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Shri Karam Singh Dhanoa, R/o Kothi No.738, Sector-80, S.A.S.Nagar-140308.

.....Appelant

Versus

Public Information Officer O/o Chief Administrator, GMADA, Sector-62, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority, Estate Officer (Policy), GMADA, Sector-62, Mohali.

....Respondents

Complaint Case No. 603 of 2022 converted into Appeal Case no.603/2022

Present: (i) Appellant- absent.

(ii) None on behalf of Respondent/PIO.

ORDER

- 1. The aforesaid Complaint Case was remanded back by this Bench vide order dated 02.11.2022 to the First Appellate Authority, GMADA, Mohali with the direction to treat the RTI of the complainant as First Appeal, hear the complainant within 10 days and decide the matter. The complainant has, however, again approached the Commission vide his letter dated 14.11.2022 stating that he has not been heard within the stipulated period and no information has been supplied to him.
- 2. In view of the non-compliance of the orders of Commission by the First Appellate Authority, GMADA, the Bench has treated aforesaid letter of the complainant as Second Appeal and the complaint case has been converted into Appeal Case.
- 3. The notice of hearing was issued to the parties for 16.01.2023. The case has been heard today. Shri Karam Singh, appellant has not come present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench or through cisco webex nor any intimation in this regard has been received from him.
- 3. Shri Gurwinder Singh, AEO/ PIO O/o GMADA, Mohali comes present to attend the hearing through cisco webex. He states that reply has been given to the appellant that from perusal of the contents of RTI application, there does not seem to be any type of document/information sought by the appellant, rather he has made mention of the grievances/hardships being faced by the people in the vicinity of Sector-80, Mohali and as such, RTI application has been filed.
- 4. On the perusal of the RTI application and hearing the version of the PIO, the Bench is in agreement with the contention raised by the PIO and as such, the Bench is not inclined to proceed further in the matter.
- 5. In view of the above, **the instant appeal case is disposed off and closed.** 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