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Lakhwinder Singh

S/o Sh. Nirmal Singh, Village – Jandoli, Tehsil – Rajpura – 1404701(Punjab) (M : 9041902726)

V/s

....Appellant

Public Information Officer, O/o The District Welfare Officer, Social Justice and Empowerment and Minorities, Patiala(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Social Justice and Empowerment and Minorities, Patiala (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 16 of 2023

Present : Sh. Lakhwinder Singh, the appellant in person. Sh. Sukhsagar Singh(M.-97798166000), District Social Justice and Empowerment Officer-cum-PIO, in person.

<u>ORDER</u>

Heard in the Commission.

2. The RTI request is dated 02.06.2022. First appeal is dated 29.07.2022. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 19.12.2022.

3. Sh. Sukhsagar Singh, District Social Justice and Empowerment Officer-cum-PIO, who appeared in person in today's hearing, states that a point-wise reply has already been given to the appellant and submits a reply to the Commission vide letter no. 352 dated 14.02.2023. It is taken on record.

4. The Commission has examined the reply which adequately addresses the RTI application. After hearing the respondent and going through the affidavit filed by the respondent, the Commission is of the considered opinion that the Respondent has provided appropriate and permissible reply to the Appellant.

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5. In view of the foregoing, no further cause of action is left, hence the above said appeal case filed by the appellant is **disposed of and closed**. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Date :20th February, 2023

Sd/-(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon) State Information Commissioner Punjab