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Sh. Gurmeet Singh Jora (98157-51666)

S/o Late Sh. Kulwant Singh,
R/o Ranjit Avenue, Backside of Adesh Hospital,
Sri Muktsar Sahib (152026)

Appellant

Vs

Public Information Officer

O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 4635 of 2022

Through CISCO WEBEX

Present:

(i) Appellant: Shri Gurmeet Singh

(ii) Respondent: Ms. Kulwinder Kaur, Superintendent – cum- PIO (M: 9779624022) at PSIC office.

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 21.05.2021 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 08.07.2021 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 03.10.2022 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 01.02.2023 i.e. today
3. In today's hearing, the appellant states that he is not satisfied with the supplied information.
4. On the other hand, the respondent / PIO, Ms. Kulwinder Kaur states that whatever information was available as per official record had already been supplied to the appellant on 03.09.2021 and 16.01.2023 and no discrepancy has been pointed out by the appellant till yet. She adds that an email dated 13.01.2023 comprising 69 pages are sent to the undersigned Bench, which is received and taken on record.
5. After discussing with the present parties and going through the case file, I am of the view that the appellant is directed to send the deficiencies letter to the department through registered post within seven days from today and the PIO concerned is directed to supply the fresh attested point wise reply / information (after removing the deficiencies) as per RTI application, to the Appellant within 15 days after receiving discrepancy letter from the appellant.
6. 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.
7. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned for further hearing on **11.04.2023 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties through **registered post**.

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Dated: 01.02.2023

(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
State Information Commissioner
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