

PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

RED CROSS BUILDING, NEAR ROSE GARDEN,

SECTOR 16, CHANDIGARH.

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Shri Nitin Kumar Garg, (78143 22100)
C/o 15-A, Police Public Dairy,
Shastri Nagar, Model Town, Ludhiana.

...Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o XEN – Executive Engineer,
Construction Division,
PWD (B & R), Malerkotla (Sangrur).

First Appellate Authority
O/o Superintending Engineer,
Construction Circle, PWD (B & R),
Sangrur.

...Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 0306 OF 2022

(Cisco Webex Proceedings)

Date of RTI Application	Date of Reply, if any of SPIO	Date of First Appeal made, if any	Date of order, if any of FAA	Date of Appeal/Complaint filed in the Commission
10.08.2021	08.09.2021	20.09.2021	-	07.01.2022

PRESENT: Nitin Kumar Garg, Appellant.
None on behalf of the Respondents.

ORDER (THIRD HEARING):

This order may be read with the reference to the order dated 23.08.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.

2. The Appellant states that he has deposited the documentation fee on 16.09.2021 but till date requisite information has not been provided to him.

3. The PIO is again absent for today's hearing and he was also absent on the last hearings dated 04.05.2022 and 23.08.2022, inspite of the Notice/Orders of the Commission.

This shows his disregard to the Commission. The absence of the PIO is viewed seriously and it has also affected hearing and disposal of the case. Therefore, a Show Cause Notice was issued to the PIO – cum XEN, Construction Division, PWD (B & R), Malerkotla on the last date of hearing.

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4. **LAST & FINAL OPPORTUNITY** is given to Er. Balwinder Singh, Executive Engineer – cum – PIO to provide the complete information to the appellant and file a reply to the Show Cause Notice issued to him vide order dated 23.08.2022 and should appear personally, on the next date of hearing, failing which **penalty of Rs. 25000/-** will be imposed upon him.

5. The matter is adjourned. The come up for hearing on **30.11.2022 at 11:30 AM in the Commission**. Both the parties are directed to present their case personally. Copies of the order be sent to the parties.

Chandigarh
16.11.2022

Sd/-
(Maninder Singh Patti)
State Information Commissioner, Punjab

**The copy of above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-
(Regd. Post):**

Er. Balwinder Singh,
Executive Engineer/XEN – cum – PIO
Construction Division,
Public Works Department (B & R),
Malerkotla.

The Superintending Engineer – cum – FAA (By Name)
Construction Circle,
Public Works Department (B & R),
Sangrur.