

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

Case No.	:	KP(M).422 /2018
Complainant/ appellant	:	Shri Dulal Bora
Respondent	:	SPIO of Personnel Department, Govt. of Assam
Date of hearing	:	26.10.2018
Complaint/ Second	:	Shri H.S. Das, IAS (Retd)
Appeal heard by		Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

<u>O R D E R</u> 26.10.2018

1. The petitioner Shri Dulal Bora is absent. However, he has sent an e-mail dated 26.10.2018 praying for re-fixation of the date of hearing as he is out of station in connection with a court case in Dibrugarh. The public authority, i.e. Personnel Department is represented by Shri Prasanta Borkakati, ACS, Deputy Secretary and SPIO of Personnel & ART Department, Govt. of Assam accompanied by Sr. AA, Shri Ankur Sarma.

2. The SPIO and Deputy Secretary, Personnel Department has submitted a written statement dated 25.10.2018, which is entered into the case records. He has mentioned in his WS that in the Department there is no record of receipt of petitioner's RTI application dated 17.12.2016. However, on receipt of this Commission's notice dated 2nd August, 2018 with the relevant RTI application as enclosure, it has been sent to Social Welfare Department vide letter dated 29.8.2018 followed by another letter dated 23.9.2018, because the subject matter of the RTI petition and the corresponding complaint petition dated 17.6.2015 relate to Social Welfare Department. He submitted orally that no delay or lapse was intended on his part since the original RTI petition was not found in the office records.

3. In view of the above, the SPIO of Social Welfare Department is directed to furnish the sought for informations to the petitioner within 30 days from the date of this order with reference to the RTI petition already transferred by the Personnel Department vide letter mentioned above.

With the above order the second appeal petition dated 14.8.2017 is disposed of

Sd/-

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

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Sd/-Joint Registrar Assam Information Commission

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Dtd. 26.10.2018

- Copy to: 1. The Deputy Secretary & SPIO of Personnel Department, Govt. of Assam,
 - Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information and necessary action. 2. The SPIO of Social Welfare Department, Govt. of Assam, Dispur,
 - Guwahati-6 for information and necessary action.
 - 3. Shri Dulal Bora, Kainadhara, House No. 118, Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for information.
 - 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
 - 5. Office File.
 - 6. Order Book

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