

ASSAM INFORMATION COMMISSION

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Case No. : SIC/GLP 10/2022
Complainant/ Appellant : Sri Roop Choudhury
Respondent :SPIO,O/o the Joint Director of Health Services,
Goalpara, Assam
Date of Hearing : 21/05/2022
Complaint/ Second : Dr. A.P.Rout,
Appeal heard by State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R
21/05/2022

1. The petitioner Sri Roop Choudhury has filed one RTI petition before the SPIO, O/o the Deputy Commissioner, Goalpara on 6.12.2021 which was subsequently forwarded to Joint Director Health Services, Goalpara vide letter no. PFC.6/2021/293 dated Goalpara, the 13th December, 2021.
2. The reply to the petition was furnished by the PIO of Joint Director of Health Services, Goalpara vide letter no. GDHS/RTI/2005/RoopChoudhury/8511/2021, Dated, Goalpara the 31.12.2021.
3. However, the complainant filed a complaint petition before the Commission on 24.2.2022 stating that the RTI Act, 2005 is flouted.
He also filed 1st appeal petition before the 1st Appellate Authority, DC, Goalpara on 20.1.2022.
4. Basing on the complaint petition, the hearing was taken up today.
5. The petitioner Sri Roop Choudhury is absent.
6. The Public Authority is represented by Dr. Sanjoy Choudhury, PIO, O/o the Joint Director, DHS, Goalpara. The SPIO has submitted a written statement dated 18.5.2022 giving the detailed information that has been provided to the petitioner.
7. The petitioner has sent an email dated 21.5.2022 stating that he has received the information and desires to close down the matter.
8. Basing on the complaint petition, the case was expeditiously taken up at the Commission but it is unfortunate that the petitioner who is so much public conscious and so much interested to uphold the provision of RTI Act,2005 , has failed to intimate about receipt of the reply in time to the Registry of the Commission.
9. Had the petitioner intimated about the receipt of the reply, the Joint Director would not have undertaken the journey to Guwahati to attend the hearing at Assam Information Commission inspite of the grim flood situation in Goalpara district and remaining absent from his primary duty in treating the patients.
10. In light of it, **the Registry may keep a note of it for future reference.**
11. The case is disposed off.

Authenticated copies to be given to all concerned.

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

Authenticated true copy.

Sd/-
Registrar
Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/GLP.10/2022

Dtd. 21.5.2022

Copy to:

1. The SPIO, Office of the Joint Director of Health Services, Goalpara, Assam 783101 for information.
2. The petitioner Sri Roop Choudhury, Geetanagar, Baladmari, Goalpara, Assam 783121 for information.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
4. Office File.
5. Order Book.

Registrar
Assam Information Commission