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Sh. Manjinder Singh (9872015069)

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Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,
Faridkot.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority,
Faridkot.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 2519 of 2023
(Hearing at Commission)

Present: Appellant: Sh. Manjinder Singh.

Respondent: Respondent: Sh. Sanjiv Kumar, SA & Sh. Sukhjinder Singh, SA, RTA,
Faridkot

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 1.11.2022 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 12.12.2022. The second appeal was filed in the Commission on 7.2.2023 Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and the hearing was fixed for 13.9.2023 at 11.00 a.m., which was preponed to 24.7.2023 at the office of PSIC at Chandigarh.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are present.
3. The appellant states that sufficient time has elapsed but the sought for information is still awaited. He further requests that suitable directions be given to the respondent so that he may be able to get the information.
4. The respondents state that nowadays Sarthi 4.0 is in practise. The Sarthi 2.0 was in practise in the year 2017; therefore, the information belongs to the year 2017. The sought for information is with NIC. An email dated 13.07.2023 in this context has also been received from the respondent PIO, which is taken on record.
5. After hearing both the parties, the court directs the respondents to collect the information from NIC or write to it for supply of information to the appellant along with correspondence done with NIC in this regard under intimation to the Commission within ten days after receipt of this order.
6. Both the parties are advised to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing, failing to which, appropriate order in their absence shall be passed.
7. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. To come up for hearing on **04.09.2023 at 11.00 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the orders be sent to the concerned parties.

Dated: 24.07.2023

(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab