GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS AND TRAINING DEPARTMENT DISPUR:: GUWAHATI-6

File No.AR.76/2005/34

Dated Dispur, the 3rd October, 2005

NOTIFICATION

The Governor of Assam is pleased to constitute a committee as per Section 15(3) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 for recommendation of the names of the State Chief Information Commissioner and State Information Commissioners to be appointed by the Governor for the purpose of exercising the powers conferred under the Right to Information Act, 2005 enacted by the Government of India to provide for setting out a practical regime of Right to Information for citizens to secure access to information under the control of public authorities, in order to promote transparency and accountability in the working of every public authority and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto with following Members.

1. Shri Tarun Gogoi, Chief Minister, Assam : Chairperson

2. Shri Brindaban Goswami, Leader of Single Largest Group

in Opposition in Assam

Legislative Assembly : Member

Explanation
Under Section
15(3)

For the purposes of removal of doubts, it is hereby declared that where the Leader of Opposition in the Legislative Assembly has not been recognized as such, the Leader of the single largest group in opposition of the Government in the Legislative Assembly shall be deemed to be the Leader of Opposition.

The Committee will device its own procedure for selection of names and will recommend the names of suitable persons to be appointed as State Chief Information Commissioner and State Information Commissioners with qualifications as stated under section 15(5) and 15(6) of the Right to Information Act, 2005.

This will come into force with immediate effect.

Sd/
Principal Secretary
Administrative Reforms and Training Department

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- 1. The Commissioner & Secretary to the Chief Minister's Secretariat, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for kind information of the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Assam.
- 2. P. S. to Minister Health & F.W. etc. Deptts. For in kind formation of the Hon'ble Minister.
- 3. Shri Brindaban Goswami, Hon'ble Member, Assam Legislative Assembly, Dispur for information as Leader of the Single Largest Group in Opposition.
- 4. The Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of Assam for kind information of the Governor.
- 5. The Commissioner & Secretary and Coordinator to the Chief Secretary, Assam for kind information of the Chief Secretary, Assam.
- 6. The Accountant General, Assam, Beltola, Guwahati-28.
- 7. All Additional Chief Secretaries/All Principal Secretaries/All Commissioner & Secretaries/All Secretaries to the Govt. of Assam for information.
- 8. The Chairman, Revenue Board, Assam, Guwahati.
- 9. The Chairman, Assam Administrative Tribunal, Assam, Guwahati.
- 10. All P.S. To Ministers/Ministers of State, Dispur, Guwahati.
- 11. The Secretary, Assam Legislative Assembly, Dispur.
- 12. All Secretariat Departments.
- 13. All Heads of Departments, Assam.
- 14. All Deputy Commissioners/Sub-Divisional Officers, Assam.
- 15. The Superintendent, Assam Government Press, Bamunimaidam, Guwahati-21 for publication of this notification in the next issue of the Assam Gazette.

Under Secretary to the Govt. of Assam Administrative Reforms and Training Department