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Case No. : SIC/CCR.30/2021
Complainant/ Appellant : Sri Ranjan Roy
Respondent : SPIO of the Office of Executive Officer, Silchar
Municipal Board, Silchar, Cachar, Assam
Date of Hearing : 26-04-2021
Complaint/ Second : Dr. A.P.Rout,
Appeal heard by : State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R
26/04/2021

1. The petitioner is represented by Smti Sukanya Phukan, Advocate.
2. The SPIO of the Office of Executive Officer, Silchar Municipal Board is absent.
3. However, Executive Officer of Silchar Municipal Board has submitted a written statement dated 19/4/2021 wherein he has mentioned that due to counting of votes for ongoing General Assembly Election 2021 and for smooth counting operations for all the seven constituency of the district, he is unable to attend today's hearing. He also intimated that due to limited availability of flights from Silchar to Guwahati, it will be not possible for him to attend the hearing. Hence he has requested to postpone the hearing date after counting of votes is over i.e. 2/5/2021.
4. The First Appellate Authority/Office of DC Cachar Silchar (RTI Cell: Magistracy Branch) has sent an email dated 23/4/2021 wherein they have mentioned that the matter is related to Executive Officer, Silchar Municipal Board and hence they have requested to dispose the appeal petition.
5. However, in light of the Covid pandemic situation, the Commission has decided to fix one new date of hearing and **the SPIO is directed either to remain physically present on the next date or submit written statement regarding the status of furnishing of the information to the petitioner and also the reason of non furnishing of the information within stipulated time as per the RTI Act 2005.**
6. Fix next date of hearing.

(Dr. A.P. Rout)

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Copy to:

1. The SPIO, O/o the Executive Officer, Silchar Municipal Board, Silchar, Cachar for information and necessary action as ordered above.
2. The First Appellate Authority/The Deputy Commissioner, Cachar, Silchar, Assam for information.
3. The petitioner Sri Ranjan Roy, President, ADARSH NGO, Padmanagar, Bilpar, Silchar-1, P.O – Silchar, Cachar, Assam for information.
4. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
5. Office File.
6. Order Book.

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