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Shri Kuldip Singh Walia, Sushma Joynest, Moh.1 Airport Road, Chhatt, Zirakpur, District Mohali.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Chairman-cum-Managing Director, PSPCL, Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Chairman-cum-Managing Director, PSPCL. Patiala.

....Respondents

AC No. 1294 of 2022

Present: (i) Appellant- absent.

(ii) Shri Harpreet Singh Oberoi, Addl.S.E., PSPCL Division, Zirakpur,

District Mohali, on behalf of the PIO/ respondent- in person.

ORDER

(Heard in person/on mobile phone)

- 1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 06.07.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
- 2. The case has been heard today. Shri Kuldip Singh Walia, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench or through cisco webex. However, he has sent an e.mail that he is unable to attend the hearing and will be available on audio/video conference through Whatsapp and the PIO has not supplied him required information.
- 3. Shir Harpreet Singh Oberoi, Addl. S.E., PSPCL Divisoin, Zirakpur, District Mohali, comes present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench and states that the information has been sent to the appellant on 29.09.2022 by registered post and produces copy of the same before the Bench.
- 4. The appellant is contacted on mobile phone and is made to talk to Shri H.S. Oberoi who explains to him the details of information supplied. The appellant, however, does not state as to whether he has received this information or not, rather he talks about another appeal case in which he has sought copy of a franchise agreement executed by PSPCL with a company. The appellant keeps insisting that he

still has not got copy of the franchise agreement executed by PSPCL and does not seem to be interested in discussing the Appeal Case No.1294/2022.

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- 5. The Bench, on perusal of the information supplied, is convinced that adequate information stands supplied to the appellant. However, the Bench deems it appropriate to direct the PIO Operation Circle, PSPCL, Mohali to file an affidavit on e-Stamp paper, within 21 (twenty one) days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that the information as available in the official records in AC No.1294/2022 has been supplied to the appellant. It be further stated that nothing has been concealed therein and the statement made is true and correct. Original affidavit be sent to the appellant and copy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.
- 6. With the aforesaid directions, the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed. Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties. Copy of the letter dated 29.09.2022 be sent along with the order.

Encl: Letter dated 29.09.2022.

Chandigarh 04.10.2022

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