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Shri Amarjit Singh Dhamotia,  
Whistle Blower, NCAG Office,  
Street No.5, # 1331-5,  
Vishawkarma Bhawan,  
Down Canal Road, Shimlapuri,  
Ludhiana-141003.

....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o Principal Secretary,  
Local Bodies, Punjab,  
Chandigarh.

**Public Information Officer**

Municipal Services Cell,  
O/o Director, Local Govt., Punjab,  
Punjab Municipal Bhawan,  
Sector-35, Chandigarh.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Principal Secretary,  
Local Bodies, Punjab,  
Chandigarh.

....Respondents

**AC No.2218 of 2022**

**Present:**

- (i) Appellant- absent.
- (ii) Shri Kulwinder Singh, Superintendent and Shri Naveen Kumar, Draftsman, Municipal Services Cell, O/o Director, Local Govt., Punjab, Chandigarh-in person.
- (iii) Shri Rajiv Saggar, Superintendent and Shri Navdeep Sharma, Vigilance Officer, O/o Director, Local Govt., Punjab, Chandigarh in person.

**ORDER:**

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 19.10.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
2. The case has been heard today. Shri Amarjit Singh Dhamotia, appellant has not come present in person before the Bench nor through cisco webex nor any intimation has been received from him in this regard. The Bench observes that the appellant has absented himself for the third consecutive hearing.
3. Shri Kulwinder Singh, Supdt., Municipal Services Cell O/o Director Local Government, Punjab, Chandigarh comes present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench. He states that the information on Point No.4 has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 27.01.2022 and 15.02.2022. He further states that regarding remaining points, the RTI application was transferred vide letter dated 11.02.2022 to PIO O/o Chief Vigilance Officer in the Directorate of Local Govt., Punjab.

4. Shri Rajiv Saggar, Superintendent and Shri Navdeep Sharma, Vigilance Officer come present in person before the Bench. Shri Rajiv Saggar states that regarding remaining points, enquiry is being got conducted by the office of Chief Vigilance Officer and as such, the information cannot be provided to the appellant under Section 8(1)(h) of RTI Act, till the enquiry report is finalized. This has also been conveyed to the appellant.

5. After hearing the version of the respondents, the Bench is convinced that adequate information stands supplied to the appellant. As such, the Bench does not feel need for further intervention in the matter.

6. In view of the above, **the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh  
09.11.2022**

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

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O/o Director, Local Govt. Punjab, Chandigarh.**
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O/o Director, Local Govt., Punjab, Chandigarh.**