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Faridkot

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secy., Regional Transport Authority, Faridkot

Appeal Case No.: 3387 of 2022

Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present: (i) Appellant: Sh. Manjinder Singh

(ii) Respondent: Absent

ORDER

Dated: 9.2.2023

- 1. The RTI application is dated 25.04.2022 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 30.5.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 20.7.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 9.11.2022 and further postponed to 9.2.2023 at 11.00 a.m.
- 2. In today's hearing, the appellant states that nothing with regard to his RTI application has been received in this instant case from the department.
- 3. Respondent PIO is absent in spite of registered post notice issued to him by the Commission.
- 4. From the perusal of office record, it is observed that an email dated 13.09.2022 is received comprising a letter 2152 dated 14.09.2022 stating therein that requisite information was sent to the appellant vide letter no. 897 dated 02.05.2022. This email is taken on record.
- 5. On this, appellant denies of receiving information dated 02.05.2022.
- 6. Respondent PIO is directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing to clear the facts of this case positively.
- 7. To come up on **10.05.2023 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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Appellant

Respondent