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ASSAM STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION
JONAKEE COMPLEX, PANJABARI, GUWAHATI-781 037**

Case No. : SIC/NLB.30/2017
Appellant : Smt. Farida Parbin
Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the Assistant Executive Engineer (PHE), Belsor Sub-Division
Date of hearing : 03.07.2017
Second Appeal heard by : Shri Pinuel Basumatary,
State Information Commissioner, Assam

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Both parties are absent. However, the Assistant Executive Engineer (PHE), Belsor Sub-Division has submitted a Written Statement dated 14.06.2017. A Written Statement jointly signed by the Appellant and the said AEE dated 22.06.2017 has also been received.

Perused the Written Statement. The AEE, (PHE), Belsor Sub-Division has submitted that he was not the SPIO send that there was a designated SPIO in the office of the EE, (PHE), Belsor Division and has requested to refer the RTI matters to that SPIO.

Perused the said joint Written Statement. The Appellant submitted that she had received all information/documents from the AEE, Belsor Sub-Division, Belsor to her satisfaction on 16.06.2017.

Perused the case record. The Appellant submitted her RTI Application dated 10.03.2017 to the SPIO, O/o the AEE, (PHE), Belsor Sub-Division. The Application was forwarded to the AEE, (PHE), Belsor Sub-Division through a letter dated 18.03.2017 by the said Executive Engineer signing as the First Appellate Officer directing the former to furnish the information directly. The said AEE in turn forwarded the same to Shri Pramod Kalita, AEE, SA (PHE), Mukalmua Section for furnishing the information.

The perusal of case record indicates that the notice for today's hearing was addressed to the SPIO, O/o the AEE, (PHE), Belsor Sub-Division based on record as stated above. The submission made by the said AEE through his Written Statement is not tenable. It is not understood as to why he had not referred the RTI Application back to the designated SPIO instead of taking action to forward it to one of his subordinate officials or why he was a signatory of the said joint statement as mentioned above.

However, as the Appellant has acknowledged the receipt of the information, the Second Appeal is hereby disposed of.

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Pinuel Basumatary
State Information Commissioner, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati

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1. The SPIO, O/o the Assistant Executive Engineer, (PHE), Belsor Sub-Division, Belsor, Dist- Nalbari, Pin- 781 304 for information and necessary action.
2. The First Appellate Authority/Executive Engineer, (PHE), Belsor Sub-Division, Belsor, Dist- Nalbari, Pin- 781 304 for information.
3. The Appellant, Smt. Farida Parbin, W/o- Jiaur Rahman, Vill & PO- No. 1 Kandhbari, PS- Mukalmua, Dist- Nalbari, Assam, Pin- 781 126 for information.
4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
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