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Shri Sanjeev Sharma,
S/o Late Shri Krishan Gopal,
Vill. Saholi, District Ludhiana.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o Sub Divisional Officer, Sub Division PSPCI Subda

Sub Division, PSPCL, Suhdar District Ludhiana..

First Appellate Authority

O/o Addl. Superintending Engineer Operational Division, PSPCL Adda Dakha, District Ludhiana.

....Respondents

AC No. 5805 of 2022

Present: i) Shri Sanjeev Sharma, Appellant- in person.

ii) Shri Jasjit Singh, Assistant Engineer, Sub Division, PSPCL, Sudhar, District Ludhiana, on behalf of the PIO- in person.

ORDER:

- 1. The RTI application is dated 12.07.2022 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 23.11.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).
- 2. The notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 16.01.2023. Accordingly, the case has been heard today. Shri Sanjeev Kumar, appellant comes present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench.
- 3. Shri Jasjit Singh, Assistant Engineer, Sub Division, PSPCL, Sudhar, District Ludhiana comes resent in person before the Bench to attend the hearing on behalf of the PIO and states that the appellant has sought information on 13 points out of which, certain information has been supplied vide letter dated 29.09.2022 and the balance information was given on 11.01.2023.
- 4. The appellant admits receipt of information, however, he states that no information has been supplied on point Nos. 10 & 11. On the asking of the Bench, the respondent states that the same is personal and third party information which cannot be provided without consent of the person concerned.

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5. Post deliberations, the Bench does not agree with the contention of respondent that

information regarding attendance and leaves availed of by an official are personal and third party

information. The Bench advises the appellant to convey the deficiencies in the information supplied to the

PIO in writing. The PIO is directed to remove the deficiencies on receiving the same as also provide

rectified information before the next hearing. He is also directed to come present in person before the

Bench on the next hearing.

6. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. To come up hearing on

22.02.2023 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh. Copies of the

order be sent to the concerned parties.

Chandigarh 16.01.2023 Sd/(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma (Retd))
State Information Commissioner, Punjab