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Appellant

Sh. Jaspal Singh Mann (8699994733)

S/o Sh. Sukhdev Singh, H. No. 152, Village Sehna Khera, Tehsil Malout, Sri Muktsar Sahib.

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o The Deputy Commissioner, Bathinda.

Public Information Officer

O/o Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Bathinda.

First Appellate Authority

O/o The Deputy Commissioner, Bathinda.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 4176 of 2022 Hearing at PSIC Office

Present: Appellant: Sh. Jaspal Singh Mann through webex.

> Respondent: Sh. Balkaran Singh, DRO Bathinda (94171-14842) along with Sh. Vivek Rattan, Junior Assistant –cum – PIO from Office of RTA, Bathinda (9779760075) at PSIC office.

ORDER:

- 1. This case may be read with the reference to the previous order dated 25.05.2023.
- 2. In today's hearing, the appellant states that no information has been supplied to him. He further adds that he has sent an email 05.07.2023 in this regard, which is received by the undersigned Bench and taken on record.
- 3. Respondent, Sh. Balkaran Singh, DRO states that the information relates with PIO O/o RTA, Bathinda.
- 4. Respondent, Sh. Vivek, Junior Assistant from the O/o RTA, Bathinda states that cameras are installed for observations / surveillance only and no recording is being recorded.
- 5. After hearing both the parties and examining the case file, it is observed that respondent from the concerned office clearly explained the position/status in connection with the RTI application. Respondent PIO, O/o RTA, Bathinda is directed to supply an affidavit in original duly attested by him as per RTI application to the appellant with a copy to the Commission within ten days from today.
- 6. Respondent PIO, O/o the Deputy Commissioner, Bathinda is exempted from hearings till further orders.
- 7. 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.
- 8. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. Both the parties are directed to come up on 10.08.2023 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: 05.07.2023

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