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



Ms. Varsh Kakkar,

H. No. 356, Govind Vihar, BALTANA, Zirakpur(Punjab) (M.-62843-40814)

....Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Executive Officer, Nagar Council, Zirakpur (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Executive Officer, Nagar Council, Zirakpur (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 4198 of 2022

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

Sh. Pardeep Kumar, Clerk (M.-98779-89140), on behalf of the respondent.

<u>ORDER</u>

Heard in the Commission.

- 2. The RTI request is dated 03.06.2022. First appeal is dated 05.07.2022. Second appeal has been received in the Commission on 09.09.2022.
- 3. The appellant, Ms. Varsh Kakkar, is not present in today's hearing.
- 4. After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the notice of hearing issued by the Commission vide letter no. 22759 dated 23.09.2022 in the name of the appellant, Ms. Varsh Kakkar is received back in the office of the Commission as 'undelivered' through Diary No. 23500 dated 14.10.2022. It is taken on record.
- 5. Sh. Pardeep Kumar, Clerk, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, states that a reply has already been given to the appellant vide letter no. 177 dated 02.11.2022, intimating her that the requisite information sought for by the appellant is vague, moreover not specific. It (reply vide letter no. 177 dated 02.11.2022), is taken on record.
- 6. Nevertheless, an opportunity is given to the appellant to be more specific for the information she demanded through RTI request so that the respondent PIO could provide the requisite information to her, by the next date of hearing or the case would be decided on merits.
- 7. Another opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the information, after receiving the specific queries, which would be intimated by the appellant, to her by registered post before the next date of hearing with a copy to the Commission.
- 8. Another opportunity is also given to the concerned PIO to represent this case in person on the next date of hearing.
- 9. With this, the case is <u>adjourned to 30th November,2022(Wednesday) at 12:00 P. M. for hearing.</u>

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties. Sd/-

Date: 4th November, 2022 (Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab