar
Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/KP(R).7/2017/

Dtd. 20.04.2017

- Copy to:
- 1. The Circle Officer, Lanka Revenue Circle, Lanka, District Hojai, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2. Shri Biswajit Debnath, IIT, Guwahati Campus, A&B Type Residence, Qrt. No. B-133, Amingaon, North Guwahati, Guwahati-39 for information.
- 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 4. Office File.
- 5. Order Book.

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