

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

| Case No. | : KP(M).18/2018 |
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| Complainant/ Appellant | : Shri Dulal Bora |
| Respondent | : Chief Minister's Secretariat, Govt. of Assam, Dispur |
| Date of hearing | : 03.4.2018 |
| Complaint/ Second | : Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Rtd) |
| Appeal heard by | Chief Information Commissioner, Assam |

<u>O R D E R</u> 03.4.18

1. The petitioner Shri Dulal Bora is present. The public authority is represented by Shri Nirajan Bora, Under Secretary and SPIO of Chief Minister's Secretariat (CMS), Assam accompanied by Shri Probal Jyoti Medhi, Sr. Administrative Assistant of CMS. The second appeal petition dated 3.7.17 is taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties with reference to the petitioner's RTI petition dated 13.8.16

2. From perusal of the case records it is seen that the petitioner originally filed a complaint petition dated 5.12.15 before the Addl. Chief Secretary of Hon'ble Chief Minister, Assam against the Assam Public Service Commission. He followed up the complaint petition vide RTI petition dated 13.8.16 addressed to the Public Information Officer of the office of the Chief Minister's Secretariat (CMS) seeking the following informations:-

- (a) The number of the file from which inquiry was ordered into the allegations mentioned in his complaint petition dated 5.12.15 and names of the Inquiry Officer with his designation;
- (b) names and addresses of the persons mentioned in the complaint petition dated 5.12.15, and
- (c) photo copy of inquiry report submitted by the Inquiry Officer to his higher authorities.

3. Thereafter he filed first appeal petition dated 22.5.17 and second appeal petition dated 3.7.17.

4. The SPIO and Under Secretary of the CMS has submitted a written statement dated 03.4.18 stating that the complaint petition dated 5.12.15 was forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Assam, Personnel Department and the Chairman, Assam Public Service Commission (APSC), Khanapara, Guwahati-22 vide letter no. CMS.111/2015/Pt/24 dated 19.1.2016. Subsequently, the RTI petition was also transferred to the SPIO of Personnel Department vide letter dated 14.8.17 and SPIO of APSC vide CMS letter dated 14.8.2017.

5. The petitioner deposed orally that he has not received any information neither from the SPIO of Personnel Department nor the SPIO of APSC till date. **The SPIO of Personnel Department** and **the SPIO of APSC are**, therefore, directed to inform the petitioner within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order whether they have taken any action or ordered any inquiry against the complaint petition and if so, furnish the

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specific information to the petitioner against paragraph 2(a) and 2(c) above. Since the name of the persons against whom allegations have been levelled are mentioned in the complaint petition itself, any reply to paragraph (b) above is not considered necessary.

With the above order the second appeal petition dated 3.7.17 is disposed of.

Sd/-

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

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Sd/-Registrar i/c Assam Information Commission

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Dated. 03.4.2018

Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO of Chief Minister's Secretariat, Govt. of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information.
- 2. The SPIO of Personnel Department, Govt. of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information and necessary action.
- 3. The SPIO of Assam Public Service Commission, Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for information and necessary action.
- 4. Shri Dulal Bora, Kainadhara Tiniali, House No. 118, Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for information.
- 5. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 6. Office File.
- 7. Order Book.

Registrar i/c Assam Information Commission