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Shri Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia,
(RTI Activist),
Ward No.18, Street No.2,
Kartar Nagar, Amloh Road,
Khanna, District Ludhiana-141401.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Secretary,
Deptt. Of Local Govt., Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector-35,
Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secretary,
Department of Local Govt., Punjab,
Municipal Bhawan, Sector-35,
Chandigarh.

....Respondents

AC No. 3319 of 2021

Present:

- (i) Shri Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia, Appellant- in person.
- (ii) Shri Jasbir Singh, Supdt./PIO and Sumit Kumar, Senior Assistant, Local Govt.-3 Branch, Local Govt. Deptt., Punjab, Chandigarh - in person.
- (iii) Smt. Paramjit Kaur, Supdt./PIO and Sh.Gagandeep Singh, Sr. Assistant Local Govt.-4 Branch- in person.

ORDER:

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 27.09.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. The appellant Shri Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia comes present in person before the Bench and states that he has not received information so far.
3. Shri Jasbir Singh, Superintendent and Shri Sumit Kumar, Senior Assistant, Local Govt.-3 Branch, O/o Principal Secretary, Local Govt., Punjab, Chandigarh come present in person before the Bench. Shri Sumit Kumar states that letter dated 13.12.2019 has not been found diarised in the diary register of the Branch and that inspection in this regard was also done by the appellant. He also brings along the relevant diary register.

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4. Smt. Paramjit Kaur, Superintendent and Shri Gagandeep Singh, Senior Assistant, Local Govt.-4 Branch, O/o Principal Secretary, Local Govt., Punjab, Chandigarh come present in person before the Bench. Shri Gagandeep Singh states that letter dated 13.12.2019 has not been found diarised in the diary register of the Branch and that inspection in this regard was also done by the appellant. He also brings along the relevant diary register.

4. Post deliberations, the Bench directs the PIOs of Local Governemnt-3 and Local Governemnt-4 Branch of the Local Government Department to file affidavits separately on e-stamp paper within 21 (Twenty one) days, duly signed by the PIO and attested by the Notary Public to the effect that representation of appellant No.8021 dated 13.12.2019 has not been found diarised in the diary register of Branch and inspection of relevant diary register was also allowed 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.

5. With the aforesaid directions, **the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh
01.11.2022**

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