PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION RED CROSS BUILDING, NEAR ROSE GARDEN, SECTOR 16, CHANDIGARH. Ph: 0172-2864116, Email: - psic26@punjabmail.gov.in Visit us: - <u>www.infocommpunjab.com</u>

Helpline No.0172-2864100(From 10.00 AM to 04.00 PM on working days)

Shri Suresh Kumar Sharma, R/o New Sharma Furniture House, Pratap Bazaar, Cheratta, Amritsar. AT FURNING

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Improvement Trust, Amritsar.

First Appellate Authority

O/o ADC (Urban Development), Amritsar.

i)

ii)

AC No. 541 of 2023

....Respondents

Present:

Appellant-Absent. Shri Paramjit Singh, Jr. Assistant-cum-Nodal Officer O/o Improvement Trust, Amritsar - in person

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 18.10.2021 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 13.12.2021 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 10.01.2023 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).

2. The notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 22.03.2023. Accordingly, the case has been heard today. The appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench or through cisco webex nor any intimation has been given by him in this regard.

3. Shri Paramjit Singh, Jr. Assistant-cum-Nodal Officer is appearing on behalf of the PIO states that complete information has been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 21.03.2023 by registered post as well as on his email id.

4. As per respondent, point-wise information/reply has been sent to the appellant vide letter dated 21.03.2023 with a copy to the Commission. The respondent has also brought a copy of the same along for handing over to the appellant during the hearing itself. However since the appellant is absent, the same could not be handed over. The appellant is contacted on his mobile phone. He is apprised of the version of PIO O/o Improvement Trust, Amritsar. He states that he has not received any reply from the respondent. The Bench examines the documents brought along by the respondent and finds them in order.

5. The respondent is now directed to again send a copy of the information (duly certified by the PIO) to the appellant on his email id. Copy of the reply/information as submitted by the respondent during the proceedings also be sent to the appellant along with the orders of the Bench.

6. With the aforesaid directions, the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed. Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

Sd/-

Chandigarh 22.03.2023 (Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma (Retd)) State Information Commissioner, Punjab