



GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
PANCHAYAT AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (B) DEPARTMENT
DISPUR : : GUWAHATI-6

ECF No.PRD-279244-PRD(B)/735640

Dated Dispur, 15-07-2024

ORDER

Whereas, while Shri Makarsing Narzary was serving as BDO at Sarukhetri Dev Block, Barpeta, gross anomalies were found in execution of the schemes under MGNREGA scheme under 18 No. Madhya Paschim Sarukhetri Gaon Panchayat in the year 2021-22; and

Whereas, a preliminary enquiry report submitted by the DC, Barpeta to CMO prima-facie revealed and established that huge anomalies were found in 2(two) no. of schemes namely-

1. Construction of Fishery Tank at Bhakuatepa Gaon Unnayan Samittee's own land.
2. Construction of new Fishery Tank providing drinking water to cow at Bhakuatepa Go-Reserve.

Whereas, a Show Cause Notice was issued to Shri Makarsing Narzary vide No.279244/DFA/172271 dated 21-03-2023 and he was asked to submit his written statement of defence and accordingly, Shri Makarsing Narzary had submitted his statement of defence vide No.HDBK-78/MIS/2022-23/973 dated 11-04-2023 where he stated that he was willing to appear in person to provide further testimony and evidence as required; and

Whereas, an Inquiry Officer and Presenting Officer was appointed vide ECF No.279244/DFA/229952 dated 20-06-2023 and ECF No.279244/DFA/382337 Dated Dispur 02-11-2023 to look into the charges thoroughly and accordingly the Inquiry Officer submitted the Enquiry Report vide Letter dated 21-12-2023; and

Whereas, as per Enquiry Report, it has been recommended by the Inquiry Officer that a disciplinary action may be initiated against Shri Makarsing Narzary by imposing penalty for gross negligence in assigned official duties, violation of MGNREGA guideline and misappropriation of Govt money thereby violating Rule 3(1) and (2) of Assam Civil Service (Conduct) Rules, 1965 and punishable as per provisions of Rule 7(ii) and (iii) of Assam Services (Discipline and Appeal) Rules, 1964; and

Whereas, the Enquiry Report was communicated to Shri Makarsing Narzary for perusal and submission of comment/objection if any vide ECF No.279244/DFA/454526 Dated Dispur, 01-01-2024 and accordingly Shri Makarsing Narzary had submitted his written statement in defense vide No.HDBK-78/MIS/2022-23/2387 dated 28-02-2024 stating that he had implemented the schemes with utmost dedications and completed the schemes; and

Whereas, based on the Enquiry Report, it has been found that there are discrepancies in implementation of the schemes and therefore the Government decided to impose a penalty of withholding 2 (two) increments with cumulative effect in respect of Sri Makarsing Narzary, the then BDO, Sarukhetri Dev. Block, Barpeta, as per provision of Rule 7(ii) of the Assam Services (Discipline & Appeal) Rules, 1964; and

Whereas, as per provisions of the Assam Services (Disciplinary & Appeal) Rules, 1964, the file was moved to APSC, Assam for views regarding decision of the Department to imposition of penalty of withholding 2 (two) increments with cumulative effect as per provision of Rule 7(ii) of the Assam Services (Discipline & Appeal) Rules, 1964 and the Commission agreed to the decision of the Government; and

In view of the above, the Governor of Assam is pleased to dispose of the Departmental Proceeding drawn against Shri Makarsing Narzary, BDO, Gobardhana Dev Block and the then BDO, Sarukhetri Dev. Block, Barpeta by imposing a penalty of withholding 2(two) increments with cumulative effect as per provision of Rule 7(ii) of the Assam Services (Discipline & Appeal) Rules, 1964.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Assam

Signed by

J B Ekka

Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam

Panchayat and Rural Development Department

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1. The Accountant General (A&E), Assam, Maidamgaon, Beltola, Guwahati – 29.
2. The Principal Secretary, BTC, Kokrajhar.
3. The Commissioner, Panchayat and Rural Development, Assam, Juripar, Panjabari, Guwahati – 37.
4. The District Commissioner Barpeta / Baksa.
5. The Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, Barpeta.
6. The PD, DRDA, Baksa.
7. The Block Development Officer Sarukhetri Dev Block, Barpeta / Gobardhana Dev Block, Baksa.
8. The Treasury Officer
9. PS to the Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Panchayat and Rural Development Department.
10. P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister, P&RD, Assam for kind appraisal of Hon'ble Minister
11. Shri Makarsing Narzary, BDO, Gobardhana Dev Block, Baksa for information.
12. Departmental Website.

By order etc.,

Signed by

Dy. Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,

Panchayat and Rural Development Department

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