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Case No. Complainant/ Appellant Respondent Date of Hearing Complaint/ Second appeal heard by : KP(M). 1142/2017
: Sri Joydeb Das,
: Home Department..
: 01-2-2018
: Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Retd) State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R 01-2-2018

1. The appellant/ petitioner Sri Joydeb Das is present. The public authority to be represented by the SPIO of Home Department is absent. However, a written statement dated 13th January 2018 has been received from the Assistant Inspector General of Police (A) and PIO of Assam Police Headquarters stating that the petitioner Sri Joydeb Das's RTI petition dated 25-7-2017 was transferred by Home Department, which was received in the Assam Police Headquarters on 27-12-2017. Thereafter the RTI petition was transferred by Assam Police Headquarters vide letter dated 19-01-2018 to the office of the Addl. Director General of Police (Vigilance and Anti Corruption), since the subject matter relates to them. The Addl. Director General of Police (Vigilance and Anti Corruption) was requested to furnish the required information directly to the petitioner Sri Joydeb Das. The petitioner Sri Joydeb Das submitted that he is yet to receive any information from the SPIO of the office of Addl. Director General of Police (Vigilance and Anti Corruption)

2. From perusal of the RTI petition dated 25-7-2017 it is seen that the petitioner wanted to know the names of the officers of the Directorate of Vigilance and Anti Corruption and of the Home Department, Govt. of Assam who were reportedly present in a particular room of a five star hotel in Khanapara on the night of 31-5-2017 with a contractor of ASTC which was reported in the 27th June,2017 issue of a local daily, *Amar Asom*. Since officers from the Home Department and the Directorate of Vigilance and Anti Corruption reportedly figured in the above mentioned news item, the SPIOs of both the Home Department , Govt. of Assam and of the office of the Addl. Director General of Police (Vigilance and Anti Corruption) Department are directed to inform the petitioner whether they did any inquiry to ascertain the veracity of the news item, and if so, to inform the petitioner about the findings of the inquiry with reference to the RTI petition, within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.

With the above order the second appeal petition dated 7-11-2017 is disposed of.

Sd/-

(H. S. Das) State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

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Dated 01-2-2018

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- 1) SPIO of Home Department, Govt. of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information and necessary action as ordered above.
- 2) Addl. Director General of Police (Vigilance and Anti Corruption) Department, Srimantapur, Guwahati for information and necessary action, as ordered above.
- 3) Sri Joydeb Das, S/O Lt. Karunamoy Das, House No. 16, Kushal Konwar Road, Near Mayur Krishna Cinema Hall, Ambari Fatashil, Guwahati-25 for information.
- 3) Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 4) Office file.
- 5) Order Book.

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