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Appellant

Sh. Gian Singh(9653285757)

s/o Sh. Mohan Singh,
#06852, Street No.11/3,
Power House Road,
Bathinda.

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o GM, Pb. Roadways, Patti

First Appellate Authority

O/o Director, State Transport Pb.,
Chandigarh

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3688 of 2022
Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: Appellant: Sh. Gian Singh at PSIC office.

Respondent: Sh. Gurbinder Singh (JA) (9814065068)

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 14.05.2022 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 13.06.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 09.08.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 15.11.2022 i.e. today.
3. In today's hearing, respondent states that information relates with the year 1982-83 and a search in this regard is already been in the process. He adds that record will be supplied once it will be traced. He also mentions that reply in this regard has also been sent to the appellant and to the Commission (via letter no. 6034-35 dated 07.10.2022), which is received in the Commission vide diary no. 23430 dated 14.10.2022 and taken on record.
4. Appellant states that respondent/PIO misleading the Bench. He adds that when an employee is promoted or retired from service, then there is clearly mentioned on the bills regarding the employee's detail.
5. On this, respondent states that respondent department is not hiding anything from the appellant and the Hon'ble Commission.
6. After discussing with both the parties and examining the case file, inspection of the official record is fixed for Friday i.e. 18.11.2022 at 11:00 AM. Contact number of the respondent, Sh. Gurbinder Singh is supplied to the appellant during the hearing. Respondent, Sh. Gurbinder Singh is directed to cooperate with the appellant and supply the official record through which the matter could be resolved in connection with RTI application.
7. Both the parties are advised to represent this case on the next date of hearing positively, failing which case will be decided on merit basis.
8. To come up on **05.01.2023 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: 15.11.2022

(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
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