

OFFICE OF THE ASSAM INFORMATIONS COMMISSION JONAKEE COMPLEX, PANJABARI, GUWAHATI-781037

Case No : KP(M).854/2019 Complainant/ Appellant : Sri Joydeb Das.

Respondent : SPIO of the Directorate of the Welfare of Plain Tribes &

Backward Classes.

Date of hearing : 5.9.2019

Complaint/ Second : Shri H.S. Das. IAS (Retd)

Appeal heard by Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER

5.9.2019

- 1. The appellant Sri Joydeb Das is present. The public authority to be represented by the SPIO of the Directorate of Welfare of Plain Tribes and Backward Classes (WPT & BC), Govt. of Assam is absent without any information. The second appeal petition dated 30.5.2019 read with the RTI petition dated 4.4.2019 is taken up for hearing ex-parte in the absence of the public authority.
- 2. Seen the Joint Director and SPIO of the Directorate of WPT & BC's letter dated 22.5.2019 addressed to the appellant/ petitioner informing him that the informations sought for by him are available in the department's website i.e http://directorwptbc.assam.in. The petitioner was requested to visit the website and download the required informations. A copy of the above communication was enclosed by the petitioner himself with his second appeal petition.
- 3. The appellant furnished a copy of his letter dated 4.7.2019 addressed to the Directorate and First Appellate Authority of the WPT & BC. He mentioned in his letter that he visited the office of the Directorate of WPT & BC as well as their website and was able to obtain only a part of the informations sought for by him. The appellant submitted orally that most of the informations sought for by him are not available in the website. Only the bid document was uploaded satisfactorily to his requirement.
- 4. In view of the above, the SPIO of the Directorate of WPT & BC is directed to furnish hard copies of relevant portion of their website containing the informations sought for by the petitioner within 15 days from the date or receipt of this order. If any or some parts of the informations sought for by the petitioner are not available in the website, then the SPIO is directed to provide those informations also within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order. In case some of the sought for informations are not available at all in their office records, then the SPIO is directed to inform the petitioner accordingly giving reason for non- availability of those sought for informations.
- 5. In view of the above, the second appeal petition dated 30.5.2019 is disposed of.

Sd/-

(H. S. Das)

Chief Information Commissioners, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

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Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/ KP(M)854/2019

Dated. 5.9.2019

Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO of the office of Directorate of Welfare of Plain Tribes & Backward Classes, Rukmini Nagar, Guwahati-781006, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2. The Petitioner, Sri Joydeb Das, S/o- Late Karunamoy Das, House No-16, Kushal Konwar Road, Near Mayur Krishna Cinema Hall, Ambari Fatashil, Ghy-781025 for information.
- 3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 4. Office File
- 5. Order Book

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