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Appellant

## Sh. Krishan Kumar Goyal(9463559650)

Kothi No.W-12A/127, Gali no.1, Mohalla Shivpuri, Dhuri, Distt. Sangrur

Versus

**Public Information Officer** 

O/o D.C., Sangrur

First Appellate Authority

Dated: 18.4.2023

O/o D.C., Sangrur Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 5643 of 2022 Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present: Appellant- Sh. Sourabh Goyal (Son of the appellant)

Respondent: Dr. Baljeet (Assistant Civil Surgeon) along with Dr. Upasna (7009164500)

ORDER:

- 1. The RTI application is dated 11.8.2022 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 9.11.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 17.11.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 18.4.2023 i.e. today.
- 3. In today's hearing, both the parties are present.
- 4. Representative of the appellant, Sh. Sourabh Goyal states that requisite information has been supplied to him on 31.01.2023 but after the lapse of five months. He adds that Identity proof was demanded by the respondent department on 31.08.2022, which was submitted on 02.09.2022.
- 5. On this, respondents present for today's hearing state that requisite information as per RTI application had already been supplied to the appellant time and again. She adds that RTI application was received on 31.08.2022 in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Sangrur and reply was sent to the same day i.e. 31.08.2022 through which identity proof was demanded as it was not attached with the filed RTI application. She further adds that after collecting Identity proof, reply vide letter no. 1429 dated 16.09.2022 was sent to the appellant through which RTI application was transferred to the Civil Surgeon, Sangrur under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act with a copy to the appellant. She also mentions that reply/information on dated 26.10.2022, 13.01.2023, 31.01.2023, 02.02.2023 and information received from PGI is also sent to the appellant as per RTI application. Nothing is is left unattended.
- 6. After hearing both the parties and examining the case file, it is observed information as per RTI application had already been supplied to the best possible extent and there is no malafide intention of the respondent PIO for not providing/delaying the requisite information. Therefore, no further cause of action is required. Hence, this instant appeal case is disposed of & closed. Copy of this order be sent to the parties.

(Anumit Singh Sodhi) State Information Commissioner Punjab