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Case No. KP(M)369/2018
Complainant/ Appellant Sri Dipak Kr. Sarma

Respondent Superintendent of Police, Goalpara

Date of Hearing 22.06.2018

Complaint/ Second Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Retd)

appeal heard by State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER 22.06.2018

- 1. The petitioner Sri Dipak Kr.Sarma is present. The public authority to be represented by the SPIO of the office of Superintendent of Police, Goalpara is absent without any information.
- 2. From perusal of the case records it is seen that the petitioner Sri DipaK Kr. Sarma apprised this Commission in course of todays' hearing that he is an investigator of an Insurance Co. He filed an RTI petition dated 11-1-2018 before the Superintendent of Police, Goalpara. By his RTI petition he sought certain informations regarding the Goalpara Police station case No. 520/2016 dated 16-10-2016 under Section 279/304(A) of the IPC.
- 3. He submitted before this Commission today that the informations, namely:-

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- (a) Certified copy of the G.D entries including the G.D entry after visiting the place of occurrence.
- (b) Certified copy of the FIR;
- (c) Form -54
- (d) Post Mortem report
- (e) Inquest report
- (f) Seizure list
- (g) MVI report
- (h) Sketch map
- (i) Preliminary police report, and
- (j) Result of investigation, whether charge sheet or final report submitted.
- (k) Photocopy of Vehicular documents and D.L as available.

- 5. The above informations, according to the RTI applicant, relate to an accident that took place at about 10 P.M on 10-10-2016 in front of M.G Jr.College at Agia Road of Goalpara, resulting in the death of one Sing Ch. Rabha.
- 6. The petitioner submitted that the above informations are required by him in public interest so as to facilitate the accident claim of the next of kin of the deceased before the Motor Vehicles Accident Claims Tribunal.
- 7. He further submitted orally that in spite of repeated requests and personal approach he has failed to obtain the above informations from the concerned police station.
- 8. In the absence of the SPIO of the office of Superintendent of Police, Goalpara it could not be ascertained whether the concerned police authorities have any reservation in furnishing these informations.
- 9. In this connection , it is noted that this Commission receives RTI second appeal petitions related to Motor Vehicle claims frequently. It is, therefore, necessary to know whether there is any guidelines from the Director General, Police, Assam to be followed by the Superintendents of Police, and Officer-in-Charges of different districts and the O.Cs' of different thanas under them in furnishing the commonly sought for documents by the Motor Vehicles Accident Claimments themselves or by their next of kins or by their authorized Advocates or by the Insurance Companies and their authorized representatives. The SPIO of the office of DGP, Assam is also , therefore , directed to submit a written statement stating the correct position in this regard.
- 10. Fix <u>23-7-2018 at 12.30 P.M</u> for next hearing.
- 11. Issue notices to the SPIOs' of (a) office of the DGP, Assam, (b) the office of Superintendent of Police, Goalpara and (c) the petitioner accordingly for their presence on the next date of hearing.

(H. S. Das)
State Chief Information Commissioner,
Assam

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Dated 22.06.2018

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- 1) SPIO of SPIO office of the DGP, Assam, Ulubari, Guwahati-7 for information and necessary action as ordered above.
- 2) SPIO of the office of Superintendent of Police, Goalpara for information and necessary action as ordered above.
- 3) Sri Dipak Kr. Sarma, , House No. 15, Jagannath Path , near Regent Paradise, Bhetapara , Beltola Guwahati-28 for information and necessary action .
- 4) Computer Section for uploading in the Website
- 4) Office file.
- 5) Order Book.

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