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Shri Rashpal Chand, (94632 93914)

S/o Shri Gurdas Ram, Village Hussainpur, Post Office Kalyanpur, District Jalandhar.

...Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**,

O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Block Jalandhar East, District Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer, Jalandhar.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 5219 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

**PRESENT:** Shri Rashpal Chand, Appellant.

Shri Jagmohan Singh, Superintendent on behalf of the PIO (81468 35786)

## **ORDER:**

- 1. The RTI application is dated 06.06.2022 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 13.08.2022 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 02.11.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.05.2023.
- 2. The Appellant states that incomplete information has been provided to him.
- 3. The Respondent states that available information has already been supplied to the appellant and record of Gram Panchayat Village Hussainpur from dated 31.03.2013 to 31.03.2018 is not available in the official records.
- 4. After deliberation, the PIO is directed to provide the remaining information to the appellant. If information, as sought by the appellant, is not available in the official record, then the PIO should initiate an inquiry or police complaint against the erring officer, who is responsible for the missing official records, failing which strict action, will be initiated against the PIO as per the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.
- 5. The matter is adjourned to 27.06.2023 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 158 188 4645. Both the parties are directed to come to attend the hearing accordingly. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Maninder Singh Patti)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab

Chandigarh 22.05.2023