



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

Case No. : SIC/HLK.39/2017  
Appellant : Md. Kamal Hussain Barbhuiya  
Respondent : The SPIO, office of the BDO, Algapur Dev. Block, Hailakandi.  
Date of hearing : 07.06.2017  
Second Appeal heard by : Smt. Nilufer Alam Hazarika, IAS (Retd.)  
State Information Commissioner, Assam

**O R D E R**  
07.06.2017

The petitioner Md. Kamal Hussain Barbhuiya has authorized Mr. Fazluzzaman Mazumder, Advocate of Guwahati High Court as legal representative to attend the hearing, but no vakalatnama has been submitted.

The Public Authority to be represented by the BDO, Algapur Dev. Block is absent without any intimation.

On perusal of the records, it appears that the petitioner vide his RTI petition dtd. 11.09.2016 has requested the BDO, Algapur Dev. Block to furnish the budget & estimate and utilization certificate of the Schemes already implemented under BRGF, DDP under 12<sup>th</sup> Finance, 13<sup>th</sup> Finance & 14<sup>th</sup> Finance at Bakrihawar G.P. He also requested to furnish receipts & vouchers of materials supplied against Schemes under MGNREGA for the period 2012-13 to 2015-16.

The Commission observes that the information sought for by the petitioner vide RTI petition dtd. 11.09.2016 involves a huge volume of information relating to several categories of information for the several years. Furnishing of complete information by making photocopies will require compilation of information and substantial cost in making photocopies.

The Commission, therefore, directs the petitioner to inspect the relevant office records and documents in the office of the BDO, Algapur Dev. Block, Hailakandi within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order and complete inspection of documents during office hours within two working days. The petitioner will give two days prior notice to the Public Authority for inspection of the documents.

The SPIO/BDO, Algapur Dev. Block, Hailakandi is directed to allow the petitioner to inspect the relevant documents as above and allow him to take notes and photocopies of sought for documents, free of cost, upto 50 copies and thereafter on payment of Rs. 2/- for every additional page of photocopy.

With the above direction, the second Appeal petition dtd. 03.04.2017 is disposed of.

Sd/-

Nilufer Alam Hazarika, IAS (Retd.)  
State Information Commissioner, Assam  
Panjabari, Guwahati

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Sd/-

Joint Registrar  
Assam Information Commission

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1. The SPIO, office of the Block Development Officer, Algapur Dev. Block, Hailakandi, Dist. – Hailakandi, Assam for information and necessary action.
2. First Appellate Authority/Project Director, DRDA, Hailakandi, Dist. – Hailakandi, Assam for information.
3. Md. Kamal Hussain Barbhuiya, S/o Safique Uddin Barbhuiya, Vill. – Bokrihawar –V, P.O. – Chiporsangoan, P.S. – Algapur, Dist. – Hailakandi, Pin – 788 801, Assam for information.
4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
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