

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

Case No. : KP(M).46/2018

Complainant : Shri Bijit Deb Barma

Respondent : SPIO, Assam Higher Secondary Education Council, Guwahati

Date of hearing : 23.2.2018

Complaint/ Second : Smti. N.A. Hazarika, IAS (Retd)

Appeal heard by State Information Commissioner, Assam

<u>O R D E R</u>

23.2.2018

The petitioner Shri Bijit Deb Barma is present. The public authority to be represented by the SPIO of Assam Higher Secondary Education Council (AHSEC) is absent without any intimation.

On perusal of the case record, it appears that the RTI petition dated 1.11.17 was filed by the petitioner seeking for some information. Due to non-receipt of information he filed his first appeal before the AHSEC, but no reply had been received. Being aggrieved, the petitioner filed the second appeal petition before the Commission on 12.1.18.

The Commission therefore, directs the public authority to furnish the information to the petitioner within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order. It is seen that the appeal petition was not heard by the first appellate authority. The Commission therefore, directs the first appellate authority to hear the matter and dispose the appeal within 21 days from the date of receipt of this order.

With the above direction, the second appeal petition dated 12.1.18 is disposed of.

Sd/-

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

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Joint Registrar Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/ KP(M).46/2018/

Dated 23.2.2018

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- 1. The Deputy Secretary & SPIO of Assam Higher Secondary Education Council, Chandmari, Guwahati-21 for information and necessary action.
- 2. The FAA/ Assam Higher Secondary Education Council, Bamunimaidam, Guwahati-21 for information and necessary action.
- 3. Shri Bijit Deb Barma, House No. 37, Piyoli Phukan Nagar, West Jyoti Nagar, Bamunimaidam, Guwahati -21 for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.
- 6. Order Book.

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