



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

Case No. : SIC/DMJ.38/2020 Complainant/ appellant : Sri Jiten Payeng

Respondent : SPIO & Assistant Director of Food, Civil, Supplies & Consumer

Affairs, Dhemaji

Date of order : 20.1.2021

Complaint/ Second : Dr. A.P. Rout, IPS (Retd.)

Appeal heard by State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

## ORDER 20 1 2021

- 1. The petitioner Sri Jiten Payeng is absent. However, he has submitted an email dated 20.1.2021 stating that he has received the information sought by him. The public authority i.e. the SPIO and Assistant Director of Food, Civil, Supplies and Consumer Affairs is absent. However, he has deputed Sri Anna Ram Pegu, Inspector of Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs Dhemaji to appear in the hearing who is accompanied by Sri Ridip Chutia, Secretary of Sissiborgaon S.S Ltd, Sri Guna Hatibaruah, Secretary of Jiadhal SS Ltd. and Sri Lakhi Pegu, Secretary Kangkan SS Ltd. The Assistant Director of Food, Civil, Supplies and Consumer Affairs, Dhemaji has submitted a written statement dated 19.1.2021 which is taken into records.
- In the written statement, he has mentioned that out of 11 (eleven) numbers of GPSS
  Ltd, nine have already been furnished and the Secretary of Gogamukh GPSS Ltd. is under
  suspension and the remaining one i.e. the Pachim Machkhowa GPSS Ltd. doesn't belong to
  Dhemaji and falls under Lakhimpur District.
- 3. The most interesting fact that has come to light through written submission submitted by the Secretary Jiadhal SS Ltd is as follows:-
  - (a) Sri Jiten Payeng, S/o- Dekaram Payeng is a retailer of fair price shop (Govt.) and cases charged against him in Dhemaji Police Station and Food, Civil, Supplies and Consumers Affairs for his corruption activities by the beneficiaries.
  - (b) Sri Jiten Payen has filed numbers of RTI petitions in the Jiadhal SS Ltd. on 17.7.2018, 4.9.2018, 24.9.2018, 21.8.2019, 19.6.2020, 29.6.2020, 5.9.2020 and 15.9.2020.
  - (c) He has obstructed the normal function of Jiadhal SS Ltd. by repeatedly filing RTI petitions.
- 4. In light of it, the Commission expresses displeasure on the RTI appellant, Sri Jiten Payeng for misusing the RTI Act to harass the Govt servants.
- 5. In light of it, the second appeal petition dated 28.8.2020 is disposed off.

Sd/-(Dr. A.P. Rout)

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Sd/-Joint Registrar i/c Assam Information Commission

## Memo No. SIC/DMJ.38/2020

Dtd. 20.1.2020

## Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO of the Office of the Assistant Director, Food Civil Supply & Consumers Affairs, Dhemaji for information.
- 2. The First Appellate Authority O/o, the Deputy Commissioner Dhemaji for information
- 3. The Petitioner, Sri Jiten Payen, Vill- Dighali, PO- Dhemaji Pasali, Dist- Dhemaji for information.
- 4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
- 5. Office File.
- 6. Order Book.

Joint Registrar i/c Assam Information Commission