



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

Case No. : SIC/DHR.32/2017
Appellant : Shri Sahjalal Sk
Respondent : (i) The SPIO, O/o the Secretary, Raniganj G.P., Dhubri and
(ii) The SPIO, O/o the Block Dev. Officer, Bilasipara Dev. Block, Dhubri

Date of hearing : 12.07.2017
Second Appeal heard by : Shri Pinuel Basumatary,
State Information Commissioner, Assam

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12.07.2017

Smt. Lakshahira Das Choudhury, Block Dev. Officer, Bilasipara Dev. Block and Smt. Ruma Mahanta, Secretary, Raniganj G.P. are present.

The Appellant, Shri Sahjalal Sk is present.

Perused the case record. The Second Appeal was scheduled for hearing on 01.06.2017. However, Written Statements received from the Project Director, DRDA, Dhubri and the Secretary of the G.P. It was submitted that the information was furnished. However, through his Written Statement, the Appellant submitted that the information received was not complete and he was not satisfied with it. Considering this conflicting submissions, the Commission had ordered that the Written Statement of the G.P. Secretary be sent to the Appellant and the Written Statement of the Appellant to the SPIO and today's hearing was fixed to hear the Public Authority and the Appellant in person.

Heard the Public Authority and the Appellant. The RTI Application dated 17.06.2016 had 8 points. The following position emerged from the submissions :

1. Point numbers 1 and 2 – The information furnished is incomplete.
2. Point numbers 3 and 5 – The BDO has claimed that the information has been furnished through a letter dated 08.07.2017 under Registered Post. The Appellant submitted that he had not received the same. It is possible that the said letter is in transit.
3. Part of the information relating to plantation work sought for in point number 6 is to be furnished by the BDO.

In view of the facts brought out above, the Commission hereby orders as follows –

- (i) The Secretary of the Raniganj G.P. shall furnish the remaining information in respect of point numbers 1 and 2.
- (ii) In respect of point numbers 3 and 5, the Appellant may await the above mentioned letter of the BDO for a few days for the letter to be delivered, and in case the letter is not received, he shall at his discretion, request the BDO in writing to provide him a copy of the said letter with information. The BDO shall provide a copy of the said letter as soon as possible but within 7 days of receiving such a request.

- (iii) As some parts of the information relating to point number 6, are stated to be available in the office of the BDO, the BDO shall furnish the same to the Appellant within 10 days of receipt of this order.

The Second Appeal is hereby disposed of.

Sd/-
Pinuel Basumatary
State Information Commissioner, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati

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2. The SPIO, O/o the Secretary, Raniganj G.P., Bilasipara Dev. Block, Dhubri, Assam for information and necessary action.
3. The First Appellate Authority/Project Director, DRDA, Dhubri, Assam for information.
4. The Appellant, Shri Sahjalal Sk, S/o- Jamal Sk, Vill- Kurshakati, PO- Raniganj, PS- Sapatgram, Pin- 783 345 for information.
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