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Sh Prem Garg, (M-7905996837) S/o Sh Megh Raj Garg, B-XI/1929, Naval kunj, Street No 09, Anaj Mandi Road, Near Sarav Hitkari School, Barnala-148101

.... Appellant

V/s

**Public Information Officer**, O/o The SSP, Barnala

First Appellate Authority, O/o The IGP, Patiala Range, Patiala

...Respondents

## Appeal Case No. 829 of 2023

Present: (i) None for the Appellant.

(ii) For the Respondent: ASI Harpal Singh, (94174-95901)

#### **ORDER**

- 1. The RTI application is dated 18.11.2022 vide which the appellant has sought information as enumerated in his RTI application. First appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (hereinafter FAA) and second appeal was filed in the Commission on 24.01.2023.
- 2. Notice of hearing was issued to the parties Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act).for 21.03.2023 in the Commission. However, the case was postponed to be heard on 24.03.2023,i.e today.
- 3. The Appellant is not present today.
- 4. The Respondent states that the information has been provided to the Appellant. He further states that the son of the Appellant had visited their office on behalf of the appellant, with authority letter and obtained the information. He has also given his receiving in lieu of the information received by him. The Respondent has filed their reply regarding the same along with the copy of information, which is taken on record.
- 5. After perusing the case file, it is ascertained that the Respondent has provided the information to the Appellant. They have also filed a copy of the same. This is the first date of hearing and the Appellant is not present today. Hence, an opportunity is given to the Appellant to appear before the Commission and state their case. However, it is made clear that in case, the Appellant does not appear on the next date of hearing, then appropriate orders in his absence shall be passed.

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The respondent, o/o SSP Barnala is exempted from further hearing in the Commission.

6. To come up on **28.04.2023** at **12:00PM** in the Commission office. Copy of the orders be sent to the parties.

Sd/-

(Amrit Partap Singh Sekhon)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab