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Appellant

Sh. Ashok Kumar (9780150888)

S/o Late Sh. Sham Lal, R/o Bank Street, New Basti, Nabha, Distt. Patiala.

Versus

(Regd. Post) Public Information Officer

O/o District Transport Officer,

Patiala

Encl. RTI application

(Regd. Post) First Appellate Authority

O/o Regional Transport Officer,

Patiala

Encl. RTI application Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 4728 of 2022 Through CISCO WEBEX

**Present:** Sh. Shivam Goyal is present on behalf of the appellant.

Respondent: None is present from the Department.

## ORDER:

- 1. The RTI application is dated 24.05.2022 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 11.07.2022 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.10.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Matter was fixed for hearing today i.e. 07.02.2023.
- 2. In today's hearing, representative of the appellant states that no information has been supplied to the appellant till date.
- 3. After going through the case file, it has been observed that the notice of hearing was inadvertently sent to PIO O/o District Transport Officer, Sangrur and FAA O/o Regional Transport Officer, Sangrur instead of PIO O/o District Transport Officer, Patiala and FAA O/o Regional Transport Officer, Patiala. The same has been rectified in this order. A copy of the RTI application is also sent to the concerned PIO as well as to FAA along with this order through registered post.
- 4. In view of above, the concerned PIO is directed to supply the point wise reply / information as per RTI application, to the Appellant within 10 days from the date of receipt of this order. The PIO is also directed to appear in person on the next date of hearing to represent this case.
- 5. The PIO O/o District Transport Officer, Sangrur and FAA O/o Regional Transport Officer, Sangrur are exempted from future hearings relating to this instant case i.e. AC: 4728 /2022 and a copy of this order be sent to them for reference.

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With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned for further hearing on <u>16.05.2023 at 11:00</u>
<u>A.M. through CISCO-Webex</u> (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.

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(Anumit Singh Sodhi) State Information Commissioner Punjab

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Dated: 07.02.2023

Public Information Officer,

(Regd. Post) O/o District Transport Officer, Sangrur

First Appellate Authority,

(Regd. Post) O/o Regional Transport Officer, Sangrur