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Sh. Abhishek Kumar Malhotra(9888932495)

H.No. 87, Sector 19,
Ulad Housing Board Colony,
Panchkula-134113.

Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Technical Education & Indl. Training
Deptt. Pb., Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Technical Education & Indl. Training
Deptt. Pb., Chandigarh.

Respondent

Appeal case No.: 6134 of 2022
Hearing through CISCO Webex

Present:

Appellant- Sh. Abhishek Kumar

Respondent: Sh. Harpreet Singh, Senior Assistant (98148-43125)

ORDER:

1. The RTI application is dated 22.3.2022 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 4.10.2022 and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 7.12.2022 under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for hearing through CISCO WEBEX on 20.4.2023 i.e. today.
2. In today's hearing both the parties are sitting together at the O/o Respondent PIO, Technical Education & Industrial Training, Department, Punjab, Chandigarh.
3. The appellant states that he has inspected the record and incomplete information has been supplied to him. He adds that rest information is still pending from the respondent PIO.
4. The respondent, Sh. Harpreet Singh states that he has discussed about the deficiencies with the appellant and will try to supply the information after removing the same. He further adds that a reply vide letter dated 20.01.2023 is also sent to the Commission, which was received in the Commission vide diary no. 6960 dated 15.03.2023, which is taken on record.
5. In view of above, the appellant is directed to discuss regarding deficiencies with Sh. Harpreet Singh immediately after the hearing. The PIO concerned is directed to supply the information to the appellant after removing the deficiencies within 15 days and if the information is not available with the respondent department; PIO is directed to supply an affidavit in original to the appellant with a copy of the undersigned Bench in this regard.
6. Both the parties are advised to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing, failing to which, appropriate order in their absence shall be passed.
7. **Matter is adjourned for further hearing on 28.06.2023 at 11:00 A.M. through CISCO WEBEX.** Copy of the order be sent to the parties.
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Dated: 20.4.2023

(Anumit Singh Sodhi)
State Information Commissioner
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