



**OFFICE OF THE
ASSAM INFORMATION COMMISSION
JONAKKEE COMPLEX, PANJABARI, GUWAHATI-781037**

Case No : SIC/DMJ.14/2019
Complainant/ Appellant : Sri Premananda Talukdar
Respondent : The SPIO office of the Executive Officer,
Silapathar Town Committee, P.O- Silapathar
Dist- Dhemaji, Assam
Date of hearing : 30.7.2019
Complaint/ Second : Nilufer Alam Hazarika, IAS (Retd.)
Appeal heard by : State Information Commissioner, Assam
Date of order : 30.7.2019

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30.7.2019

The petitioner Sri Premananda Talukdar is present. The public authority to be represented by the SPIO office of the Executive Officer, Silapathar Town Committee is absent. The second appeal petition dated 24.4.2019 is taken up for consideration based on available records.

The Commission observes that the information sought for by the petitioner vide his RTI petition dated 5.2.2019 involves huge volume of information relating to several categories of information for several years from the period of 2014 till date. Furnishing of complete information by making photocopies will require compilation of information and substantial cost in making photocopies. This will definitely lead to a huge burden on the manpower and resources of the concerned public authority.

This Commission therefore, directs the petitioner to inspect the relevant office records and documents in the office of the Silapathar Town Committee within 30 days from the date of receipt of this order and complete inspection of documents during office hour. The petitioner will give atleast 2 days notice to the public authority for inspection of documents.

The SPIO, office of the Executive Officer, Silapathar Town Committee is also directed to allow the petitioner to inspect the relevant records and documents and allow him to take notes and photocopies of the sought for documents free of cost upto 50 pages and thereafter on payment of Rs. 2.00/- for every additional page of photocopy. He will keep the documents ready for inspection by the petitioner.

With the above direction, the second appeal petition dated 24.4.2019 is disposed of.

Sd/-

(Nilufer Alam Hazarika, IAS (Retd.))
State Information Commissioners, Assam
Panjabari, Guwahati

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-
Joint Registrar
Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/DMJ.14/2019

Dated. 30.7.2019

Copy to:

1. The SPIO, Office of the Executive Officer, Silapathar Town Committee, P.O- Silapathar, Dist- Dhemaji, Assam for information and necessary action
2. The First Appellate Authority, Office of the Executive Officer, Silapathar Town Committee, P.O- Silapathar, Dist- Dhemaji, Assam for information and necessary action.
3. The Petitioner, Sri Premananda Talukdar, Vill- Bordoloni Tiniali, P.O- Bordoloni, Dist- Dhemaji, PIN-787026, Assam for information
4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
5. Office File
6. Order Book



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