



ASSAM INFORMATION COMMISSION

: 05-10-2021

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Case No. : SIC/KP(M).29/2020

Complainant/ Appellant : Shri Pawan Kr. Agarwal

Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the Asstt. Settlement Officer, Silchar &

Hailakandi, Distt. Cachar, Assam.

Date of Hearing
Complaint/ Second

Appeal heard by

: Shri Samudra G. Kashyap.

State Information Commissioner, Assam.

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- The appellant Shri Pawan Kr. Agarwal is absent. But he has sent a letter dated 01.10.2021 to the Commission praying for absence in the hearing due to old age health problems. He has in the said letter also complained that the Public Authority had not cared to furnish him the informations as per the RTI Act, 2005, and has prayed for an exemplary order against the concerned Public Authority.
- 2. The SPIO, O/o the Asstt. Settlement Officer, Silchar & Hailakandi, is absent. But the Commission has received a written statement from the SPIO and Asstt. Settlement Officer, Sadar Circle, Silchar, vide letter No. SCSM.140/2019/6231 dated 01.10.2021.
- 3. From perusal of records it is seen that the appellant Shri Pawan Kr. Agarwal had submitted an RTI petition to the PIO, O/o the Asstt. Settlement Officer, Silchar & Hailakandi, on 14.10.2019, seeking certain information related to a letter written by Shri Pawan Kr. Agarwal on 24.09.2019, to the said office. The appellant on 28.11.2019 submitted a 1st Appeal and subsequently a 2nd Appeal before the Commission on 21.01.2020. Accordingly the Commission had fixed 19.10.2020, as date for hearing, during which the Public Authority was absent without any intimation. Hence the Commission fixed 05.10.2021 as the next date of hearing and accordingly the hearing is held today.
- 4. The SPIO cum Asstt. Settlement Officer, has stated that the appellant Shri Pawan Kr. Agarwal has been furnished the required information vide letter No. SCSM.140/2019/686 dated 20.11.2019. The SPIO has also submitted photocopy of the point wise Action Taken Report as sought by the appellant Shri Pawan Kr. Agarwal in RTI petition dated 14.10.2019. The appellant's prayer for an exemplary order against the concerned official is rejected.
- 5. In view of the above, this 2nd Appeal is hereby disposed of.

Sd/-(Samudra G. Kashyap) State Information Commissioner, Assam.

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-Secretary & Registrar Assam Information Commission

Dated: 05-10-2021

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- 1. The SPIO, O/o the Asstt. Settlement Officer, Silchar & Hailakandi, Distt. Cachar, Assam, for information.
- 2. First Appellate Authority/ O/o the Deputy Commissioner, Cachar, Silchar, Distt. Cachar, Assam, PIN Code 782001, for information.
- 3. The petitioner, Shri Pawan Kr. Agarwal, H/No. 8, Bye Lane 2/9, Tarun Nagar, Guwahati, PIN 781005, Assam, for information.
- 4. Computer section for uploading in the website
- 5. Office File

6. Order Book

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