

**PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION  
RED CROSS BUILDING, NEAR ROSE GARDEN,  
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Shri Jaspal Singh, S/o Shri Surjit Singh,  
Street NO.7, Guru Nanakpura Bazaar Councillor Wala,  
Distt:Amritsar.

.....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer**

O/o MC,  
Amritsar.

**Public Information Officer**

O/o Deputy Commissioner,  
Amritsar.

**First Appellate Authority**

O/o Commissioner,  
MC, Amritsar.

....Respondents

**AC No. 543 of 2023**

**Present: i) Shri Kulwant Rai on behalf of Appellant – in person  
ii) None for the Respondent**

**ORDER:**

1. The RTI application is dated 11.07.2022 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 13.09.2022 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 case has been heard today. As per representative of the appellant, the PIO has not supplied the information on point-1.
3. The respondent is absent without intimation to the Commission. The Commission has received a copy of letter dated 23.02.2023 through email from the APIO-cum-Building Inspector, MC Amritsar vide which the APIO has sent information relating to point-2 to the appellant. Regarding information relating to point-1, the APIO has informed that the approval for installation of mobile tower is granted by the office of Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar through Invest Punjab Business First Portal and hence the copy of approval cannot be provided without the approved file number.
4. Having gone through the RTI application and hearing the representative of the appellant, the PIO-Deputy Commissioner, Amritsar is impleaded in the case as respondent No.2 and directed to look into the RTI application, copy of which is being enclosed along with the order and provide information relating to point-1 to the appellant within 21 days of the receipt of the order with a copy to the Commission.
6. The case is adjourned. **Both the concerned parties are directed to come up for hearing on 31.05.2023 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh  
27.03.2023**

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