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Bench: Sh. Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon, State Information Commissioner, Punjab



Madhukar Malik,

Flat No. 07, Ground Floor, Green City, Dhakoli, Zirakpur, Distt. – S. A. S. Nagar (Punjab) (M.- 70093-42367)

....Appellant

**Public Information Officer,** 

O/o The Senior Superintendent of Police, S. A. S. Nagar(Mohali)(Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Deputy Inspector General of Police, Pb., Roopnagar Range, Roopnagar (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3841 of 2022

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

Ms. Rajwinder Kaur, Head Constable (82830-60022), for the respondent.

**ORDER** 

Heard in the Commission.

- 2. The RTI request is dated 04.04.2022. First appeal is dated 20.06.2022. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 22.08.2022
- 3. The appellant, Sh. Madhukar Malik, is not present in today's hearing.
- 4. Ms. Rajwinder Kaur, Head Constable, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that the reply has already been sent to the appellant in person and submits a letter vide no. 37370 dated 16.06.2022, intimating that the information sought for by the appellant is regarding a complaint no. 4562 dated 04.06.2020, which is under investigation and the same is exempted from disclosure under Section 8 (1) (h) of the RTI Act. It is taken on record.

## <u>Under Section (8) (1) (h) reads as under :</u>

- (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, there shall be no obligation to give any citizen,—
  - (h) information which would impede the process of investigation or apprehension or prosecution of offenders;
- 5. Finding the reply (given by the respondent) satisfactory, no cause of action is required to be taken in this case, hence, the instant appeal-case is announced as **disposed** and closed.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

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

Date: 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2022