

GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
PANCHAYAT & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (B) DEPARTMENT
DISPUR ::: GUWAHATI – 6

ORDER

Dated Dispur, the 22nd February, 2021

No.PRD-12/518/2017-PRD(B)/60 : Whereas, as per report of Project Director, DRDA, Baksa vide DRD/BAKSA/Estt-5/2006-07/pt-I/483, dated 20/08/2013, Shri Hemanta Kr. Sarma, the then Junior Engineer, Tihu-Barama Dev. Block, Baksa was placed under suspension vide Notification No.PDB.202/2013/5 dated 19/10/2013 for arrest and under Judicial Custody for more than 48 hrs in connection with Barama P.S. Case No. 46/2013 U/S 409/419/420/468/34 IPC.

Whereas, the Departmental Review Committee held on 29/05/2014 reviewed the suspension case of Shri Hemanta Kr. Sarma, the then Junior Engineer, Tihu-Barama Dev. Block, Baksa and on the basis of the statement of Project Director, DRDA, Baksa, the Review Committee decided to re-instate him in service and accordingly, he was re-instated vide order No.PDB.307/2013/28 dated 17/07/2014.

Whereas, draft charges, statement of allegations etc. were called from the Deputy Commissioner, Baksa vide letter No.PDB.307/2013/16 dated 05/05/2014 and reminders issued on 01/11/2014 and 10/02/2015. In response to the request, Additional Deputy Commissioner, Baksa had stated that the subject is transferred to BTC, Kokrajhar. Accordingly, the principal Secretary, BTC, Kokrajhar was again requested to submit the draft charges, statement of allegation etc. against the concerned Charged officer. But the same was not received till date. On being issuance reminders Secretary, BTC has submitted a report of Superintendent of Police, Baksa, wherein, it is reported that after completion of investigation the case was return in FR vide No 25/2018 dated 18/04/2018 as the case could not be substantiated under section 409/419/420/468/34 IPC against the accused persons due to insufficient evidence against them.

Whereas, Deputy Commissioner, Baksa has been requested again to furnish detailed report regarding the present status of the above mentioned case vide letter No. PRD-12/158/2017-PRD(B)/52 dated 26/11/2020. Accordingly, Deputy Commissioner, Baksa has informed that there is no sufficient evidence against the accused persons as reported by the Project Director, DRDA, Baksa vide No. DRD/Baksa/Misc/08/2017-18/2130 dated 16/01/2021 and by the Superintendent of Police, Baksa vide No. BSA/Crime/MISC/2021/188 dated 12/01/2021.

Hence, the Disciplinary Authority, i.e. the Governor of Assam is pleased to order that the Delinquent Officer viz Shri Hemanta Kr. Sarma, Junior Engineer be exonerated from the charges levelled against him in the event of the charges being not proved against him.

Accordingly, Shri Hemanta Kr. Sarma, Junior Engineer is exonerated from the charges levelled against him and the Departmental Proceeding is dropped.

The period of suspension shall be treated as a period spent on duty for all purpose.

By order and in the name of Governor of Assam

Sd/-

(Dr. J.B. Ekka, IAS)

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

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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 and Rural Development, Assam, Panjabari, Juripar, Guwahati – 37.
3. The Principal Secretary, BTC, Kokrajhar for information.
4. The Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup/Baksa.
5. The Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, kamrup.
6. The Project Director, DRDA, Kamrup/Baksa.
7. The Block Development Officer, Kamalpur Development Block, Kamrup.
8. The Treasury Officer, Baihata chariali Sub-treasury, Kamrup.
9. PS to Hon'ble Minister, Panchayat & Rural Development, Assam.
10. PS to Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Panchayat & Rural Development Department, Dispur for appraisal of Principal Secretary.
11. Shri Hemanta Kr. Sarma, Junior Engineer, Kamalpur Dev. Block, Kamrup.
12. Office copy/website.

By order etc.,


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