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Case No. : SIC/HLK.50/2020

Complainant/ Appellant : Shri Robijur Rahman Laskar.

Respondent : 1. The SPIO, O/o the Deputy Director of Sanskrit

Education, Kahilipara, Guwahati-782019 Assam.

2. The SPIO, Registrar, Kumar Bhaskar Varma

Sanskrit & Ancient Studies University,

Namati, Distt. Nalbari, Assam.

Date of Hearing Complaint/ Second Appeal heard by : 19-03-2021

: Shri Samudra G. Kashyap.

State Information Commissioner, Assam.

O R D E R 19-03-2021

1. The appellant Shri Robijur Rahman Laskar is present.

- 2. Shri Joy Ram Hazarika, SPIO and Deputy Director for Sanskrit Education, Govt. of Assam, is present. He is assisted by Shri Prakash Deka, Sr. Asstt, with the same office. The SPIO, Kumar Bhaskar Varma Sanskrit & Ancient Studies University, Namati, Distt. Nalbari, is absent. But the Commission has received a letter from him requesting for deferring today's hearing.
- From perusal of records it is seen that the appellant Shri Robijur Rahman Laskar had submitted an RTI application to the SPIO, O/o the Inspector of Schools, CDC, Silchar, on 13.01.2020, seeking three informations related to Sanskrit educational institutions under CDC, Silchar.
- 4. On not receiving any response he submitted an Appeal before the FAA, O/o the Directorate of Secondary Education, Guwahati, Assam, on 28.02.2020. The Director of Secondary Education on 12.03.2020, transferred the said 1st Appeal to the Deputy Director for Sanskrit Education, Assam. The Deputy Director for Sanskrit Education vide letter No. SE/RTI/16/Pt-I/2016/244 dated 05.12.2020, wrote to the appellant Shri Robijur Rahman Laskar providing him information to his query No. (2), and also informed that his RTI application was transferred to the Kumar Bhaskar Varma Sanskrit & Ancient Studies University, Namati, Distt. Nalbari, for providing informations to his query No. (1) and (3).
- 5. Though the SPIO, Kumar Bhaskar Varma Sanskrit & Ancient Studies University, vide letter No. KBVS&ASU dated 17.03.2021, has requested for deferring today's hearing to another date because of his prior engagement, the appellant Shri Robijur Rahman Laskar has submitted photocopy of a letter No. KBVS&ASU/REG/RTI-19/2013/307 dated 21.01.2021 written statement to him, in which the Registrar of Kumar Bhaskar Varma Sanskrit & Ancient Studies University, Namati, Distt. Nalbari, had informed him that the informations sought by him through the transfer petitions were not available with the University. The Registrar, Kumar Bhaskar Varma Sanskrit & Ancient Studies University, Namati, Distt. Nalbari, in that letter also informed him that "Assam Sanskrit Board, Kahilipara, Guwahati, was the sole authority for keeping records during the

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period 2012-17, which were not handed over to the Kumar Bhaskar Varma Sanskrit & Ancient Studies University, at the time of handing over the charges."

- 6. In view of the fact that the Kumar Bhaskar Varma Sanskrit & Ancient Studies University has informed him that the informations sought through the transfer petition were not available as mentioned, hence the Commission has nothing to do on this matter. The appellant however is free to approach any other forum which he considers appropriate in this connection.
- 7. With the above order, the 2nd Appeal is hereby disposed of.

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

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-Secretary & Registrar Assam Information Commission

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Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO, O/o the Deputy Director of Sanskrit Education, Kahilipara, Guwahati-782019 Assam, for information.
- 2. The SPIO, The Registrar, Kumar Bhaskar Varma Sanskrit & Ancient Studies University, Namati, Distt. Nalbari, Assam, for information
- 3. The First Appellate Authority/ Director, Directorate of Secondary Education, Kahilipara, Guwahati-782019 Assam, for information.
- The petitioner, Shri Robijur Rahman Laskar, S/o. Chandu Mia Laskar, vill. Narainpur Pt-II, P.O. North Narainpur P.S. Algapur, Dist. Hailakandi, Assam, PIN Code. 788801, for information.
- 5. Computer section for uploading in the website.
- 6. Office File.
- 7. Order Book.

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