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Case No. : SIC/MRN.6/2019 Appellant : Sri Maran Biswas

Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the Dist. Elementary Education Officer,

Morigaon

Date of hearing : 11.01.2021

Second Appeal heard by : Sri Kanak Ch. Sarma

State Information Commissioner, Assam

ORDER 11.01.2021

Sri Prafulla Gogoi, SPIO, o/o the DEEO, Morigaon is present.

The appellant Sri Maran Biswas is present.

Seen the case record. The appellant submitted one RTI petition dated 10.07.2019 before the SPIO, o/o the DEEO, Morigaon seeking certain informations. The SPIO, o/o the DEEO, Morigaon transferred the said application to the BEEO, Laohorighat vide its letter no. DEEO/MRG/90/2015/RTI/V/956 dated 05.08.2019. The BEEO, Lahorighat transferred the said application to the Head Teacher of No. 1 Borpathar L.P. School for taking necessary action. The Head Teacher, No. 1 Borpathar L. P. School in turn informed the appellant Sri Maran Biswas to deposit a sum of Rs. 20, 000/- being the cost of photocopying of the sought for informations. The Head Teacher also submits orally that he has sent two nos. of letters inviting the appellant to come to the school and collect the sought for informations at his own cost. However, the appellant denies to have received any letter from the Head Teacher inviting him to the school. The sought for informations relates to a period for 2013-2019 and pertaining to admission register and attendance register of all classes from 2000 to 2019. He sought eight nos. of informations together which seems to be all large in numbers. The Head Teacher also informs that there is no Head of accounts of expenditure for photocopying of such a large number of documents.

In view of the above, the appellant is directed to visit the school, inspect the desired documents and take notes which is required by him. Twenty numbers of documents will be provided with by the SPIO of No. 1 Borpathar L.P. School, free of cost. If the appellant requires more copies of informations he will have to pay at the prescribed rate. The SPIO will invite the appellant in a mutually agreed date and facilitate for inspection of records. The entire process should be completed in two days from its start.

With the above directions, the 2nd appeal dated 01.11.2019 is disposed of.

Sd/-(Kanak Ch. Sarma) State Information Commissioner, Assam Panjabari, Guwahati

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Sd/-Secretary & Registrar Assam Information Commission

Dtd.11.01.2021

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- 1. Sri Prafulla Gogoi, SPIO, o/o the Dist. Elementary Education Officer, Morigaon, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2. The SPIO, o/o the No. 1 Barpathar L. P. School, Morigaon, Assam for information and necessary action.
- 3. The First Appellate Authority/office of the Dist. Elementary Education Officer, Morigaon, Assam for information.
- 4. The Appellant, Sri Maran Biswas, S/o- Sri Sambhu Saran Biswas, Vill- 1 No. Barpathar, PO- Taptola, PS- Bhuragaon, Dist.- Morigaon, Pin- 782 121 for information.
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