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Case No. : SIC/NGN.36/2021
Complainant/ Appellant : Shri Ipran Ali.
Respondent : The SPIO, O/o the Secretary, Alitangani Jamuguri G.P.,
Nagaon, Vill. Jamuguri, P.O. Alitangani, Assam.
Date of Hearing : 01-04-2022
Complaint/ Second
Appeal heard by : Dr. Samudra G. Kashyap.
State Information Commissioner, Assam

O R D E R
01-04-2022

1. The appellant Shri Ipran Ali is present.
2. The SPIO, O/o the Secretary, Alitangani Jamuguri GP, Nagaon, is absent. But the Commission has received a letter from the PIO, O/o the Secretary, Alitangani Jamuguri G.P. dated 29.03.2022 stating that he is unable to attend today's hearing due to verification and registration of PMAY-G houses coinciding with the hearing today. He has also submitted few pages of written statement.
3. From records it is seen that the appellant Shri Ipran Ali on 23.08.2021 submitted one RTI application to the PIO, P & RD Department, Nagaon seeking certain informations related to Alitangani Jamuguri G.P. under Juria Development Block. On 11.10.2021 the President, Alitangani Jamuguri G.P. wrote a letter to the appellant Shri Ipran Ali stating that he was unable to furnish the informations due to non-availability of staff in his office as all of them were transferred. But he also stated that the information will be provided after the re-appointing of the staff. On 30.10.2021 Shri Ipran Ali submitted a 1st Appeal. On 15.11.2021 his 1st Appeal was heard and the FAA directed the PIO, O/o the Alitangani Jamuguri G.P. to furnish the informations directly to the appellant within 7 (seven) days. The PIO, O/o the Alitangani Jamuguri G.P., on 31.11.2021 informed the appellant that information related to query No. 1 is available on the official website. Regarding query No. 2 it was stated that the information cannot be given. Regarding query No. 3 it was stated that the reply was same as the reply to query No. 1.
4. During today's hearing the appellant said that the specific information he had sought under query No. 1 was not available in the website as claimed by the PIO. Since the PIO is absent in today's hearing, this claim of the appellant could not be verified. His query No. 2 was about a document related to a community cremation ground. The PIO in his written reply stated that his office cannot provide documents related to land which is in custody of another department i.e. revenue. **But the 2nd part of the query No. 2 is related to any scheme implemented in the said cremation ground; this part of the information should be given within 7 (seven) days.**
5. **In view of the claim of the appellant Shri Ipran Ali that the informations he had sought under query No. 1 were not available in the official website, hence the PIO, O/o the Alitangani Jamuguri G.P. is directed to facilitate location of the information in the website by inviting the appellant to his office on any working day within 7 (seven) days from the date of receipt of this order. If the information sought are not available in the website, then the PIO shall arrange to furnish the information from other**

records which the G.P. has in its possession. The same shall be furnished within 15 (fifteen) days from the date of receipt of this order, free of cost.

6. With the above order, this 2nd Appeal is hereby disposed of.

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

Authenticated true copy.

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Secretary & Registrar
Assam Information Commission

Memo No. SIC/NGN.36/2021

Dated: 01-04-2022

Copy to:

1. The SPIO, O/o the Secretary, Alitangani Jamuguri G.P., Nagaon, Vill. Jamuguri, P.O. Alitangani, PIN Code 782122, Assam, for information and necessary action.
2. First Appellate Authority/ O/o the BDO, Juria Development Block, Nagaon, Assam, PIN Code 782124, for information.
3. The petitioner, Shri Ipran Ali, S/o. Md. Saif Uddin Pathan, Vill. Jamuguri, P.O. Alitangani, Distt. Nagaon, PIN 782124, Assam, for information.
4. Computer section for uploading in the website.
5. Office File.
6. Order Book.

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Assam Information Commission.