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**Shri Rakesh Kumar, (896828893)**

S/o Shri Piara Singh,  
Village Akhwana, P.O Gho,  
Tehsil & Distt Pathankot.

...Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer, (BY NAME)**

O/o Tehsildar,  
Pathankot.

**First Appellate Authority, (BY NAME)**

O/o Sub Divisional Magistrate,  
Pathankot.

...Respondents

## **APPEAL CASE NO. 5458 OF 2022** **(Cisco Webex Proceedings)**

### **PRESENT:**

Shri Rakesh Kumar, Appellant.

Shri Deepak Singh, Tehsil Assistant for the Respondents (78370 02512)

### **ORDER:**

1. The RTI application is dated 28.06.2022 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 27.08.2022 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.11.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 31.05.2023.
2. The Appellant states that information sought has not been provided to him.
3. The Respondent verbally states that information as sought by the appellant is not available in the official records and the same has already been conveyed to him in writing.
4. After deliberations, the PIO is directed to provide the requisite information, if any. In case information as sought by the appellant is not available in the official records then the PIO is directed to file an Affidavit duly notarized by the Notary Public in this regard, sending original to the appellant, with a copy to the Bench for the record and should appear personally through Cisco Webex, on the next date of hearing, failing which strict action will be initiated against the PIO as per provisions of the RTI Act, 2005.
5. The matter is adjourned to **03.07.2023 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.

Chandigarh  
31.05.2023

Sd/-  
(Maninder Singh Patti)  
State Information Commissioner, Punjab