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Appellant

Sh. Rajinder Kumar (9646380671)

S/o Sh. Meher Chand, Ward No. 02, Supreme Enclave, Near Vishvkarma Bhawan, Link Road, Mansa.

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Executive Officer, Nagar Council, Mansa.

First Appellate Authority O/o ADC (UD), Mansa.

Dated: 05.07.2023

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3212 of 2022 Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: Appellant: Sh. Rajinder Kumar through webex.

Respondent: Sh. Vipin Kumar, Executive Officer, Mansa (9646609100) along with

Sh. Gian Chand, Clerk at PSIC office.

ORDER:

1. This case may be read with the reference to the previous order dated 22.03.2023 vide which the case was adjourned for 02.05.2023, which postponed and the hearing was fixed for today i.e. 05.07.2023.

- 2. In today's hearing, the appellant states that the information in connection with point number 02 was pending only. He adds that deficiency was pointed out in this regard vide letter dated 04.10.2022, which was received in the Commission vide diary no. 23912 dated 19.10.2022 and taken on record.
- 3. On this, EO, Sh. Vipin Kumar states that the information as available in their official record had already been supplied to the appellant. He further adds that a reply in this regard was also to the Commission vide letter no. 639 dated 23.02.2023, which was received by the undersigned bench and taken on record.
- 4. After having detailed discussion with both the parties and examining the case file, respondent PIO is directed to supply an affidavit in original in connection with point no. 2 to the appellant with a copy to the Commission within ten days after receipt of this order. Verbal statements given by the respondent PIO, Sh. Vipin Kumar are considered and the show cause notice which was issued to the PIO vide order dated 07.12.2022 is dropped, as there is no malafide intention of the respondent PIO.
- 5. With the aforesaid directions, this case is <u>disposed off and closed.</u> Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
State Information Commissioner
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