



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

Case No. : KP(M).866/2017
Complainant : Shri Dulal Bora
Respondent : SPIO, Secondary Education Department, Govt. of Assam
Date of hearing : 28.9.2018
Complaint/ Second : Smti. N.A. Hazarika, IAS (Retd)
Appeal heard by : State Information Commissioner, Assam

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28.9.2018

The petitioner Shri Dulal Bora is absent without any intimation. The public authority is represented by Shri P.K. Sarma, SPIO and Under Secretary, Secondary Education Department, Govt. of Assam and Shri Golak Ch. Bora, SPIO of Board of Secondary Education of Assam (SEBA). The SPIO of SEBA has submitted a written statement dated 25.9.2018 that since the records pertaining to the information sought for by the appellant was not under the custody of the Secondary Education Department, the same was transferred to SEBA on 8.9.2016.

The SPIO of SEBA stated that the report on the matter had been submitted to the Under Secretary to the Govt. of Assam on 26th September, 2018. But as the Under Secretary present stated that he had not received, he was handed over a copy of the same.

On perusal of copy of the report furnished by the SPIO of SEBA it appears that the RTI petition dated 9.8.2016 was received by their office on 16.9.2016 referring to his earlier petition dated 7.3.2015. Information was furnished to the appellant Shri Dulal Bora directly on 25.10.2016 with copy to the SPIO and Joint Secretary, Govt. of Assam, Secondary Education Department on 25.10.2016.

The same RTI petition dated 7.3.2015 referred in the letter dated 9.8.2016 transferred to his office. Accordingly reply was sent to Shri Dulal Bora directly on 6.4.2017 with copy to the SPIO and Joint Secretary, Secondary Education Department, Govt. of Assam.

Apart from the above, hearing was held in the office chamber of the SPIO and Joint Secretary, Secondary Education Department on the same matter on 7.7.2017 where a copy of the reply was given to Shri Dulal Bora again. Copy of the order dated 7.7.2017 has been enclosed. On perusal of the order dated 7.7.2017 it is seen that information was furnished to Shri Dulal Bora. It appears that a copy of the report furnished by SEBA had been provided to the petitioner in the office chamber of the Joint Secretary, Secondary Education Department, which was received by the petitioner and the matter was closed. Since the matter was already closed on 7.7.2017 and the petitioner is absent today without any intimation the second appeal petition submitted by the petitioner dated 24.7.2017 is disposed of.

Sd/-

(N.A. Hazarika)
State Information Commissioner, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati

Authenticated true copy.

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Joint Registrar
Assam Information Commission

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Dated 28.9.2018

- Copy to:
1. The SPIO, Secondary Education Department, Govt. of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information.
 2. The SPIO, SEBA, Bamunimaidam, Guwahati-21 for information.
 3. The FAA/ office of the Chief Secretary, Govt. of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information.
 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.

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