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Shri Gurmej Lal, whistle Blower, NCAG Office, Street NO.5, # H.No.1331-5, Vishawkarma Bhawan, Down Canal Road, Simlapuri, Ludhiana.

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer** O/o Commissioner, MC, Ludhiana(Zone-C).

**First Appellate Authority** 0/o Commissioner, MC, Ludhiana.

....Respondents

 <u>AC No. 485 of 2023</u>

 Present: i)
 Shri Gurmej Lal – Appellant – through cisco webex

 ii)
 Sh.Sanjeet Kumar, Clerk-cum-APIO-Zone-C, O/o MC Ludhiana, – in person.

## ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 08.10.2022 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 08.11.2022 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 09.01.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. The case has been heard today. As per appellant, the PIO has not supplied any information so far.

As per respondent, the information/reply has been sent to the appellant vide letter dated
 04.11.2022 . The Commission has also received a copy of the reply from the PIO which has been taken on record.

4. Having gone through the RTI application and the reply of the PIO, the Commission observes that the reply is evasive since the appellant has sought action taken report on the complaint dated 08.06.2022. The respondent is directed to reconcile the RTI application and send point-wise reply to the appellant relating to his complaint with a copy to the Commission

5. The case is adjourned. Both the concerned parties are directed to come up for hearing on 22.05.2023 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

Chandigarh 16.03.2023 Sd/-(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma (Retd)) State Information Commissioner, Punjab

