

**PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION
RED CROSS BUILDING, NEAR ROSE GARDEN,
SECTOR 16, CHANDIGARH.**

Ph: 0172-2864116, Email: - psic26@punjabmail.gov.in

Visit us: - www.infocommpunjab.com

Helpline No.0172-2864100(From 10.00 AM to 04.00 PM on working days)

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. 1426 of 2023

Present: i) Appellant – Absent
ii) Dr. Rama, AMOH and Shri Sunny Jarial, Clerk (O&M Branch) O/o MC Amritsar for the PIO – 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, the information sought by the appellant is personal information of officials of the department, it cannot be provided under section 8(1)(j) of the RTI Act and reply to this effect has been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 16.05.2023 with a copy to the Commission.
4. Having gone through the RTI application and copy of reply of the PIO, the Bench upholds the view of PIO since there is nothing on record which shows that the appellant has been able to establish a larger public interest for disclosure of the said information. A copy of reply received from the PIO be enclosed along with this order.
5. Since the RTI application has been adequately replied to, no further cause of action is left. The case is **disposed off and closed**. Copies of order be sent to both concerned parties.

**Chandigarh
17.05.2023**

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