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Sh. Tejinder Singh, Adocate(901004313)

Civil Courts, Tehsil Complex,
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Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Secy, Regional Transport Authority,
Bathinda

First Appellate Authority

O/o Secy, Regional Transport Authority,
Bathinda

Respondent

Appeal Case No. 5248 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present: Appellant: Sh. Tejinder Singh
Respondent: Absent.

ORDER

1. The RTI application is dated 17.6.2022 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 2.8.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 2.11.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing for 2.3.2023 through CISCO WEBEX application.
2. In today's hearing the appellant is present but nobody appears on behalf of the respondent department in spite of registered notice issued to them.
3. The appellant states that sufficient time has elapsed nothing as per his RTI application has been provided by the respondent.
4. After hearing the appellant in detail, the court directs the department to provide the information with regard to his RTI application within 15 days from the receipt of the order under intimation to the Commission. He is also directed to represent this case on the next date of hearing to clear the facts of this case, failing which stern action will be initiated against the concerned respondent PIO.
5. To come up on **03.04.2023 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO-Webex** (Video Conferencing application). Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
(Steps to use CISCO WEBEX: Install CISCO Webex->Click on Join Meeting->Enter Meeting Number 1582933632).

Dated: 02.03.2023

(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
State Information Commissioner
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