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Appellant

Sh. Joga Singh(9914248604)

s/o Sh. Inder Singh,
Vill. Alamur Mandra,
Tehsil Budhlada, Distt. Mansa

Versus

Public Information Officer (By Name)

(Regd. Post) O/o Tehsildar, Budhlada,
Distt. Mansa

First Appellate Authority

O/o SDM, Mansa

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3608 of 2022

Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present:

(i) Appellant: Sh. Joga Singh at PSIC office.

(ii) Respondent: Sh. Sukhchain Singh, Clerk (9815618152)

ORDER

1. The RTI application dated 7.9.2020 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 21.12.2020 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 4.8.2022 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, both the parties are present.
3. The appellant states that he has applied for information under RTI from the concerned department but ਜਮਾਬੰਦੀਆਂ ਸਾਲ 1961-62, 1962-63, 1963-64, 1965-66 ਅਤੇ ਜਮਾਬੰਦੀ ਹੈਜਾ ਮੁਫਸਲ are still pending from the respondent PIO since sufficient time for about two years has passed. He further pleads that suitable directions be given to the department so that he may not feel harassed anymore.
4. After hearing the appellant and discussing with the respondent, Sh. Sukhchain Singh, respondent PIO is directed to supply the pending information (ਜਮਾਬੰਦੀਆਂ ਸਾਲ 1961-62, 1962-63, 1963-64, 1965-66 ਅਤੇ ਜਮਾਬੰਦੀ ਹੈਜਾ ਮੁਫਸਲ) as per RTI application to the appellant within ten days from today, failing which stern action will be initiated against the concerned respondent PIO.
5. Both the parties are advised to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing, failing to which, appropriate order in their absence shall be passed.
6. To come up on **11.04.2023 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Dated: 9.2.2023

**(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab**