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Vikram Vaid,

H.No. 1527, St. No. 2, Bagh Rama Nand, Amritsar.

Versus

Public Information Officer, o/o Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar. First Appellate Authority, Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar.

Appeal Case No. 3066 of 2022 (Video Conference Proceedings)

PRESENT:

Vikram Vaid (Appellant) 98550-32897 Jashandeep Singh, PIO-cum-DRO (Respondent) 98880-48333

ORDER:

- 1. The RTI application is dated **8.11.2021** vide which the appellant has sought information regarding Letter No. 15558 Dated 29.3.2010 issued by Finance Commissioner, as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **1.1.2022** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **30.6.2022** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. Notice was issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on **21.10.2022**.
- 2. Both parties are present. The respondent PIO has requested some additional time to search out the relevant record, which has not been traceable since the tenure of the previous DRO. The Commission grants the respondent PIO-cum-DRO, 20 days from the date of receipt of this Order to search for the concerned record and provide a fresh, pointwise reply to the RTI application along with duly attested copies of the requested information.
- 3. In the event that the Letter No. 15558 dated 29.3.2010 and the related record is still not traceable, the PIO-cum-DRO, must submit the pointwise reply by way of a duly notarized affidavit.
- 4. <u>Next hearing on 25.11.2022 at 11.30 am via Video Conference Facility</u>. (The appellant will attend the hearing at DC Office, Amritsar and the respondent PIO will attend the hearing at DC Office, Jalandhar).

Sd/(ASIT JOLLY)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

Chandigarh 21.10.2022