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Shri Gaurav Singla, S/o Sh Tarsem Chand, Main Road, Kaichia Ward NO-1, R/o Bareta, Distt Mansa.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Managing Director, PSPCL, Patiala.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Managing Director, PSPCL, Patiala.

....Respondents

AC No. 2033 of 2023

Present: i) Shri Gaurav Singla - Appellant - through cisco-webex

ii) Shri Jagwant Singh, Addl.SDO-Sub-Division Bareta for the PIO - in person

ORDER:

- 1. The RTI application is dated 20.12.2022 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 31.01.2023 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 24.03.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
- 2. The case has been heard today. As per respondent, the reply has been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 09.02.2023 through registered post.
- 3. As per appellant, the information is incomplete.
- 4. Post deliberations, the PIO is directed to call the appellant to his office 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.
- 5. The appellant is advised to contact <u>Sh.Jagwant Singh</u>, <u>Addl.SDO</u>, <u>Sub Division Bareta-Mobile No. 9646115577</u> 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 directed to come present in person before the Bench to attend the next hearing. The appellant is also directed to come present in person before the Bench to attend the next hearing failing which the Bench may be constrained to decide the case based on the documents available on file.
- 6. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. To come up for hearing on 24.07.2023 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's Office at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

Chandigarh 05.06.2023

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