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Shri Yogesh Parshad, S/o Shri Kursi Lal Sharma,
H.No. 19 W No.27, Deewana Mohala, Malerkotla,
RTI Application No.38274.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o PUDA,
Mohali.

First Appellate Authority
O/o PUDA,
Mohali.

....Respondents

AC No. 1217 of 2023

Present: i) Appellant – Absent
ii) Shri Raj Kumar Bansal, ADO-cum-PIO O/o PUDA Mohali and Shri Sumit Kumar,
Senior Assistant O/o GLADA Ludhiana for the Respondent - through cisco-webex

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 30.10.2022 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 12.12.2022 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 07.02.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. The case has been heard today. As per PIO O/o PUDA, since the information relates to the office of GLADA Ludhiana they have transferred the RTI application to them under section 6(3) of the RTI Act. As per respondent O/o GLADA Ludhiana, the information sought is not specific and vague.
3. The appellant is absent nor is represented.
4. Having gone through the RTI application, the Commission observes that the reply of the PIO is incorrect as the appellant wants information relating to illegal colonies, illegal constructions and illegal buildings in the jurisdiction of GLADA. Hence the PIO is directed to call the appellant to his office on any working day and allow him access to the official records. After inspection of records by the appellant, the information as is identified by the appellant be provided to him before the next hearing. The PIO is directed to ensure that official records related to RTI application of the appellant are presented for examination and documents as identified are given duly attested by the PIO. The PIO is also directed to come present in person before the Bench to attend the next hearing.
6. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 28.06.2023 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's Office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

Chandigarh
03.05.2023

Sd/-
(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma (Retd))
State Information Commissioner, Punjab