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Appellant

**Sh. JaswantSarpal (9465477771)**

S/o Sh. Darbari Lal Sarpal,  
H. No. 22220/2 Arian Street,  
I/s Mahan Singh Gate,  
Amritsar.

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o The Commissioner, MC,  
Amritsar.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o The Commissioner, MC,  
Amritsar.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1074 of 2022**

**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:**

Appellant: Sh. Jaswant Sarpal at PSIC office.

Respondent: Sh. Daljeet Singh, Secretary (98762-03344), Sh. Pardeep Kumar, Superintendent (9814014044) –Property Tax Branch and Sh. Manish Arora (Building Inspector-cum-APIO)-MTP Branch (9815689864) at PSIC office.

**ORDER**

1. This case may be read to the reference to the previous order dated 17.05.2023.
2. In today's hearing, the appellant states that irrelevant and misleading information has been supplied to him. He adds that he has sent his reply to the undersigned through email dated 20.01.2023, which is received and taken on record.
3. On this, the Superintendent, Sh. Pardeep Kumar states that the information has been supplied to the appellant. He submits a list of PIOs vide letter no. 1159 dated 29.05.2023 along with supporting documents as per the directions of the Commission on hearing held on 17.05.2023. This list of PIOs is taken on record.
4. After having detailed discussion with both the parties and examining the case file, it is observed that information in connection with point no. 1, 3 and 5 relates with Property Tax Branch and information in connection with point no. 2 and 4 relates with MTP branch.

Accordingly, respondent, Sh. Pardeep and Sh. Daljeet Singh are directed to supply an affidavit in original to the appellant in connection with point no. 1 along with information/reply in connection with point no. 3 and 5 as per RTI application to the appellant with a copy to the Commission within seven days after receipt of this order.

Respondent, Sh. Manish Arora requests for an adjournment as he recently joined office, which is granted and he is directed to supply information/reply in connection with point no. 2 and 4 as per RTI application to the appellant within seven days after receipt of this order.

5. A copy of this order be sent to Sh. Pardeep Kumar, Sh. Daljeet Singh and Sh. Manish Arora by names for their ready reference.
6. Appellant is advised to point out deficiency, if any, once he had received information and affidavit from the respondent PIOs, in writing to the respondent PIO with a copy to the Commission, within 7 days, failing which it will be presumed that he has nothing to say in this regard and case will be decided on merits.
7. Both the parties are directed to appear in the Commission, in person on the next date of hearing for clarifying the facts of this case, failing which necessary action will be taken.
8. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. Both the parties are directed to come up on **05.07.2023 at 11:00 A.M. at Punjab State Information Commission, Sector 16, Chandigarh**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

**Date: 31.05.2023**

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**

<b>(Regd. Post)</b>	<b>Sh. Pardeep Kumar (Superintendent)</b> O/o The Commissioner, MC, Property Tax Branch Amritsar.
<b>(Regd. Post)</b>	<b>Sh. Daljeet Singh (Secretary)</b> O/o The Commissioner, MC, Property Tax Branch Amritsar.
<b>(Regd. Post)</b>	<b>Sh. Manish Arora (Building Inspector)</b> O/o The Commissioner, MC, MTP Branch Amritsar