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## Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia,

# 458, Ward No. 18, Street No. 2, Kartar Nagar, Amloh Road, Khanna-141401, Ludhiana.

#### **Versus**

### **Public Information officer,**

o/o Executive Engineer, Municipal Council, Khanna, Ludhiana.

## First Appellate Authority,

o/o Additional Deputy Commissioner (Urban Development), 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Mini Secretariat, Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana.

## Appeal Case No. 5237 of 2021 (Video Conference Proceedings)

#### PRESENT:

Ramandeep Singh Ahluwalia (Appellant) 94645-00405 Gurpal Singh, PIO-cum-EO (Appellant) Muneet Sharma, JE (for the Respondent) Harpal Singh, Accountant (for the Respondent) 95921-99774 Mahinder Kumar, Technician (for the Respondent) 76580-16461

#### ORDER:

(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 10.6.2022)

- 1. The RTI application is dated **9.4.2021** vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **5.7.2021** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **22.11.2021** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **10.6.2022**.
- 2. Both parties are present. The respondent PIO-cum-EO, MC, Khanna, Sh. Gurpal Singh accompanied by Sh. Mahinder Kumar, Technician, Sh. Harpal Singh, Accountant and Sh. Muneet Sharma, are present. The appellant vide email Dated 13.10.2022 has made a submission wherein, he has stated that he wishes to "boycott" the hearing.
- 3. The case file be returned to the Registry Branch to be put up before the Hon'ble Chief Information Commissioner, for assignment to an alternative bench as he deems appropriate.

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State Information Commissioner, Punjab. Chandigarh 13.10.2022

**Cc:** Deputy Registrar, PSIC, along with case file for further necessary action.