

PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

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Aditya Singla,

3939/1, Mohalla Shamsheer Singh,
Triveni Chowk,
Patiala.

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o XEN Devigarh Division,
Trivani Chowk, Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,

Superintendent Engineer,
B.M.L. Circle, Patiala.

Appeal Case No. 4279 of 2022

PRESENT:

Aditya Singla (Appellant) 98887-15348

(Respondent) Absent

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 6.12.2022)

1. The RTI application is dated **25.5.2022** vide which the appellant has sought information **regarding MB, DVD, Log Book, inspection note of SDO, XEN, SE, and Vigilance and building control etc.,** as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **12.7.2022** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **14.9.2022** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **6.12.2022**.

2. The respondent PIO is absent despite Show Cause Notice issued to him vide this Commission's Order of 6.12.2022. At the last hearing on 6.12.2022, the respondent PIO was directed to submit a pointwise reply to the RTI application along with duly attested copies of the requested information. He was further directed to attend today's hearing in person and duly cautioned that failure to comply, would compel the Commission to ensure his presence through service of Bailable Warrant.

3. The respondent PIO-cum-XEN, Sh. Harshpreet Singh appeared before this Bench on 12.1.2023. He submitted that the information sought by the appellant was provided to him vide Letter No. 382-83 dated 11.1.2023 and by way of some 53 pages.

4. The appellant was contacted on phone and he informed the Commission that some of the furnished pages have not been attested. He also sought some time to examine the information for deficiencies.

5. The PIO is directed to supply fresh copies of the information after due attestation. He is further directed to address any deficiencies listed by the appellant forthwith.

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6. Next hearing on 23.2.2023 at 11.30 am at Punjab State Information Commission, Red Cross Building, Madhya Marg, Sector 16, Chandigarh.

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

Chandigarh
10.1.2023