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Case No. : SIC/KP(M).123/2021
Complainant/ Appellant : Joydeb Das
Respondent : SPIO of the Office of the Deputy Director of
Agriculture (IPM), State Bio Control Laboratory,
R.K.Mission Road, Ulubari, Guwahati -07
Date of Hearing : 03-08-2021
Complaint/ Second : Dr. A.P.Rout,
Appeal heard by State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R
03/08/2021

1. The petitioner Sri Joydeb Das is present. The petitioner has filed his RTI application dated 25/9/2020 seeking following information:
 - Whether the State Bio-Control Laboratory (SBCL) has been established for protection of different crops against pests for farmer's community of state of Assam. If yes, please furnish following details:
 - (a) Please furnish object of the SBCL.
 - (b) Please furnish in details of the expenditure for establishment of SBCL.
 - (c) Please furnish in details of the list of producing bio-pesticides, bio-fertilizers and bio-agents since its inception till date.
 - (d) Is, the SBCL is now functioning condition, if not, please furnish in details of the reason for not functioning SBCL.
2. On getting incomplete information, the petitioner filed 1st appeal before the First Appellate Authority of the O/o the Deputy Director Agriculture (IPM), State Bio-Control Laboratory, Guwahati.
3. The petitioner filed 2nd appeal before the Commission on 9/4/2021 and accordingly hearing was fixed today.
4. The Public Authority is represented by Atul Chandra Sarma, Asstt. Director of Agriculture (IPM) and he is verbally authorized by the Deputy Director of Agriculture to attend the hearing. He is not very thorough and could not present the case properly before the Commission.
5. The appellant pointed out that reply to question no. 1(b) is vague and evasive.
6. **In light of it, the Commission orders the Deputy Director cum SPIO to provide specific information within 1 month after collecting the same from the concerned office.**
7. The case is disposed off.

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

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Secretary & Registrar
Assam Information Commission

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Dtd. 3.8.2021

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1. The SPIO, O/o the Deputy Director of Agriculture (IPM), State Bio Control Laboratory, R.K.Mission Road, Ulubari, Guwahati – 781007 for information and necessary action as ordered above.
2. The petitioner Shri Joydeb Das, S/o Late Karunamoy Das, H.No-16, Kushal Konwar Road, Near Mayur Krishna Cinema Hall, Ambari Fatashil, Ghy-25, Assam for information.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
4. Office File.
5. Order Book.

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