



## ASSAM INFORMATION COMMISSION

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Case No. : SIC/SSM.19/2020 Complainant/ Appellant : Shri Abdullah Sarkar

Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the Asstt. Executive Engineer, (PHE)

P.O. Hatsingimari, South Salmara Mankachar

District, PIN-783135, Assam.

Date of Hearing : 02-03-2021 Complaint/ Second

Appeal heard by : Shri Samudra G. Kashyap.

State Information Commissioner, Assam

## O R D E R 02-03-2021

1. The appellant Shri Abdullah Sarkar is present.

- The SPIO, O/o the Asstt. Executive Engineer (PHE), P.O. Hatsingimari, South Salmara Mankachar District, PIN-783135, Assam, is represented by Shri Prabhat Das, Junior Engineer (PHE). The Commission has also received a written statement from the Under Secretary to the Government of Assam, (PHE) Department, vide letter No. PHED-864/2013/42 dated 11.02.2021.
- 3. From perusal of records it is seen that Shri Abdullah Sarkar had submitted one RTI application to the SPIO, O/o the Asstt. Executive Engineer, (PHE) P.O. Hatsingimari, South Salmara Mankachar District, on 18.08.2020. The SPIO on 08.09.2020 transferred the RTI application to five other officers. On not receiving any response, the appellant Shri Abdullah Sarkar submitted a 1<sup>st</sup> Appeal on 29.09.2020. The SPIO present today said that though a notice for hearing on the 1<sup>st</sup> Appeal was scheduled for 27.10.2020 at 12:00 noon, the SPIO said that the appellant remained absent in the hearing. The appellant claimed that he never received any notice of hearing on his 1<sup>st</sup> Appeal which was sent to him by post.
- 4. The SPIO during today's hearing however said that the informations relating to query No (i) of the RTI Application could be provided in full, while of those sought under query No. (ii) only consolidated figures relating to the different Panchayats can be provided at the moment.
- 5. In view of the above, the SPIO is hereby directed to furnish the informations as stated above sought by the petitioner within 21 (twenty-one) days from the receipt of this order free of cost, and the remaining information within 40 (fourty) days and informed the Commission accordingly.
- 6. With the above order, this 2<sup>nd</sup> Appeal is hereby disposed of.

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

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Sd/-Secretary & Registrar Assam Information Commission

Dated: 02-03-2021

## Memo No. SIC/SSM.19/2020

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- 1. The SPIO, O/o the Asstt. Executive Engineer, (PHE) P.O. Hatsingimari, South Salmara Mankachar District, PIN-783135, Assam, for information and necessary action.
- 2. First Appellate Authority/ O/o the Asstt. Executive Engineer, (PHE) P.O. Hatsingimari, South Salmara Mankachar District, PIN-783135, Assam, for information.
- 3. The petitioner, Md. Abdullah Sarkar, S/o- Nabuyat Ullah Sarkar, Add- Neoyajespur, P.O. Fulerchar, P.S. Sukchar, Dist. South Salmara Mankachar District, PIN-783135, for information.
- 4. Computer section for uploading in the website
- 5. Office File
- 6. Order Book

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