



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

Case No. KP(M)474/ 2019
 Complainant/ Appellant Sri Dadul Bharali
 Respondent : SPIO of Directorate of Secondary Education, Assam.
 Date of hearing 17.07.2019
 Complaint/ Second : Shri H. S. Das, IAS (Retd)
 Appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R

17.07.2019

1. The appellant Sri Dadul Bharali is present. The public authority, i.e., the Directorate of Secondary Education, Govt. of Assam is also present as represented by Sri Anup Kumar Das, SPIO and Deputy Director of DSE accompanied by Sri Dilip Kr. Deka of the RTI Cell of DSE. The second appeal petition dated 7.2.2019 read with RTI petition dated 29.11.2018 is taken up for hearing in presence of both the parties.
2. The SPIO of DSE submitted a written statement stating that since the subject matter of RTI petition relates to publicity of Government schemes, they forwarded the RTI petition to the DIPR under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005. The SPIO submitted orally that after receiving notice from this Commission they personally contacted the SPIO of DIPR. The concerned officials of the DIPR told the officials of DSE that the DIPR is not connected with the sought for information.
3. The appellant clarified that he had submitted separate RTI petitions before the SPIOs of several departments seeking informations about the amount incurred in publicity/advertisement from their own end with their own budget in respect of publicizing the schemes, programmes and activities etc. of the Government by way of outdoor hoardings/ banners, etc. excluding the campaigns through electronic media, print media, radio and social media. In other words, the petitioner clarified that he is interested in getting the informations only in respect of the campaign through outdoor hoardings and advertisements taken up by the Directorate of Secondary Education, including the agencies/missions under their administrative control, during the period 1st January, 2018 to 25th November, 2018.
4. In view of the above clarification, the SPIO of Directorate of Secondary Education is directed to verify their office records and furnish the sought for information to the petitioner within 30 days from the date of this order which was pronounced in presence of both the parties.
5. With the above order the second appeal petition dated 7.2.2019 is disposed of.

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

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Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/ KP(M)474/2019

Dated 17.07.2019

Copy to:

1. The SPIO of Directorate of Secondary Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati 19 for information and necessary action.
2. Sri Dadul Bharali, House No.44, Sai Millenium Apartment, Guwahati-3.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
4. Office File.
5. Order Book.



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