



GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
PANCHAYAT & RURAL DEVELOPMENT(B) DEPARTMENT
JANATA BHAWAN :: DISPUR :: 781006

No.E-222889/DFA/890712

Dated Dispur, 16-10-2024

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF ASSAM
NOTIFICATION

Whereas, a Departmental Proceeding was drawn up against Shri Gopal Krishna Das, Assistant Engineer, Tihu Development Block, Nalbari based on a report received from Commissioner, Panchayat & Rural Development, Assam, by issuing a Show Cause Notice vide No.PRD-12/229/2022-PRD(B)/DFA dated 22/10/2022 under Rule 9 of Assam Services (Discipline & Appeal) Rules, 1964, read with Article 311 of the Constitution of India, on account of alleged violation of various provisions of MGNREGA by preparing and submitting material Bills without maintaining Stock register and site Account, without any Supply Order and also without having materials supplied to the site of various schemes under Pakabetbari Development Block, Barpeta, while he was serving as a Junior Engineer at Pakabetbari Development Block, Barpeta ; and

Whereas, Shri Gopal Krishna Das, Assistant Engineer submitted his written statement in defence vide letter dated 21/11/2022 where he has denied the charges and allegations leveled against him; and

Whereas, the Disciplinary Authority not satisfied with the written statement in defence submitted by Shri Gopal Krishna Das, Assistant Engineer, Tihu Development Block, Nalbari in response to the Show Cause Notification No.PRD-12/229/2022-PRD(B)/DFA dated 22/10/2022, considered to get the charges further inquired into and an Inquiry Authority was appointed vide Notification No.PRD-12/229/2022-PRD(B)/DFA/142565, dated 18/02/2023; and

Whereas, the Inquiry Authority submitted an Inquiry Report before the Disciplinary Authority on 07/12/2023 stating that, the charges of criminal breach of trust, negligence of official duties, insubordination and misappropriation of Govt. fund and violation of Rule 3 of the Assam Civil Service (Conduct) Rule, 1965 leveled against the Delinquent Officer are **not proved**; and

Whereas, after careful consideration of the Inquiry Report and all other aspects having regard to the circumstances appearing in the Departmental Proceeding, the Disciplinary Authority has decided to exonerate the Delinquent Officer from all the charges, as per provision of the Assam Services (Discipline & Appeal) Rules, 1964; and

Now, therefore, the Disciplinary Authority is pleased to order to exonerate Shri Gopal Krishna Das, Assistant Engineer from all the charges, as per provision of the Assam Services (Discipline & Appeal) Rules, 1964.

The Disciplinary Proceeding drawn against Shri Gopal Krishna Das, Assistant Engineer is hereby disposed off.

Signed by

John Berchmans Ekka

Date: 16-10-2024 11:42:32

Additional Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,
Panchayat & Rural Development Department.

Memo No.E-222889/DFA/890712-A

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Copy for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Accountant General (A&E), Assam, Maidamgaon, Beltola, Guwahati - 29.
2. The Commissioner, Panchayat & Rural Development, Assam, Panjabari, Guwahati.
3. The District Commissioner, Nalbari.
4. The Chief Executive Officer, Nalbari.
5. The Block Development Officer, Tihu Development Block, Nalbari.
6. P.S to the hon'ble Minister, Panchayat & rural Development etc. for kind information of Hon'ble

Minister.

7. Shri Gopal Krishna Das, Assistant Engineer, Tihu Development Block, Nalbari.
8. Departmental website.

By order etc.,

Signed by

Prasanna Das
Secretary, Govt. of Assam,
Panchayat & Rural Development Department
Date: 16-10-2024 16:18:59