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Case No. : SIC/KPM 154/2022  
Complainant/ Appellant : Joydeb Das  
Respondent : SPIO, Political Department, Dispur, Guwahati 6  
Date of Hearing : 13/06/2022  
Complaint/ Second : Dr. A.P.Rout,  
Appeal heard by : State Chief Information Commissioner, Assam

**O R D E R**  
**13/06/2022**

1. The petitioner Sri Joydeb Das has filed one RTI petition before the PIO, O/o the Governor, Assam, Raj Bhawan, Guwahati 01 on 29.11.2021 seeking following information:

(a) Please furnish step/s are taken in pursuance of the letter of Secretary, Assam Information Commission, Panjabari, Guwahati vide no. SIC/AE.120/2021/7 dated 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 (copy enclosed) for recommendation of deletion of CID and BIEO from the list of exempted organisation.

2. Reportedly on not getting any information, the petitioner filed 1<sup>st</sup> appeal before the First Appellate Authority, Home & Political Department Secretariat, Dispur, Guwahati on 14.2.2022 and then he filed 2<sup>nd</sup> appeal before the Commission on 11.4.2022.

Accordingly, the matter was taken up for hearing.

3. The petitioner Sri Joydeb Das is present.
4. The Public Authority is represented by Tapash Gupta, Under Secretary & SPIO, Political Department, Dispur and he is accompanied by Dibakar Swargiary, PIO, Political Department.
5. The SPIO has submitted a written statement dated 9.6.2022 which is taken into records.
6. It mentioned that they had received a letter from the Governor's Secretariat addressed to the Principal Secretary, Home & Political Department but the RTI petition of the petitioner was not found to be enclosed.
7. However when the 1<sup>st</sup> appeal petition was submitted by the petitioner, the letter of the RTI petition was enclosed and the same was transferred to Home & Political Department.

The 1<sup>st</sup> Appellate Authority vide order dated 4.4.2022 directs the SPIO to furnish the necessary information to the petitioner which was enclosed with the 1<sup>st</sup> appeal petition accordingly.

8. Accordingly the SPIO furnished the necessary information to the petitioner vide letter dated 4.5.2022 which is enclosed and which states that the matter is under process in the Department and no notification has been issued so far.
9. The petitioner mentioned that application which is forwarded by office of Governor Secretariat, should have been given the due importance and should have taken the logical conclusion within a reasonable time and the same is not done.
10. He has also mentioned that general reply i.e., under process does not mention anything about how it is under process and how long it will take to be disposed off.

11. In light of it, the Commission desires that action may be taken on the RTI petition and communication on the letter received from the Office of Governor's Secretariat Assam be intimated to the petitioner within a reasonable time.

12. In view of the above, 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

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**Dtd. 13.6.2022**

Copy to:

1. The SPIO, Political Department, Dispur, Guwahati 06 Assam for information and necessary action as ordered above.
2. The petitioner Sri Joydeb Das, S/o Lt. Karunamoy Das, House No.16, Fatashil Ambari, Kushal Konwar Road, Near Mayur Krishna Cinema Hall, Guwahati 781025 for information.
3. Computer Section for uploading in the Website.
4. Office File.
5. Order Book.

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