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Case No. : KP(M). 85/2015
Complainant/ Appellant : Smti Sukanya Bharali
Respondent : Labour and Welfare Department.
Date of Hearing : 26-4-2017
Complaint/ Second : Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Retd)
appeal heard by : State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R
26-4-2017

The petitioner Smti Sukanya Bharali is present accompanied by her husband Sri Neeraj Bharali to assist her. The public authority is represented by :- Sri Rupeswar Pator, Deputy Secretary and APIO of Labour and Welfare Department, Govt. of Assam accompanied by Dr. Kaku Goswami, and Sri Siddharta Phookan, both Junior Administrative Assistants of Labour and Welfare Department.

The second appeal petition dated 2-8-2015 is taken up for further consideration in pursuance of this Commission's earlier order dated 21-3-2017.

From perusal of the case records it is seen that vide letter dated 16th May, 2015, the APIO and Under Secretary, Govt. of Assam, Labour and Welfare Department had already furnished all the relevant documents as sought for by the RTI petitioner vide her RTI petition dated 18-4-2015 and the same were received by her on 21-5-2015.

The petitioner, however, submitted that she filed the second appeal petition as some photocopies of documents furnished to her were either not legible or properly photocopied. This Commission, therefore, directs the petitioner to personally contact the SPIO of Labour and Welfare Department during office hours on any working day within 15 days from the date of this order, which was pronounced in presence of both the parties, and furnish another set of documents properly photocopied so that they are clear and legible, free of cost.

With the above order the second appeal petition dated **2-8-2015 is disposed of.**

As regards the informations sought for vide RTI petition dated 19-5-2015 in the second appeal case No. **KP(M).86/2015**, it is seen that the informations sought for relates to the year 1994, which was **more than 20 years old** on the date of filing the RTI petition, and is therefore **outside the ambit of Section 8(3) of the RTI Act, 2005.**

From perusal of the case records, it is seen that the APIO and Under Secretary of Labour and Welfare Department had already informed the petitioner accordingly by a letter dated 13th May, 2015. Therefore, there seems to be no further cause of action and therefore, the matter is treated as closed.

The second appeal petition dated 27-8-2015 in second appeal case No. **KP(M) 86/2015** is, therefore, **disposed of.**

Sd/-

(H. S. Das)

State Chief Information Commissioner,
Assam

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Copy to:

- 1) Sri Rupeswar Pator, Deputy Secretary and APIO of Labour and Welfare Department, Govt. of Assam Joint Secretary, Personnel (A) Department, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information and necessary action, as above.
- 2) Srimati Sukanya Bharali, B-4/103 , Games Village, Borsojai, Guwahati-29 for information.
- 3) Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 4) Office file.
- 5) Order Book.

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