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Shri Gurmej Lal, RTI Activist,
Whistle Blower, VP, NCAG, Street No. 05,
#1331-5, Vishwkarma Bhawan, Down Canal Road,
Simlapuri, Ludhiana.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o E.O.,
Nagar Council, Jalalabad.

First Appellate Authority
O/o E.O.,
Nagar Council, Jalalabad.

....Respondents

AC No. 5524 of 2022

Present: i) **Appellant: Shri Gurmej Lal, through webex.**
ii) **Shri Vishal Sachdeva, Clerk is present from O/o NC, Arniwala, Shekhsbhan, Fazilka, in person.**

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 13.07.2022 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 06.09.2022 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 14.11.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
2. The notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 19.01.2023. Accordingly, the case has been heard today. Shri Gurmej Lal, appellant states that partial information has been supplied to him.
3. Shri Vishal Sachdeva, Clerk states that the appellant has sought information about unauthorized colonies and the fees submitted by them for regularization. He further states that only one colony has applied for regularization and reply is handed over to the Bench during the hearing vide letter number 114 dated 18.01.2023, which is seen and taken on record.
4. Post deliberations, the Bench directs the PIO to resend the attested point wise information to the appellant in relation to the RTI application of the appellant as also ensure to come present in person before the Bench on the next hearing along with official records, failing which penal consequences may follow.
5. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 22.02.2023 at 11.30 A.M before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh
19.01.2023**

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