



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

Case No. : KP(M).134 /2018  
Complainant/ appellant : Shri Utpal Das  
Respondent : SPIO of the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup  
(M), Guwahati-1  
Date of hearing : 05.02.2019  
Complaint/ Second : Shri H.S. Das, IAS ( Retd)  
Appeal heard by : Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

**O R D E R**  
05.02.2019

1. The appellant Shri Utpal Das is present. The public authority, i.e. the Deputy Commissioner (Metro)'s office is represented by:- (1) Shri Ranjit Konwar, ACS, SPIO and Addl. Deputy Commissioner, (2) Shri Kshitish Ch. Pegu, ACS, Addl. Deputy Commissioner and (3) Smti. Jenifer Yasmin, ACS, Circle Officer, Sonapur Revenue Circle. The second appeal petition dated 20.01.2018 is taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties.
2. From perusal of the case records it is seen that the petitioner Shri Utpal Das filed an RTI petition dated 18.10.2017 before the SPIO of the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup (M) seeking informations relating to allegedly illegal transfer of land to non-eligible people in Tribal Belt falling under the Sonapur Revenue Circle. Informations were sought for on two points :- (a) whether any instruction or order was received from the higher authority to take action against the officers who were involved in the alleged illegal transfer of land, and (b) names of the officials who were involved in such allegedly illegal land transfer during the period 2001 to 2006.
3. The SPIO and Addl. Deputy Commissioner Shri Ranjit Konwar has submitted a written statement dated 02.02.2019 with enclosures. The Adl. Deputy Commissioner, Land Settlement Branch, Shri Kshitish Peru has submitted a separate statement dated 4.2.2019. Both the WSs are entered into the case records. It is seen from the WSs that vide letter dated 24.1.2018, the petitioner was informed with reference to point no. 1 of his RTI petition that no order or instruction was received from the higher authority for taking any action against any officer or employee. The appellant also acknowledged receipt of the above information.
4. As regards point no. 2 of the RTI petition, the appellant submitted orally that no information has been furnished to him till date. The appellant also submitted that he can furnish a copy of the report and recommendations of the Assembly Committee which went into the matter of illegal land transfer to non-eligible people in Tribal Belt under Sonapur Revenue Circle.
5. The petitioner is directed to furnish a copy of the Assembly Committee's report to the SPIO of the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup (M) within 7 days from the

date of this order and the SPIO is directed to furnish the sought for informations in respect of point no. 2 of the RTI petition within 30 days from the date of receipt of the Assembly Committee's report.

5. With the above order, the second appeal petition dated 20.01.2018 is disposed of

Sd/-

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

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-  
Registrar i/c  
Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/ KP(M).134/2018/

Dated. 05.02.2019

Copy to: 1. The SPIO of of the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup (M),  
Guwahati-1 for information and necessary action.  
2. Shri Utpal Das, HOUSE No. 41, Rang Pathar Bye Lane, Fatashil Ambari,  
Guwahati-25 for information and necessary action as ordered above.  
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.  
4. Office File.  
5. Order Book

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