



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

Case No. : SIC/NGN.57/2018
Appellant : Sri Durgeswar Das
Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the CDPO, Rupahi ICDS Project, PO-
Samuguri, Dist.- Nagaon, Assam, Pin- 782 140

Date of hearing : 20.06.2018
Second Appeal heard by : Sri Pinuel Basumatary, IA & AS (Retd.)
State Information Commissioner, Assam

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20.06.2018

The Appellant, Sri Durgeswar Das is present.

The SPIO absent without information. He has not submitted any Written Statement and also has not explained as to why penalty U/S 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005 should not be imposed on him for his failure to furnish the information within the time stipulated.

Perused the case record. The Appellant had sought certain information relating to construction of Anganwadi centres in Rupahi ICDS Project through his RTI Application dated 17.10.2017. He filed a Second Appeal dated 30.01.2018 stating that he had not received the information and that the First Appellate Authority had not heard his First Appeal dated 21.11.2017.

Considering that the Appellant is present and that the RTI Application has been pending for over six months, the Commission decided to go ahead with the hearing proceedings *ex parte* of the SPIO.

In view of the facts brought out above, the Commission hereby orders that the SPIO shall furnish the information to the Appellant, free of cost, within 15 days of receiving this order.

The Second Appeal is hereby disposed of.

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary IA & AS (Retd.)
State Information Commissioner, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati

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Joint Registrar
Assam Information Commission

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1. The SPIO, O/o the CDPO, Rupahi ICDS Project, PO-Samuguri, Dist.- Nagaon, Assam, Pin- 782 140 for information and necessary action.
2. The First Appellate Authority/office of the CDPO, Rupahi ICDS Project, PO-Samuguri, Dist.- Nagaon, Assam, Pin- 782 140 for information.
3. The Appellant, Sri Durgeswar Das, Residence of Christian Patty, PO- Nagaon, Dist- Nagaon, Pin- 782 001, Assam for information.
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