

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

Case No.	: SIC/CCR.20/2017
Complainant	: Shri A.K. Laskar, General Secretary, ACRDO.
Respondent	: The SPIO, office of the BEEO, Razabazar Block, Cachar.
Date of hearing	: 06.06.2017
Complaint heard by	: Smt. Nilufer Alam Hazarika, IAS (Retd.) State Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R 06.06.2017

The petitioner Shri A.K. Laskar is present.

The i/c BEEO, Razabazar has made a written submission that the RTI petition dtd. 13.06.2016 was received by the then BEEO, Razabazar on 18.06.2016 and as records sought for by the petitioner are not available in the office of the BEEO, the petition was transferred to respective C.R.C.Cs of the block directing to all Head of the Educational Institutes of the Block as they are the custodians of records vide letter dtd. 09.09.2016 to furnish the required information directly to the petitioner with intimation to the BEEO, Razabazar Block and also to claim the actual cost of expenditure from the petitioner.

On perusal of the case records, the Commission observes that the information sought for by the petitioner vide his RTI petition dtd. 13.06.2016 involves a huge volume of information relating to several categories of information for several LP/UP Schools running under the BEEO, Razabazar. Furnishing of complete information by making photocopy will definitely lead to huge burden on the resources of the concerned Public Authority.

The Commission therefore directs the petitioner to inspect relevant records and documents in the office of the BEEO, Razabazar Block, Cachar within one month from the date of receipt of this order and complete inspection of documents during office hour within two working days. The petitioner will give two days prior notice to the Public Authority for inspection of documents.

The BEEO, Razabazar Block, Cachar is directed to collect the records in respect of provincialization of LP/UP Schools under his block and allow the petitioner to inspect the records & documents as above and allow him to take notes and photocopies of the sought for documents, free of cost, upto 15 copies and thereafter on payment of Rs. 2/- for every additional page of photocopy.

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

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-Joint Registrar Assam Information Commission Memo No. SIC/ CCR.20/2017/ 18-A

Dtd. 06.06.2017.

Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO, office of the Block Elementary Education Officer, Razabazar Block, Cachar, P.O. Joyput Razabazar, Pin 788 107, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2. Shri A.K. Laskar, General Secretary, A.C.R.D.O, Vill. & P.O. Nearigram Part-II, Dist. Cachar, Pin 788 013, Assam for information.
- 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.

4. Office File.

Joint Registrar