

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

Case No.	: SIC/DHR.64/2017
Appellant	: Shri Saman Ali Sk
Respondent	: The SPIO, O/o the Block Dev. Officer, Rupsi Dev. Block, Dhubri, Assam
Date of hearing	: 09.08.2017
Second Appeal heard by	: Shri Pinuel Basumatary, State Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R 09.08.2017

Shri Saukat Ali, Block Dev. Officer, Rupsi Dev. Block, Dhubri and Shri Prodip Kumar Ray, Gram Sevak/SPIO are present. The BDO submitted a Written Statement dated 07.08.2017.

A Written Statement dated 03.08.2017 has also been received from the Project Director, DRDA, Dhubri.

The Appellant, Shri Saman Ali Sk is present.

Heard the BDO and the SPIO and perused the Written Statements. It has been submitted that the information sought for through his RTI Application dated 13.06.2016 had been provided through a letter dated 16.11.2016 in the presence of PD, DRDA, Dhubri. However, no copy of the letter/information has been enclosed for evidence. A copy of the written acknowledgement given by the Appellant has been enclosed.

Heard the Appellant. He submitted that he had not received the information and the written acknowledgement was signed by him as asked for by the Public Authority on the assurance that the information would be provided. As he did not receive the information he wrote a letter by Registered Post to the SPIO dated 07.02.2017 requesting for the information. He submitted a copy of the letter.

The BDO submitted that he had received the said letter from the Appellant. However, the same was received as late as 23.05.2017 and that he was yet to respond to the same. He submitted a copy of the letter on which the date of receipt is recorded.

Considering the fact that the Appellant has clearly submitted that he has not received the information he had sought for and the submission of the BDO, the Commission hereby orders that another set of the information/documents shall be provided to the Appellant, free of cost, 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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Sd/-Joint Registrar Assam State Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/DHR.64/2017 Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO, O/o the Block Dev. Officer, Rupsi Dev. Block, Dhubri, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2. The First Appellate Authority/Project Director, DRDA, Dhubri, Assam for information.
- 3. The Appellant, Shri Saman Ali Sk, S/o- Kachimuddin Sk, Krishnanagar, Ward No. 14, PO & PS- Bilasipara, Dist- Dhubri, Pin- 783 348, Assam for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.

Joint Registrar Assam State Information Commission