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## FINAL ORDER

**Gurmej Lal,**  
# 1331-5, Street No. 5,  
Vishawkarma Bhawan, Down Canal Road,  
Simlapuri, Ludhiana-141003.

Versus

**Public Information Officer,**  
o/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation,  
Moga.

**First Appellate Authority,**  
o/o Commissioner, Municipal Corporation,  
Moga.

### Appeal Case No. 957 of 2022 (Video Conference Proceedings)

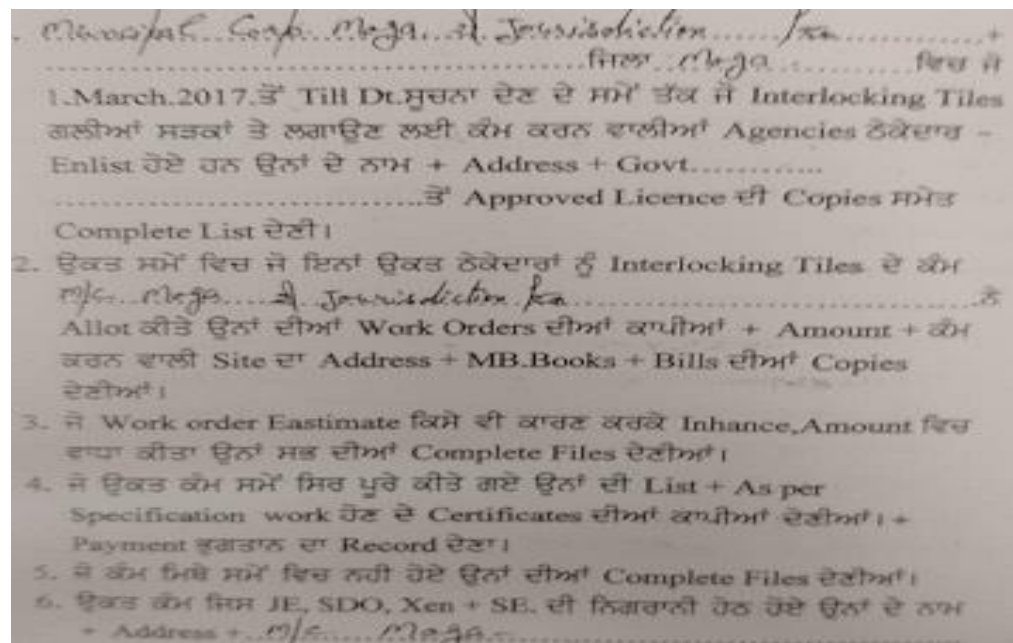
PRESENT:

Gurmej Lal (Appellant) 97816-72776  
Satvir Singh, JE (for the Respondent) 70810-00068

ORDER:

*(To be read in continuity with earlier orders on 30.6.2022 and 22.9.2022)*

1. The RTI application dated **22.11.2021** vide which the appellant has sought information:



as enumerated in his RTI applications. First Appeals were filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **30.12.2021** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **23.2.2022** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005. The case was last heard on **22.9.2022**.

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2. Both parties are present. The respondent PIO, represented by Satvir Singh, JE, has submitted copy of a reply sent to the appellant vide Letter No. 4419/C Dated 2.11.2022, along with duly attested copies of the information. The Commission has examined said reply alongside the RTI application and finds that the copies of the MBs requested in said RTI application have not been provided. The respondent PIO states that the requested MBs amount to some 9,000 pages and would result in disproportionate diversion of public resources.

3. On the appellant's request, the Commission directs the respondent PIO to arrange inspection of the concerned record at 2.00 pm on 9.12.2022. Notably, the appellant has already been sent some 250 pages of information. Any further copies pertaining to the MBs that are sought by the appellant are to be paid at the normal cost of photocopying. Both parties to intimate the Commission following aforesaid inspection.

4. This Appeal Case is accordingly **Disposed of**.

**Sd/-**  
**(ASIT JOLLY)**  
State Information Commissioner, Punjab.

Chandigarh  
23.11.2022