

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

Case No. : KP(M).1289/2017  
Complainant/ Appellant : Shri Joydeb Das  
Respondent : Agriculture Department, Govt. of Assam, Dispur  
Date of hearing : 9.3.2018  
Complaint/ Second : Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Rtd)  
Appeal heard by : Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

**O R D E R**

9.3.18

1. The petitioner Shri Joydeb Das is absent without any information. The public authority is represented by the SPIO & Joint Secretary, Agriculture Department, Govt. of Assam, Shri Manas Nath. He has filed an affidavit dated 8.3.18 stating, inter alia, that the Managing Director, Assam Seeds Corporation Ltd. (ASCL), vide letter dated 25.1.18, had furnished required information as sought for by the appellant. Thereafter the deponent, ie. the SPIO and Joint Secretary of Agriculture Department, Govt. of Assam vide his letter dated 19.2.18 informed the petitioner, inter alia, that no information from the Director of Agriculture, Govt. Assam regarding status of the complaint petition dated 2.5.17 filed before the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India had been received till then.
2. From the above it appears that the informations furnished to the petitioner so far do not appear to be fully responsive to the RTI petition dated 11.9.17 and the direction dated 12.5.17 from the PMO for taking appropriate action on the complaint petition dated 2.5.17, reply to be sent to the petitioner and copy of the same to be uploaded on the portal do not seems to have been complied with.
3. The SPIO and Joint Secretary, Agriculture Department, Govt. of Assam is, therefore, directed to obtain the report from the Director of Agriculture, Govt. of Assam and thereafter take necessary action on the complaint petition and on the reports received from the Managing Director, ASCL and Director of Agriculture, Govt. of Assam, inform the petitioner about the status of action taken by the department with appraisal of the Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Assam and then upload the latest status of actions taken on the portal within 45 days from the date of receipt of this order with intimation to the Registry of this Commission.

**Fix 12.30 PM on 20.4.2018 for review of action taken.**

**Issue notices to both the parties for attendance on the next date of hearing.**

**Sd/-**

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

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-

Registrar  
Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/KP(M).1289/2017/

Dated. 9.3.2018

- Copy to:
1. The Joint Secretary & SPIO of Agriculture Department, Govt. of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information and necessary action.
  2. Shri Joydeb 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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