

Case No. : KP(M).883/2017
Complainant/ Appellant : Sri Dulal Bora
Respondent : Political Department, Govt. of Assam, Dispur.
Date of Hearing : 8-11-2017
Complaint/ Second : Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Retd)
appeal heard by : State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R
8-11-2017

1. The appellant/petitioner Sri Dulal Bora is absent. He informed this Commission telephonically that due to some unavoidable circumstances he is unable to attend today's hearing. He requested the Registry to inform this Commission that if the Commission pleases a fresh date may be fixed for hearing his second appeal petition dated 24-7-2017, or, if the Commission desires then it may be disposed of ex-parte in his absence, on merit.
2. The public authority is represented by Sri Bishnu Kamal Borah, Joint Secretary and SPIO, (Home and Political) Department accompanied by Sri Biju Prasad Boruah, Superintendent, Political (Vigilance Cell) Department. The SPIO has submitted a written statement dated 6th November, 2017 stating that there is no record in Political (Vigilance Cell) Department of receipt of the original allegation petition dated 23-5-2016 submitted by the petitioner Sri Dulal Bora before the Chief Secretary, Govt. of Assam. It has also been stated that there is no record of receipt of the RTI petition dated 30-7-2016 and the first appeal petition dated 16-5-2017 in Political (Vigilance Cell) Department. The Department has, however, written to the petitioner Sri Dulal Bora on 1-11-2017 requesting him for a copy of his original complaint petition dated 23-5-2016 addressed to the Chief Secretary, Assam.
3. From perusal of the case records it is seen that the SPIO of the Office of Chief Secretary, vide his letter dated 4th August, 2016 transferred the RTI petition of Sri Dulal Bora (**C.S office Diary No. 267**) to the Joint Secretary and SPIO of Political Department with a request to furnish the sought for information to the petitioner directly.
4. In view of the above, it is directed that *a copy of the petitioner's original petition dated 23-5-2016 be provided* to the SPIO today and the SPIO is directed to furnish a suitable reply to the petitioner's RTI petition dated 30-7-2016 within 15 (fifteen) days from the date of this order, which was pronounced in presence of the SPIO.
5. With the above order the second appeal petition dated 24-7-2017 is disposed of.

Sd/-

(H. S. Das)

State Chief Information Commissioner,
Assam

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Dated 8-11-2017

Copy to:-

- 1) Sri Bishnu Kamal Borah, Joint Secretary and SPIO, (Home and Political) Department for information and necessary action as ordered above.
- 2) Sri Dulal Bora, House No. 118, Koinadhara Tiniali, Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for information
- 3) Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5) Office file.
- 6) Order Book.

**Registrar
Assam Information Commission.**