



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

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| Case No. | KP(M)472/ 2019 |
| Complainant/ Appellant | Sri Mohit Chandra Pathak. |
| Respondent | SPIO of the Office of the Deputy Registrar of Gauhati University. |
| Date of hearing | 27.05.2019 |
| Complaint/ Second | : Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Retd) |
| Appeal heard by | Chief Information Commissioner, Assam |

O R D E R

27.05.2019

1. The appellant/petitioner Sri Mohit Chandra Pathak is present. The public authority, i.e., Gauhati University is represented by its Deputy Registrar and PIO Dr. Prasanta Barman accompanied by Sri Tridip Kalita, attached to the PIO of Gauhati University. The second appeal petition dated 8.2.2019 is taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties.
2. From perusal of the case records, it is seen that the appellant Sri Mohit Chandra Pathak filed an RTI petition dated 30.8.2018 before the PIO of Gauhati University seeking certain informations regarding regularization of his service and payment of pensionary benefits including arrear pension. The PIO of Gauhati University has submitted a written statement dated 16.5.2019, which is entered into the case records. It has been mentioned in the WS that the appellant Sri Mohit Chandra Pathak was under suspension with effect from 13.12.2005 to 18.10.2016. He resumed his duties on 19.10.2016 and retired from service with effect from 28.2.2017. As the petitioner was under suspension for a long time, monthly pension and other retirement benefits could not be given to him without regularization of his suspension period. In its meeting held on 20.1.2019, the Executive Council of Gauhati University approved the regularization of the suspension period of Sri Mohit Chandra Pathak. Accordingly an office order regularizing his period under suspension was issued on 29.4.2019. The appellant mentioned that he is yet to receive his copy of this order. The SPIO further mentioned in his WS that for calculation of his service benefits, the matter will again be forwarded to the Accounts Section. Once the calculation is done, it will be again placed in the Executive Council meeting for a final decision.

3. In view of the above, the SPIO of Gauhati University is directed to furnish a copy of GU's order dated 29.4.2019 regularizing the period of suspension of the appellant Sri Mohit Chandra Pathak within seven days from the date of this order which was pronounced in presence of both the parties.
4. With the above order, the second appeal petition dated 8.2.2019 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)472/2019

Dated 27.05.2019

- Copy to:
1. The SPIO of Gauhati University, Guwahati for information. and necessary action.
 2. Sri Sri Mohit Chandra Pathak, Jiban Kutir, Vill- Medhipara, PO & PS Azara, Dist. Kamrup (M), PIN 781017
 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
 4. Office File.
 5. Order Book.

Registrar i/c
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