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Case No.: SIC/GLP.12/2021Complainant/ Appellant: Shri Abu Sufian.Respondent: The SPIO, O/o the BDO, Kharmuza Development
Block, Goalpara, Assam.Date of Hearing: 23-03-2022Complaint/ Second
Appeal heard by: Dr. Samudra G. Kashyap.
State Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R 02-05-2022

- 1. The appellant Shri Abu Sufian is present.
- 2. The SPIO, O/o the BDO, Kharmuza Development Block, Goalpara, Assam is absent. When contacted over the telephone the BDO, Kharmuza Development Block, Smti A. Saikia informed that while she is unable to attend today's hearing due to certain pre-occupation, the PIO of the O/o the BDO, Kharmuza Development Block, Goalpara, Assam, would attend today's hearing. But the persons who turned up for hearing were one Shri Benudhar Patgiri, Asstt. Accounts Officer, Kharmuza Dev. Block, Distt. Goalpara, and Shri Nirban Kr. Patgiri, Jr. Asstt., Kharmuza Dev. Block. They claimed to be deputed by the BDO, but they neither carried any letter of authority, nor could produce a govt. I-Card. Hence the persons were not permitted to attend the hearing.
- 3. The Commission notes with concern the lackadaisical attitude of the BDO, Kharmuza Development Block, Goalpara, Assam, towards disposing the RTI Application submitted on 13.08.2021. She also seemed least bothered to follow official procedures of responding to the notice of hearing sent by the Commission in relation to this 2nd Appeal.
- 4. In view of the above, fix 24.05.2022 at 12:20 PM as the next date of hearing. The BDO, Kharmuza Development Block, Goalpara, Assam, is directed to personally appear on that date and also submit a written statement explaining why penalty under Section 20(1) shall not be imposed on him/her for his/her failure to furnish the sought for information within the stipulated time period.
- 5. The Secretary, Ambari G.P. is also directed to personally appear in the hearing without fail.
- 6. This order shall constitute the notice of hearing.

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

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-Registrar Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/GLP.12/2021

Dated: 02-05-2022

Copy to:

- 1. The SPIO, O/o the BDO, Kharmuza Development Block, Goalpara, Assam, Pin Code 783101 for information and necessary action. He/She is directed to present his/her case personally in the next date of hearing.
- 2. The SPIO/Secretary, Ambari G.P., Vill. Ambari Kadotika, P.O. Ambari Bazar, P.S. Baguan Distt. Goalpara, Assam, for information and necessary action. He/She is directed to present his/her case personally in the next date of hearing.
- 3. First Appellate Authority/ O/o the BDO, Kharmuza Development Block, Goalpara, Assam, Pin Code 783101 for information.
- The petitioner, Shri Abu Sufian, S/o Abdul Wahed Vill. Ambari Kadotika, P.O. Ambari Bazar, P.S. Baguan Distt. Goalpara, Assam, for information and necessary action. He/She is directed to present his/her case personally in the next date of hearing.
- 5. Computer section for uploading in the website.
- 6. Office File.
- 7. Order Book.

Registrar Assam Information Commission.