



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

Case No. KP(R)213/ 2018
 Complainant/ Appellant Sri Jyoti Prasad Tamuli
 Respondent : SPIO of Anundoram Barooah Institute of Language,
 Art & Culture, Assam.
 Date of hearing 11.06.2019
 Complaint/ Second : Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Retd)
 Appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R
 11.06.2019

1. The petitioner Sri Jyoti Prasad Tamuli as well as the public authority to be represented by the SPIO of Anundoram Barooah Institute of Language, Art & Culture, Assam – both are absent without any information.
2. From perusal of the case records it is seen that the petitioner vide his RTI petition dated 31.10.2017 sought three informations from the SPIO of Anundoram Barooah Institute of Language, Art & Culture, Assam. The sought for informations are :-
 - i) The tenure of Governing Council of Anundoram Barooah Institute of Language, Art & Culture, Assam and who constituted the Governing Council;
 - ii) How many years have been completed by the present Governing Council and number of Governing Council meetings that are required to be held in a year as per rules and procedure of Anundoram Barooah Institute of Language, Art & Culture, Assam ; and
 - iii) How many meetings of the Governing Council have been held so far during the tenure of the present Governing Council and list of members present and the minutes of each such Governing Council meeting.
3. In this connection, it is seen from the previous records that the Director of Anundoram Barooah Institute of Language, Art & Culture, Assam Sri Dilip Kumar Kalita vide his letter dated 8.5.2019 prayed for three weeks time for preparing his written submission. But no such written submission was received from him.

4. The Anundoram Barooah Institute of Language, Art & Culture, Assam being an institution established and funded by the State Government, is a public authority within the meaning of Sec. 2(h) of the RTI Act, 2005. The informations sought for by the petitioner are not only admissible under the RTI Act, but they also appear belong to the category of information that are required to be disclosed suo motu under Section 4(b) of the RTI Act 2005. The Director of Anundoram Barooah Institute of Language, Art & Culture, Assam is, therefore, directed to furnish the sought for informations to the petitioner within 7 days from the date of receipt of this order.

5. With the above order, the second appeal petition dated 18.6.2018 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(R)213/2018

Dated 11.06.2019

Copy to:

1. The SPIO of Anundoram Barooah Institute of Language, Art & Culture, Assam Rajaduar, North Guwahati, Guwahati 781030 for information and necessary action.
2. Sri Jyoti Prasad Tamuli, Avoypur College Nagar, North Guwahati 781030.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
4. Office File.
5. Order Book.

Registrar i/c
Assam Information Commission