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Shri Mohabbat Pal, (78889 08612)
S/o Shri Braham Singh,
Village Mahibazpur, Tehsil Nawashahr,
Distt S.B.S Nagar.

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer,
Block Banga, District Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar.

First Appellate Authority,
O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer,
Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 5046 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

PRESENT: None on behalf of the Appellant.

Shri Lakhwinder Singh, Superintendent (81466 76710) on behalf of the Respondents

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 19.07.2022 vide which the Appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) on 22.08.2022 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 27.10.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 08.05.2023.
2. The Respondent states that information relating to point no. 1 of the RTI application of the appellant has been supplied to him and point no. 2 is not available in the official records.
3. The Appellant is advised to send deficiencies, if any, in writing to the PIO. The PIO is also directed to remove the deficiencies, if any, received from the appellant and supply rectified information, under intimation to the Commission, before the next date of hearing. In case information as sought by the appellant is not available in the official records, then PIO is directed to file an Undertaking in this regard and produce the same before the Bench, on the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against the PIO as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.
4. LAST OPPORTUNITY is given to the appellant to follow up his case in the Commission, failing which decision shall be taken in his absence.
5. The District Development and Panchayat Officer, Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar is also directed to ensure compliance of the order from the concerned PIO, before the next date of hearing.
6. The matter is adjourned. To come up for hearing on **27.06.2023 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 158 188 4645**. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
08.05.2023

Sd/-
(Maninder Singh Patti)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab