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PSiC Use Information Control

Shri Vikram Vaid (RTI Activist and Whistle Blower), H.No. 1527, Gali No.2, Bagh Rama Nand, Amritsar.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar.

....Respondents

		AC No. 1260 of 2023
Present:	i)	Shri Vikram Vaid - Appellant - in person
	ii)	None for the Respondent

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 22.06.2022 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 10.08.2022 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 08.02.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. The case has been heard today. As per appellant, the PIO has denied the information vide letter dated 29.07.2022 stating that the information is not available in the official records.

3. The respondent is absent nor is represented. Having gone through the RTI application, the Commission observes that the appellant has asked for that what action has been taken on the instructions of the Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar issued to his internal staff vide official note dated 09.07.2014 for upkeeping of the internal files/records in a systematic way which is an office order and as per PIO no document exist relating to follow up action on this letter. The Bench observes that the RTI application has been sufficiently replied to and no further interference of the Commission is needed.

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The case is **disposed off and closed.** Copies of order be sent to both the parties.

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

Chandigarh 03.05.2023