# PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

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# Shri Bagicha Ram, (99142 95975)

Village Shaheed Udham Singh Nagar, Post Office Aamir Khas, Tehsil Jalalabad, District Fazilka.

....Appellant

Versus

## Public Information Officer,

**O/o** Block Development & Panchayat Officer, Guruharsahai, District Ferozepur.

## First Appellate Authority,

**O/o** District Development & Panchayat Officer, Ferozepur.

....Respondents

#### APPEAL CASE NO. 0502 OF 2022

(Cisco Webex Proceedings)				
Date of RTI	Date of Reply, if	Date of First Appeal	Date of Order, if any	Date of Appeal/ Complaint
Application	any of PIO	made, if any	of FAA	Filed in Commission
07.08.2021	29.09.2021	02.12.2021		21.01.2022

**PRESENT:** None for the Parties.

## **ORDER (SECOND HEARING):**

This appeal case was earlier allocated to Hon'ble SIC Shri Sanjeev Garg and the same has been reallocated vide vide office order no. PSIC/Legal/2022/385, dated 12.07.2022 to the Bench of Hon'ble SIC Shri Maninder Singh Patti. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 07.06.2022 passed by the Bench of Hon'ble SIC Shri Sanjeev Garg. The Notice for hearing through Cisco Webex was issued to the parties for 18.10.2022. Accordingly, the case has been heard today.

2. Both the parties are absent. From the perusal of the case file it is revealed that the PIO had demanded Rs. 1500/- as documentation fee and the appellant also deposited the same. On 03.05.2022 the respondent supplied the requisite information to the appellant. The appellant had sent a letter dated 30.05.2022 to the Commission mentioning therein that incomplete information has been provided to him. Cont...Pg02



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3. Last opportunity is given to the Appellant to follow up his case in the Commission and the deficiencies be pointed out to the PIO within a week, under intimation to the Commission. The PIO is also directed to remove the same and supplied rectified information before the next date of hearing.

4. In view of the above, the PIO is directed to provide the requisite information, if any to the appellant, before the next date of hearing and should present this case personally through Cisco Webex. In case the information sought by the appellant is not available in the official records, then PIO is directed to file an <u>Affidavit/Undertaking</u> in this regard and produce the same before the Bench, on the next date of hearing, failing which action will be initiated against the PIO as per Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act, 2005.

5. The matter is adjourned. To come up for hearing on **18.01.2023 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 158 188 4645.** Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly.

Chandigarh 18.10.2022 Sd/-(Maninder Singh Patti) State Information Commissioner, Punjab