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Public Information Officer O/o EO, Nagar Council, Mansa

First Appellate Authority O/o ADC (UD), Mansa

Dated: 15.11.2022

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 3805 of 2022 Through CISCO WEBEX

**Present:** None for the parties.

## ORDER:

- The RTI application is dated 12.05.2022 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 26.06.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 18.08.2022 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, appellant is absent in spite of registered post notice issued to him by the Commission. It is also observed that no communication is received from him after filing the appeal in the Commission, which means he has nothing to say in this regard.
- 4. Respondent PIO is also absent in spite of registered post notice issued to him by the Commission, which is viewed seriously, is a sheer wastage of precious time and resources of the Commission. It is also observed that an email dated 16.09.2022 is received from email ID adcudmansa2021@gmail.com comprising a letter no. 199 dated 16.09.2022 from First Appellate Authority through which duty was assigned to PIO-cum-Executive Officer, Nagar Council Mansa to represent this case today but nobody appears for today's hearing through CISCO Webex, which means respondent PIO failed to perform his duty as a public servant.
- 5. With aforesaid observations, no further cause of action is required in this case. Therefore, this instant appeal case is **disposed of & closed**. Copy of the order be sent to the parties

(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
State Information Commissioner
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