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Case No. :No.KP(M)139/2018
Complainant/ Appellant Sri Utpal Das

Respondent :Guwahati Municipal Corporation

Date of Hearing :08-10-2018

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

appeal heard by :State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R 08-10-2018

The petitioner Sri Utpal Das is absent. He requested the Registry of this Commission over telephone to dispose of the second appeal case ex-parte on merit in his absence. The public authority is represented by Md. Akbor Ali Superintending Engineer of Guwahati Municipal Corporation (GMC). The second appeal petition dated 22.01.2018 is taken up for consideration ex-parte as requested by the petitioner himself.

It is seen from the RTI petition dated 21.9.2017 that the petitioner Shri Utpal Das has sought for informations which are not specific in nature as is required u/s 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005. Informations like NOC copies of multstoryed buildings on both sides of the road from Palltanbazar to Bharalukukh and on G.S. Road from Paltanbazar to Khanapara are also voluminous in nature, which are likely to disproportionately divert the resources of public authority, viz. the Guwahati Municipal Commission. The petitioner is, therefore, directed to either specify the multstoryed buildings with the schedule of land and name of builders in favour of whom the building permission/NOCs were granted by GMC within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order and the SPIO of GMC is directed to furnish informations against the specific request within another 30 days thereafter. Alternatively the petitioner may opt for inspection of relevant records in GMC office during office hours on any working day within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order.

The SPIO of GMC is directed to allow the petitioner, if he so requests, to inspect the relevant records and also allow him to take notes and photocopies of documents falling within the purview of the RTI petition mentioned above, free of cost upto 20 copies and thereafter against payment of Rs. 2.00 for every additional page of photocopy.

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

Sd/-

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

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-Joint Registrar Assam Information Commission.

Memo No. SIC/ KP(M). 139/2017/

Dated 08-10-2018

Copy to :-

- 1. SPIO of Guwahati Municipal Corporation, Panbazar , Guwahati-1 for information and necessary action.
- 2. Sri Utpal Das, House No.-41, Rang Pathar Bye Lane Fatashil Ambari, Guwahati-25 for information.
- 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 4. Office file.
- 5. Order Book.

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