



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

Case No. : KP(M).1041/2018  
Complainant/ appellant : Shri Utpal Das  
Respondent : SPIO of Guwahati Metropolitan Development Authority  
Date of hearing : 22.04.2019  
Complaint/ Second : Shri H.S. Das, IAS ( Retd)  
Appeal heard by : Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

**O R D E R**  
22.04.2019

1. The appellant Shri Utpal Das is absent. However, he sent a written communication dated 22.4.2019 praying for ex parte disposal of his appeal petition due to his preoccupation today to attend another court case in Gauhati High Court. The public authority i.e. GMDA is present and is represented by its SPIO and Asstt. Executive Engineer Shri Hitesh Sarma Medhi and another Asstt. Executive Engineer Shri Safiul Alam. The second appeal petition dated 2.5.2018 is taken up for hearing ex parte as requested by the appellant..
2. The SPIO and AEE of GMDA has submitted a written statement dated 1.4.2019 enclosing an action taken report supported by relevant documents. It has been admitted in the ATR that informations furnished earlier vide letters dated 23.2.2018 and 19.4.2019 were partial. The SPIO has mentioned in the ATR that the appellant was requested to come for inspection of relevant records for the remaining informations, but he did not turn out.
3. From perusal of the RTI petition dated 14.12..2017 it appears that informations sought against point nos. 3, 4, and 5 of the RTI petition are voluminous and will require a great deal of compilation works resulting in disproportionate diversion of the resources of GMDA. The appellant Shri Utpal Das is therefore directed to exercise his right for the remaining informations by way of inspection of relevant records and documents as provided u/s 2(j), (i) and (ii) of the RTI Act, 2005 within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order. The SPIO of GMDA is also directed to allow inspection of relevant records and documents during office hours on any working day and allow the petitioner to take notes and photocopies of documents free of cost upto 25 pages and thereafter on payment of Rs. 2.00 for every additional page of photocopy.

With the above order the second appeal petition dated 2.5.2018 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).1041/2018/

Dated. 22.04.2019

Copy to: 1. The SPIO of Guwahati Metropolitan Development Authority, Staffed Building, Bhangagarh, Guwahati-5 for information and necessary action.  
2. Shri Utpal Das, House No. 41, Rong Pathar Byelane, Fatashil Ambari, Guwahati-25 for information.  
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.  
4. Office File.  
5. Order Book

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