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Nisha,

W/o Sh. Jiwan Kumar,
1098, Mohalla Rishi Nagar, Nakodar,
Distt. Jalandhar.

Versus

Public Information Officer,

o/o SDM, Nakodar,
District Jalandhar.

First Appellate Authority,

Deputy Commissioner, Jalandhar.

Appeal Case No. 6141 of 2022

PRESENT:

Nisha (Appellant)

Balwinder Kaur, PIO-cum-Superintendent (Respondent) 98478-90600

ORDER:

1. The RTI applications are dated **8.7.2022** vide which the appellant has sought information **regarding the deletion of her vote from the voter list etc.**, as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeals were filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **9.9.2022** and Second Appeals were filed in the Commission on **8.12.2022** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. Notices were issued to the parties for first hearing in the Commission on **27.1.2023**.

2. Both parties are present. The respondent PIO-cum-Superintendent from the office of SDM, Nakodar, Smt. Balwinder Kaur has submitted a reply to the Notice of Hearing issued by the Commission along with a copy of the reply sent to the appellant vide Letter No. EC/3762 Dated 17.8.2022. Therein, the appellant was informed that the requested information is not available in the office of SDM. However, during this hearing it has emerged that the information sought at point no. 1 is already available with the respondent PIO and the information pertaining to point no. 2 is in the custody of BLO.

3. The respondent PIO-cum-Superintendent, Smt. Balwinder Kaur, is hereby directed to retrieve the information from the concerned BLO and provide the same to the appellant by way of a fresh pointwise reply to the RTI by way of the BLO's earlier report and a fresh report pertaining to point no. 2 of the RTI application. This must be done within 10 days of receipt of this Order. The PIO to attend the next Hearing in person. Failure to comply will compel the Commission to ensure her/his presence through service of a **Bailable Warrant**. The appellant is also requested to attend in person.

4. Next hearing on 2.3.2023 at 11.30 am at Punjab State Information Commission, Red Cross Building, Madhya Marg, Sector 16, Chandigarh.

Sd/-

(ASIT JOLLY)

State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

Chandigarh

27.1.2023