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Shri Ajay Kumar Mehta/Ajay Nand,
S/o Late Shri Nand Kishore, East Mohan Nagar,
C-118, Chamrang Road, Amritsar.



.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Municipal Corporation,
Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Municipal Corporation,
Amritsar.

....Respondents

AC No. 1425 of 2023

Present: i) Appellant – Absent
ii) Shri Brahmjot Singh, Clerk (O&M Branch) O/o MC Amritsar for the Respondent – in person

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 22.08.2022 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 06.10.2022 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 17.02.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. The case has been heard today. The appellant is absent. The appellant is contacted on his mobile and he states that he has not been provided any information so far.
3. As per respondent, since the enquiry on the issues relating to points 1, 6 & 7 is pending with Chief Vigilance Officer O/o Local Govt. Pb Chandigarh and enquiry on the issue(MB Book) relating to point-9 is pending with MC Amritsar, the information cannot be provided. Further information relating to other points is voluminous and the appellant has been asked to inspect the record by visiting the office of PIO on any working day and get the relevant record. The reply has been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 16.05.2023.
4. Post deliberations, the PIO is now 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 duly attested by the PIO before the next hearing.
5. The appellant is advised to contact Sh.Brahmjot Singh, Clerk(O&M Branch) OIO MC Amritsar prior to visiting for inspection of records. 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 12.07.2023 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's Office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

Sd/-

**Chandigarh
17.05.2023**

**(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma (Retd))
State Information Commissioner**