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Case No. : SIC/KP(M) 78/2018

Appellant : Shri Chandra Sekhar Sarma

Respondent : Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup (R), Amingaon -

781031

Date of hearing : 21-03-2018

Second Appeal heard by : Nilufer Alam Hazarika, IAS(Retd.)

State Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER 21-03-2018

The petitioner Sri Chandra Sekhar Sarma is present. The public authority to be represented by the SPIO, office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup (R) is absent.

On perusal of record it appears that the petitioner has sought for information on the following:-

- 1) It is learnt that the Topcem cement factory near Guwahati, Kamrup (R) Dist. Has illegally encroached upon near 8 (eight) Bighas of Govt. land which had been included within the boundary wall of the factory. If so, what action has been taken against its owner as it is a criminal matter. Why was he not arrested?
- 2) It is also learnt that the Godowns made by M/S Lohia Goup of Companies on the left hand side of the flyover of Gauripur was for keeping local agriculture produces with allegedly Govt. subsidies and low rate of interest, but the same has been used for keeping items other than agriculture like Iron, Steel Rods and other materials thereby punishable under existing law. Whether the authority was aware of it or taken any step to inspect the Godown.

He preferred 1st appeal before the Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup (R) on 19-9-2016 for non-receipt of information, but the same was neither rejected nor the SPIO was directed to furnish the information.

The petitioner on 25-10-2016 filed a complaint petition before this Commission that the SPIO, office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup (R) had not furnished the information and that no hearing was taken by the 1st appellate authority.

In view of the facts stated above, the Commission directs the SPIO, office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup (R) to furnish the information sought for by the Petitioner within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order.

Sd/-

(Nilufer Alam Hazarika,IAS(Retd.) State Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

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- 1. The SPIO, Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup (R), Amingaon 781031, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2. The First Appellate Authority, Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup (R), Amingaon 781031, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 3. The Petitioner Chandra Sekhar Sarma, General Manager Vision Prag, Prag News Suraya Tower, B. Baruah Road, Ulubari-8, Assam for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.

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