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Jasveer Singh S/o Sh. Joginder Singh Village - Megha Panj Garain Hithar Thana, Block Guruharsahai, Tehsil & Distt Ferozepur-152024 (Punjab) (M.-9781599959)

Public Information Officer, O/o The District Social Security Officer, Ferozepur (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Director, Social Security Women and Child Welfare, Pb., S.C.O.102-103 Sector 34 A, Chandigarh

...Respondents

....Appellant

Appeal Case No. 1266 of 2023

Present : None on behalf of the appellant. Sh. Surinder Singh, Junior Assistant (M.- 9872479649), for the respondent.

<u>ORDER</u>

Heard in the Commission.

2. The RTI request is dated 24.09.2021. First appeal is dated 27.10.2021. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 08.02.2023.

3. The appellant, Sh. Jasveer Singh is not present in today's hearing but through a letter dated 19.4.2023 has intimated the Commission that he is unable to attend today's hearing. He also intimates that he has not received the required information. It is taken on record.

3. Sh. Surinder Singh, Junior Assistant, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the appellant has not deposited the required fee of Rs. 16,000/, which was demanded from him vide letter dated 19.10.2021. A copy of the same is taken on record.

4. After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the RTI request is dated 24.09.2021 and the respondent PIO has demanded the required fee from the appellant on 19.10.2021, which is within the stipulated time as per rules of Punjab Right to Information Rules.

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5. Accordingly, the appellant is advised to deposit the required fee to the office of respondent PIO concerned and take certified copies of the requisite information. The respondent PIO concerned is also directed to supply the requisite information to the appellant after receiving the required fee from him.

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6. With the above-announced directions, the instant appeal-case is announced as **disposed of and closed**.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

Date :19th April, 2023

(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon) State Information Commissioner Punjab