

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

Case No. : LPR.07/2018

Complainant/ Appellant : Sri Waris Alam Ansari

Respondent : SPIO, Home & Political Department, Govt. of Assam, Dispur.

Date of hearing : 20.7.2018

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

Appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

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20.7.18

The public authority is represented by SPIO and Joint Secretary, Home & Political Department, Shri N.C. Basumatary, ACS. He has submitted a written statement dated 20.7.2018 stating that the petitioner's RTI petition dated 19.6.2017 was transferred to the SPIO of the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur vide letter dated 29.1.2018 followed by a reminder dated 7th July, 2018 with a request to furnish reply directly to the petitioner. It has been mentioned in the WS that no reply has been received till date from the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur. The petitioner Shri Waris Alam Answari has sent a written submission dated 19th July, 2018 stating that due to some problems he could not attend the hearing today. He prayed for fixation of another date.

From perusal of the case records it appears that the petitioner lodged an FIR in 2010 at Laluk Police Station, Lakhimpur, which was registered vide GR No. 1076/2011 u/s 420, 468/34. It appears from the records that the trial court acquitted the accused. This prompted the petitioner Shri Waris Alam Answari to request the public prosecutor to file an appeal against the acquittal order. It is also seen that it is for the Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur to decide whether the acquittal order should be appealed against before the competent court. The Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur is therefore, directed to inform the petitioner through the PIO of his office within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order about any decision and/or action taken by him on the complaint petition dated 7.6.2017 filed by Shri Waris Alam Ansari, which was followed up by RTI petition dated 19.6.17 by the said petitioner.

With the above order, the second appeal petition dated 21.9.2017 is disposed of.

Sd/-

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

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-

Registrar i/c Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/LPR. 07 /2018/

Dated. 20.7.2018

Copy to:

- 1. The Joint Secretary & SPIO of Home & Political Department, Govt. of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information.
- 2. The Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur District, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 3. Shri Waris Alam Ansari, Word No. 10, North Lakhimpur, Assam, PIN- 787001 for information
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.
- 6. Order Book.

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