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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.

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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

Sandeep, Accountant (for the Respondent) 98550-35033

Vikas Kumar, Junior Engineer (for the Respondent) 96462-22900

Sandeep Kumar, Junior Engineer (for the Respondent) 82848-00951

Sandeep, SDO (for the Respondent) 88378-73503

Pawanpreet Singh, Junior Engineer (for the Respondent) 98886-63023

Vaneet Kumar, SDO (for the Respondent) 99887-03192

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 2.9.2022 and 17.11.2022)*

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 **17.11.2022**.

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2. The respondent PIO-cum-DCFA, represented by Sh. Sandeep Kumar, Accountant, submitted a copy of a reply sent to the appellant vide Letter No. 954 Dated 13.12.2022 with information pertaining to point nos. 1 and 2 of the RTI application. Point no. 3 has been withheld on grounds that the Contractor/third party has refused consent to disclosure of the information, to the appellant.

3. During deliberations at this hearing, Sh. Sandeep Kumar, Accountant, also states that the requested information is "voluminous". On being asked to elaborate, he states that the Contractor Ledgers sought at point 3 of this RTI application would amount to approximately 600 pages.

4. This RTI application has been pending since 19.7.2021 and the PIO-cum-DCFA is hereby directed to provide the information pertaining to point 3 by way of certified copies. This must be submitted with a covering letter to the Commission within 15 days of this Hearing. Thereafter, the appellant Sh. Rohit Sabharwal, will be informed and can collect the aforesaid information from the Commission at his convenience on any working day after seeking appointment. Sh. Sandeep Kumar, Accountant to submit the information in person within Ten days of receipt of this Order.

5. **Next hearing on 15.3.2023 at 11.30 am at Punjab State Information Commission, Red Cross Building, Madhya Marg, Sector 16, Chandigarh.**

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

Chandigarh  
1.2.2023