

# PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

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## FINAL ORDER

**Rahul Chander,**  
H.No. 707/2 C, Madhopuri,  
St. No. 7, Circular Road,  
Ludhiana.

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o ATP Building Branch, Zone A,  
Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.  
**First Appellate Authority,**  
Commissioner, Municipal Corporation,  
Ludhiana.

### Appeal Case No. 3770 of 2022 (Video Conference Proceedings)

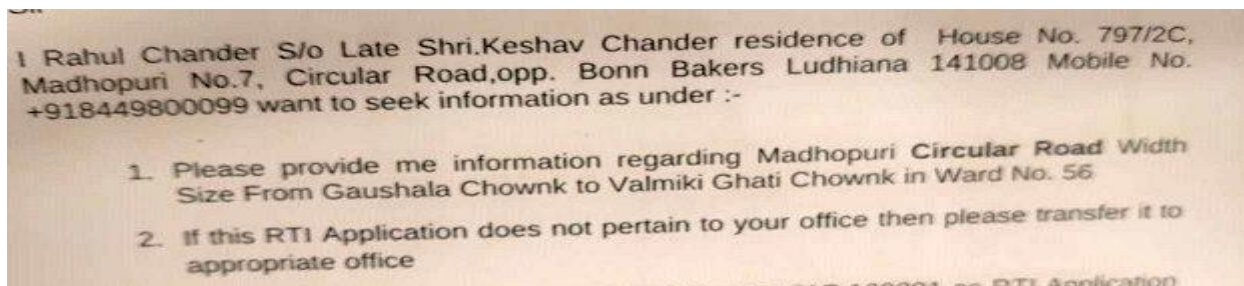
PRESENT:

(Appellant) Absent

Gurpreet Kaur, Building Inspector, Zone-A (for the Respondent)

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated **2.4.2022** vide which the appellant has sought information:



as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **30.5.2022** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **17.8.2022** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. Notice was issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on **25.11.2022**.

2. The appellant is absent without intimation. The respondent PIO, represented by Ms Gurpreet Kaur, Building Inspector, Zone-A, states that a reply was sent to the appellant vide Letter No. 276 Dated 21.11.2022, wherein, the appellant was informed that the requested information was not available in the Building Branch, Zone-A, MC, Ludhiana. As per the respondent PIO, the requested information would be in the custody of the PIO, office of DC, Ludhiana. The RTI Act, 2005 stipulates that Citizens / information seekers must submit requests for information by way of RTI applications to the "**concerned PIO**". The appellant is hereby advised to re-submit his request by way of a fresh RTI application to the PIO, office of D.C. Ludhiana, who is the actual custodian of the requested information.

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3. This Appeal Case is accordingly Disposed of.

**Sd/-**  
**(ASIT JOLLY)**  
State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

Chandigarh  
25.11.2022