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Shri Raminderpal Singh, S/o Shri Teja Singh, R/o MIG-1406, Housing Board Colony C-Block, Ranjit Avenue, Amritsar-143001.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority O/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

....Respondents

AC No. 5139 of 2022

Present: (i) Appellant- absent.

(ii) None on behalf of the PIO, Municipal Corporation, Amritsar.

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 02.09.2022 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 31.10.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
- 2. The notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 04.01.2023. Accordingly, the case has been heard today. Shri Raminderpal Singh, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench or through cisco webex nor any intimation has been received from him.
- 3. The PIO O/o Municipal Corporation, Amritsar has also not come present in person before the Bench nor through cisco webex nor the PIO has deputed any of his representatives to attend the hearing on behalf of the PIO.
- 4. In the absence of appellant and the PIO, the Bench is unable to proceed further in the matter and deems it appropriate to adjourn the matter. The Bench, however, directs to the PIO to ensure to send the information to the appellant before the next hearing as also ensure to come present in person before the Bench on the next hearing, failing which the Bench will be constrained to issue BAILABLE WARRANT to ensure his presence before the Bench.
- 5. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. To come up for hearing on 15.02.2023 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh. Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

Chandigarh 04.01.2023 Sd/-(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma,(Retd)) State Information Commissioner, Punjab