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Sh. Jasbir Singh (9888296107)

Guru Nanak Nagar,

Village Bolapur, PO Ramgarh.

District Ludhiana.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer (By Name)

(Regd. Post)

O/o Secretary, Transport Department, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secretary, Transport Department, Punjab,
Chandigarh.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 4655 of 2022

Through CISCO WEBEX

Present:

Appellant: Sh. Jasbir Singh.

Respondent: Absent.

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 18.07.2022 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 18.08.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 04.10.2022. 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 no information has been supplied to him.
4. On the other hand, the respondent / PIO is absent without any intimation to the Commission in spite of registered post notice issued to him by the Commission.
5. After hearing the appellant and examining the case file, it is observed that a letter no. 67 dated 18.01.2023 is received by the Commission vide diary number 2321 dated 23.01.2023 along with supporting documents, which are seen and taken on record.
6. Respondent PIO is directed either to supply the requisite information or supply an affidavit in original as per RTI application duly attested by the competent authority to the appellant with a copy to the Commission within fifteen days after receipt of this order.
7. Both the parties are directed to appear personally in the Commission on the next date of hearing for clarifying the facts of this case.
8. To come up on **16.03.2023 at 11:00 A.M. at Punjab State Information Commission, Madya Marg, Sector 16, Chandigarh.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

(Anumit Singh Sodhi)

**State Information Commissioner
Punjab**

Dated: 01.02.2023

Note: After hearing of this case was over, Shri Kamaljit Singh, Senior Assistant (M: 78377-83002) appeared in the Commission's office, as he was unable to join through webex and he was apprised of the above said order. He further stated that the information could not be supplied to the appellant as he is asking for copy of ACR's which is a personal document and rely in this regard had already been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 05.08.2022.

(Anumit Singh Sodhi)

**State Information Commissioner
Punjab**

Dated: 01.02.2023