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Sh. Kanwaljit Singh (98557-20875)

38, Garden Colony, Nakodar, Jalandhar (144040)

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o EO, MC, Nakodar, Distt. Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o D.C., Jalandhar.

Respondent

Appeal Case No.: 5714 of 2022
Through CISCO WEBEX

Present: Appellant: Sh. Kanwaljit Singh
Respondent: Sh. Karandeep, Clerk (94782-33165)

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 25.07.2022 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 08.09.2022 and the second appeal was filed in the Commission on 21.11.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act) and the hearing has been fixed for today.
2. In today's hearing, the appellant, Shri Kanwaljit Singh states that he has received the information in connection with point number 1 only and incomplete and irrelevant record has been provided to him in connection with point no. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of the RTI application. He adds that he has pointed out discrepancy yesterday i.e. 10.04.2023 and a copy of the same is also sent to the undersigned Bench via email dated 10.04.2023, which is received and taken on record.
3. Respondent, Sh. Karandeep, Clerk states that information has been supplied to him on 13.02.2023 and an intimation is also sent to the Commission vide letter no. 396 dated 22.02.2023, which is received in the Commission vide diary number 5273 dated 24.02.2023, which is taken on record.
4. After discussing with both the parties and examining the case file, an inspection of the official record is fixed at the respondent's office on 12.04.2023 (Wednesday) at 11:30 A.M. in connection with point no. 2,3, 4, 5 and 6 of the RTI application.

If the Appellant, Sh. Kanwaljit Singh will not visit for inspection on the said date and time then it would be presumed that he does not requires the information anymore and the case would be decided on merits.

Respondent PIO is directed to make sure that appellant inspected the relevant record and in case information is not available, supply an affidavit in original to the appellant with a copy to the Commission in connection with point no. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of the RTI application, so that case could be concluded on the next date of hearing positively.

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5. Appellant is advised to point out discrepancy at least within one week after collecting information in RTI applications in near future, as appellant pointed out discrepancy one day prior from the hearing (on 10.04.2023) in the supplied information which was sent to him on 13.02.2023 by the respondent PIO, due to which case could not be decided today and matter is adjourned.
6. Matter is adjourned for further hearing on **11.07.2023 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO WEBEX**. 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: 11.04.2023

(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab