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 Case No.
 : SIC/NGN.21/2018

 Appellant
 : Md. Motiur Rahman

 Respondent
 : The SPIO, O/o the Headmistress of Rupahi Girls' High School, PO- Rupahi, Dist.- Nagaon

 Date of hearing
 : 16.11.2018

 Second Appeal heard by
 : Sri Pinuel Basumatary, IA & AS (Retd.) State Information Commissioner, Assam

 O R D E R 16.11.2018

Smt. Mamoni Borah Hazarika, SPIO/Headmistress of Rupahi Girls' High School is present along with Sri Hemanta Bora, Vice President of the school.

The Appellant's Advocate, Md. Imran Hussain is present on behalf of the Appellant.

Heard the Appellant's Advocate. He submitted that the Appellant was not satisfied with the response received from the Headmistress of the concerned school through her letter dated 11.07.2017 for the reason that the same was evasive and not to-the-point with respect to the RTI Application dated 06.06.2017. He further submitted that no decision was received on the First Appeal dated 19.07.2017 which was submitted to the Deputy Commissioner, Nagaon.

Heard the Headmistress and the Vice President of the school. They submitted that the information related to land as sought for was not on record in the school office. However, they were unable to satisfactorily explain as to why the basic information relating to the land allotted by the Government to the school or in possession of the school was not available on record. They stated that they have taken up the matter with the Revenue Circle Officer. In course of the hearing, the school authorities admitted that they would be able to review the information given by them and furnish to-the-point response based on the information available in the school record.

Perusal of the case record indicates that the First Appeal was transferred by the DC, Nagaon to the Inspector of Schools, NDC, Nagaon and that the latter did not dispose of the First Appeal as required by the RTI Act, 2005.

Considering the facts brought out above, the Commission hereby orders that the SPIO/Headmistress, Rupahi Girls' High School, Nagaon shall furnish to-the-point information to the Appellant with reference to his RTI Application dated 06.06.2017 within 10 days of receiving this order, free of cost.

The Second Appeal 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 Headmistress of Rupahi Girls' High School, PO- Rupahi, Dist.-Nagaon, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2. The First Appellate Authority/the Inspector of Schools, NDC, Nagaon, Assam for information.
- 3. The Appellant, Md. Motiur Rahman (Advocate), S/o- Yakub Ali, Nagaon Bar Association, Nagaon, Assam for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
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