

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

Case No. : KP(M).878/2017 Complainant/ appellant : Shri Dulal Bora

Respondent : SPIO of Home Department, Govt. of Assam

Date of hearing : 9.11.2018

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

Appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER 9.11.2018

- 1. The public authority, i.e. the Home Department is represented by Shri N.C. Basumatary, ACS, SPIO and Joint Secretary, Home Department, Govt. of Assam. Assam Police Headquarters is represented by SI Shri Paresh Baruah. The SPIO and Joint Secretary, Home Department has submitted a written statement dated 9th November, 2018, which is entered into the case records. It is mentioned in the WS that there was delay in dealing with the RTI petition dated 9.8.2016 due to delinquency of the concerned dealing assistant. Though belatedly, the RTI petition was transferred to the SPIO of the office of the Director General of Police, Assam on 27.2.2017. Simultaneously the delinquent dealing assistant was released from the Department.
- 2. The AIGP (A) and PIO of Assam Police Headquarters submitted a separate written statement dated 5th November, 2018 stating that on receipt of the RTI petition from the Home Department, it was transferred to Superintendent of Police, Golaghat vide memo dated 4.3.2017. Subsequently on receipt of this Commission's order dated 13.9.2018, SP, Golaghat was again directed vide memo dated 15.10.2018 to furnish the sought for informations to the petitioner within 10 days.
- 3. In the absence of the petitioner and in the absence of any communication from the SPIO of SP, Golaghat, it could not be ascertained whether the sought for informations have been furnished and received by the concerned parties.
- 4. The petitioner and appellant Shri Dulal Bora was absent today, but he has sent a communication dated 9th November, 2018 by e-mail praying for re-fixation of date of hearing due to his preoccupation with some other court cases.
- 5. In view of the above, issue notices to the SPIOs of the office of the Director General of Police, Assam and Superintendent of Police, Golaghat, besides the petitioners/appellant to be present on the next date of hearing. The SPIO of the office of the SP, Golaghat is directed to submit his written statement reporting action taken by him on the RTI petition.
- 6. Fix 1.00 PM on 4.12.2018 for next hearing

Sd/-

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

Authenticated true copy.

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Registrar i/c
Assam Information Commission

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Dtd. 14.11.2018

- Copy to: 1. The SPIO of Home Department, Govt. of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for information.
 - 2. The SPIO of the office of the Director General of Police, Assam, Ulubari, Guwahati-7 for information and necessary action.
 - 3. The SPIO of the office of the Superintendent of Police, Golaghat for information and necessary action.
 - 2. Shri Dulal Bora, Kainadhara, House No. 118, Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for information.
 - 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
 - 4. Office File.
 - 5. Order Book

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