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Case No. : SIC/BNG.19 /2018
Appellant : Sri Ranjan Adhikary
Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the Director of Employment and Craftsmen
Training, Assam, Rehabari, Guwahati- 781 008
Date of hearing : 19.11.2018
Second Appeal heard by : Sri Pinuel Basumatary, IA & AS (Retd.)
State Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R
19.11.2018

Smt. Manjita Barua, Employment Officer (VG)/SPIO, Director of Employment and Craftsmen Training, Assam is present along with Sri Rajib Das, Sr. Assistant. She submitted a Written Statement dated 17.11.2018.

The Petitioner, Sri Ranjan Adhikary is present. He submitted that he had not received the information he had sought for. He added that the information was sought as to what action had been taken for his recruitment in compliance with the order of the Hon'ble Gauhati High Court. He stated that he was still interested in the information sought for through his RTI Application dated 27.07.2018 and therefore requested the Commission in writing to treat his Complaint as an Appeal.

Heard the SPIO and perused the Written Statement. She submitted that she was acting as a SPIO in the absence of SPIO who is on leave. She further submitted through the Written Statement as well as in person that information could not be furnished in time owing to the time required for examining the Court order, the feasibility of recruiting the Appellant in the light of the Court order, time taken to obtain legal opinion and so on. Furthermore, it was submitted that the SPIO has given a reply to the Appellant through a letter dated 17.11.2018 informing him that the Trade in question, namely Mechanical Radio and TV has meanwhile been abolished from the ITIs by the Government of India through a letter dated 04.07.2014, and in view of that process of recruitment has not been 'initiated'.

The Appellant further submitted that he had not received the letter as the same was written two days back.

The SPIO then handed over a copy of the said letter to the Appellant.

Considering the submission above, **the Commission concludes that although much delay, the Public Authority has furnished the information to the Appellant. Further, the Appellant is aggrieved that justice had been denied to him. The Commission is of the view that the matter has to be closed as regards the RTI Application and Second Appeal are concerned. As regards his grievance it is for him to approach appropriate authorities for redressing the same.**

The Second Appeal case is hereby disposed of.

Sd/-

Pinuel Basumatary IA & AS (Retd.)
State Information Commissioner, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati

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1. The SPIO, O/o the Director of Employment & Craftsmen Training, Assam, Rehabari, Guwahati- 781 008 for information and necessary action.
2. The Appellant, Sri Ranjan Adhikary, Vill- Deohati Part- II, PO- Deohati, Dist.- Bongaigaon, Assam, Pin- 783 384 for information.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
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