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Shri Jatinder Kumar, C/o Sachkhand Mishthan Bhandar, Nehru Gate Nawanshahar M: 98723-24111

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Principal Secretary, Local Govt. Punjab, Punjab Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35-A, Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Principal Secretary, Local Govt. Punjab, Punjab Municipal Bhawan, Sector 35-A, Chandigarh.

....Respondents

AC No. 3465 of 2022

Present: (i) Appellant- absent.

(ii) Shri Gurcharan Singh, Senior Assistant, and Shri Sumit Kumar, Senior Assistant, Local Govt.-3 Branch O/o Addl. Chief Secretary, Local Govt., Punjab, Chandigarh- in person.

ORDER

- 1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 08.12.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
- 2. The case has been heard today in the Commission's office at Chandigarh. Shri Jatinder Kumar, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing either in person or through cisco webex. He has, however, sent an e.mail dated 05.01.2023 stating that no information has been supplied to him yet and that due to some urgent work, he is unable to attend the hearing.
- 3. Shri Gurcharan Singh, Senior Assistant, and Shri Sumit Kumar, Senior Assistant, Local Govt.-3 Branch O/o Addl. Chief Secretary, Local Govt., Punjab, Chandigarh come present in person before the Bench. The respondent states that he has brought along the letter dated 05.01.2023 giving point wise reply to the appellant and also produces a copy of the same before the Bench. The Bench examines the documents and finds the reply in order.
- 4. The Bench contacts the appellant on his mobile phone. He is made to talk to the respondent who reads out the contents of letter dated 05.01.2023 to the appellant.

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5. The Bench talks to the appellant and apprises him that Bench is convinced with the point-wise information given and further, observes that a copy of the letter dated 05.01.2023 will be enclosed with the order.

6. In view of the above, the Bench does not feel need for further intervention in the matter.

The instant appeal case is disposed off and closed. Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties. Copy of the letter dated 05.01.2023 be sent along with the order.

Chandigarh 05.01.2023 Sd/-(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma (Retd)) State Information Commissioner, Punjab