

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

Case No. : KP(M).828/2017
Complainant/ Appellant : Shri Lohit Mahanta
Respondent : Director of Secondary Education, Assam, Guwahati
Date of hearing : 25.10.2017
Complaint/ Second : Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Rtd)
Appeal heard by : Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

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25.10.17

The petitioner Shri Lohit Mahanta is absent without any information. The public authority is represented by Smti. Bhabani Kalita, ASPIO and Assistant Director of the Directorate of Secondary Education, Assam accompanied by Shri Rajendra Thakuria, Sr. Assistant of the office of the Director of Secondary Education, Assam. The second appeal petition dated 4.9.17 is taken up for consideration ex-parte in the absence of the petitioner.

The Joint Director and SPIO of the Directorate of Secondary Education has sent a written submission dated 24th October, 2017 stating that the Faculty Higher Secondary School, North Guwahati, about which the petitioner has sought some informations vide his RTI petition dated 4.5.17, is a private educational institution, which was given prior permission and no objection certificate by the Directorate of Secondary Education, Assam. It is clear from the written statement and other enclosed papers that the Faculty Higher Secondary School, North Guwahati comes within the ambit of the Assam Non-Government Educational Institutions (Regulation and Management) Act, 2006 and the corresponding rules of 2007 framed under the said Act. The SPIO and Joint Director of the Directorate of Secondary Education, Govt. of Assam is therefore, directed to access the sought for information in exercise of powers under relevant sections and rules of the above Act and rules and furnish the same to the petitioner within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order.

With the above order, the second appeal petition dated 4.9.17 is disposed of.

Sd/-
(H. S. Das)
Chief Information Commissioner, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati

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Assam Information Commission

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Dtd. 25.10.2017

Copy to:

1. The Joint Director & SPIO of the office of the Director of Secondary Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19 for information and necessary action.
2. Shri Lohit Mahanta, Bye Lane No. 1, Ashram Road, Santipur, Guwahati-9 for information.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
4. Office File.
5. Order Book.

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