

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

Case No. Complainant Respondent Date of hearing Complaint/ Second Appeal heard by

: SBR.10/2017

: Shri Mintu Chitrakar

: District Elementary Education Officer, Sivasagar

: 03.11.2017

: Smti. N.A. Hazarika, IAS (Retd) State Information Commissioner, Assam

<u>ORDER</u>

03.11.2017

The petitioner Shri Mintu Chitrakar is present. The public authority is represented by Smti. Suraya Begum Neog, Headmistress of Assam Company Nazira L.P. School.

The Block Elementary Education Officer (BEEO), Nazira has submitted a written statement dated 2.11.17 that the information sought for by the petitioner has been enclosed with the written statement. He stated that the information sought for by the petitioner was sent to the Headmistress of the Assam Company, Nazira L.P. School but in spite of the fact that she had been requested to furnish the information to the petitioner, the same was furnished and hence there was delay in furnishing the information. A copy of the said letter has been marked to the DEEO, Sivasagar and to the petitioner stating that the information sought for has been enclosed with the letter addressed to him.

The Headmistress present stated that she did not receive any communication from the BEEO, Nazira regarding the RTI petition earlier but on 1.11.17 from the DEEO, Sivasagar and accordingly she furnished the information to the BEEO on 1.11.17. It is seen that the BEEO accordingly furnished the information to the petitioner vide letter dated 2.11.17.

The petitioner present objected that he was not furnished the information within the stipulated time. In view of the fact that the BEEO has stated that there was delay in receipt of information from the Headmistress and the statement of the Headmistress that she had received the copy of the order only on 1st November, 2017. The Commission directs the DEEO, Sivasagar and BEEO, Nazira to be careful in future. A copy of the information enclosed with the WS be furnished by

the Registry of this Commission after taking a receipt from the petitioner. The petitioner stated that he would not receive the information from the Commission and the aforesaid information should be furnished by the DEEO, Sivasagar. The Commission therefore, directs the DEEO, Sivasagar to furnish the information to the petitioner within 7 days from the date of receipt of this order.

With the above directions, the second appeal petition dated 9.8.17 is disposed of.

(N.A. Hazarika) State Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

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- Copy to: 1. The First Appellate Authority/Deputy Commissioner, Sivasagar, Assam, PIN- 785640 for information
 - 2. The District Elementary Education Officer, Sivasagar District, Assam, PIN-785640 for information and necessary action.
 - 3. The Block Elementary Education Officer, Nazira, Dist. Sivasagar, Assam for information and necessary action.
 - 3..Shri Mintu Chitrakar, C/o-Shri Bhuban Chitrakar, PO-Silasaku, Dist. Sivasagar, Assam, PIN- 785686 for information.
 - 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
 - 5. Office File.
 - 6. Order Book.

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