

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

Case No. : SIC/HLK/74/2017

Appellant : Shri Jakir Hussain Barbhuiya

Respondent : The SPIO, O/o The Joint Director of Agriculture Department,

Southern Zone, Sadarghat Road, Silchar − 1.

Date of hearing : 19-9-2017

Second Appeal heard by : Nilufer Alam Hazarika, IAS(Retd.)

State Information Commissioner, Assam

## ORDER

19.09.2017

The petitioner Shri Jakir Hussain Barbhuiya is absent without any intimation. The P.I.O., Office of the Joint Director of Agriculture, Southern Zone, Sadarghat, Silchar, Assam has sent a copy of the letter dt.7-9-2017 addressed to the petitioner that all the information sought for vide his RTI petition was sent to his office address vide letter dt. 24-1-2017 and 10-3-2017 through registered post with copy to the Deputy Commissioner, Cachar. He also submitted a written statement to the Commission that reply was sent to the petitioner vide letter dt. 24-1-2017 and 10-3-2017, but he denied receipt of the same. The petitioner lodged a complaint to the Deputy Commissioner, Silchar regarding non-receipt of reply and that the Post Master, Hailakandi confirmed that the letter was delivered on 14-3-2017. (Photocopy of the same has been enclosed). He also stated that in response to the notice of the Commission dt. 21-8-2017, the reply was sent along with all relevant documents again vide letter dt. 7-9-2017 through his office messenger. A copy of the same was also sent by registered post. Photocopies of the receipt are enclosed. He stated that the denial of receipt of reply again and again as well as lodging complaints against him was quite intentional and indicate his evil motive. He requested to take appropriate measure against the petitioner and to exempt him from attending the hearing today.

In view of the circumstances stated above and absence of the petitioner without any intimation, the 2<sup>nd</sup> Appeal petition dt. 21-6-2017 is disposed of.

Sd/-

( NiluferAlamHazarika,IAS (Retd.) State Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati.

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- 1. The SPIO, O/o The Joint Director of Agriculture Department, Southern Zone, Sadarghat Road, Silchar 1 for information and necessary action.
- 2. The First Appellate Authority, The Deputy Commissioner, Silchar, Dist. Cachar, Assam for information.
- 3. Shri Jakir Hussain Barbhuiya, S/O Lt. Johir Uddin Barbhuiya, Vill. Sayedbond Part-1, P.O. Kalibari Bazar, P.S. Algapur, Dist. Hailakandi, Assam, Pin-788150.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.

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