

## PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

Red Cross Building, Near Rose Garden, Sector 16, Chandigarh.

Ph: 0172-2864113, Helpline No. 0172-2864100

Email: -[psic22@punjabmail.gov.in](mailto:psic22@punjabmail.gov.in)

Visit us: -[www.infocommpunjab.com](http://www.infocommpunjab.com)



**Sh. Kamal Kishore Arora (Advocate) 98140-55273**

E-407, Ranjit Avenue, Amritsar (143001)

Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**

O/o Bar Council of Punjab and Haryana High Court,  
Chandigarh.

**First Appellate Authority,**

O/o Bar Council of Punjab and Haryana High Court,  
Chandigarh.

Respondent

**Appeal Case No.: 1775 of 2021**

**Through CISCO WEBEX**

**Present:** Appellant: Advocate Himanshu on behalf of the appellant.

Respondent: Absent.

### **ORDER:**

1. This order may be read with reference to the previous order dated 20.09.2022 and matter was adjourned for 30.11.2022, which was postponed and fixed for today i.e. 14.03.2023.
2. In today's hearing, representative of the appellant states that information is still pending from the respondent PIO.
3. Respondent PIO is not present for today's hearing but a reply dated 01.12.2022 along with copy of order passed in CWP 19682 of 2006 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> of January 2008 by the Hon'ble High Court is received in the Commission vide diary no. 27794 dated 02.12.2022 stating therein that appeal filed by the appellant is not within the jurisdiction of the State Information Commission. This email is taken on record.
4. After hearing the representative of the appellant and examining the documents placed on record, it is observed that present case does not fall in the ambit of Punjab State Information Commission as per order passed by the Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court in CWP 19682 of 2006. Accordingly, appellant can file a fresh RTI application to the Central Information Commission in this regard. Therefore, no action is required at Commission's end. Hence, this instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed**. Copies of order be sent to the parties.

**Date: 14.03.2023**

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)**  
**State Information Commissioner**  
**Punjab**