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Shri Raminderpal Singh, S/o Shri Teja Singh,
R/o MIG, 1406, Housing Board Colony,
C-Block, Ranjit Avenue, Amritsar.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Improvement Trust,
Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Improvement Trust,
Amritsar.

....Respondents

AC No. 375 of 2023

**Present: i) Sh.Raminderpal Singh, - Appellant – in person
ii) Shri Paramjit Singh, Junior Assistant O/o Improvement Trust, Amritsar – in person.**

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 28.09.2022 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 16.11.2022 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 05.01.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. The case has been heard today. As per respondent, the information has been provided to the appellant vide letter dated 07.03.2023 except information on point-2 which is voluminous (around 300-400 files) and the appellant has been asked to inspect the record and identify relevant information which will be provided to him.
3. Post deliberations, the appellant is directed to inspect the record relating to point-2 by visiting the office of the PIO on any working day and get the relevant record.
4. The PIO is directed to allow him access to the official records. After inspection of records by the appellant, the information as is identified by the appellant be provided to him before the next hearing. Since the information is voluminous, the PIO may raise requisite fee as per the RTI Act.
5. The appellant is advised to contact Shri Paramjit Singh, Junior Assistant Mobile No.9914002711 prior to visiting for inspection of records. The PIO is directed to ensure that official records related to point-2 of the RTI application of the appellant are presented for examination and documents as identified are given duly attested by the PIO. The PIO is also directed to come present in person before the Bench to attend the next hearing.
6. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 11.04.2023 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's Office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

Sd/-

**Chandigarh
14.03.2023**

**(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma (Retd))
State Information Commissioner, Punjab**