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Rohit Sabharwal,

S/o Sh. Vijay Shabharwal, # 126, Model Gram, Kundan Bhawan, Ludhiana-141002

Versus

Public Information officer. o/o DCFA, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. **Public Information officer,** o/o Municipal Corporation, B&R, Zone A, Ludhiana. **Public Information officer,** o/o Municipal Corporation, B&R, Zone B, Ludhiana. **Public Information officer,** o/o Municipal Corporation, B&R, Zone C, Ludhiana. **Public Information officer,** o/o Municipal Corporation, B&R. Zone D. Ludhiana. **Public Information officer,** o/o Superintendent Headquarter, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. First Appellate Authority, o/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana.

Appeal Case No. 4882 of 2021

PRESENT:

(Appellant) Absent
Arvind Kumar, PIO-cum-XEN, B&R from Zone A (Respondent)
Maninderdeep Singh, SDO, B&R from Zone B (for the Respondent) 97800-08495
Kulwinder Singh, SDO, B&R from Zone C (for the Respondent) 98888-97201
Sanjeev Sharma, PIO-cum-XEN from Zone D (Respondent) 97800-39448
Rupinder Singh, JE from Zone D (for the Respondent) 78371-00158

ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on **2.9.2022**)

1. The RTI application is dated 19.7.2021 vide which the appellant has sought information regarding cemented, interlocking tile and bitumen roads, as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on 26.8.2021 and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on 26.10.2021 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on 2.9.2022.

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- 2. The appellant is absent. At the last hearing on 2.9.2022 the PIOs, B&R Branch Zone A, B, C, and D, had submitted individual replies to the RTI application, which were rejected by the Commission and the PIO's were directed to submit written pointwise replies to the RTI application along with attested copies of the information sought by the appellant.
- 3. The PIO-cum-XEN, B&R from Zone A, Arvind Kumar, Maninderdeep Singh, SDO, B&R from Zone B, Kulwinder Singh, SDO, B&R from Zone C, Sanjeev Sharma, PIO-cum-XEN from Zone D, and Rupinder Singh, JE from Zone D are present. At the last hearing on 2.9.2022, the PIO B&R, Zone A, B, C, and D, were also directed to transfer the portion of the RTI application pertaining to the PIO-cum-DCFA, MC, Ludhiana under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005.
- 4. After deliberations, it emerges that almost all the information requested is in the custody of the PIO-cum-DCFA, MC, Ludhiana. It has also emerged that the PIOs B&R, Zone A, B, C, and D, has still not transferred the RTI application to the PIO-cum-DCFA. All four PIO's B&R, hereby directed to transfer said RTI application to the PIO-cum-DCFA, forthwith. The PIO-cum-DCFA, thereafter submit a reply to all three points of the RTI application along with the requested information after due attestation to the appellant with a copy to this Commission before the next hearing. All parties be present in person.
- 5. <u>Next hearing on 1.2.2023_at 11.30 am at Punjab State Information Commission, Red Cross Building, Madhya Marg, Sector 16, Chandigarh.</u>

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

Chandigarh 17.11.2022