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Shri Gurmail Singh, (98144 98310)

S/o Shri Ajmer Singh, R/o VPO Gharam, Tehsil Dudhan Sadha, Distt. Patiala – 147111

....Appellant

Versus

**Public Information Officer,** 

O/o Block Development and Panchayat Officer, Block Bhunerheri, Distt. Patiala.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer, Patiala.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 2784 OF 2022 (Cisco Webex Proceedings)

**PRESENT:** None on behalf of the Appellant.

Shri Harwinder Singh, Panchayat Secretary Gram Panchayat Gharam on behalf of the Respondents (98762 81400)

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

- 1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 11.10.2022 passed by this Bench on the previous hearing.
- 2. The Respondent states that information sought by the appellant is lying in the office of DDPO, Patiala due to under suspension of Sarpanch of Village Dharam, Block Bhunerheri, District Patiala. He further states that as and when information received from the DDPO office same will be supplied to the applied.
- 3. In view of the above, the PIO is directed to provide the complete information 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 **Undertaking** in this regard and produce the same before the Bench, on the next date of hearing, failing which **PENALTY** will be imposed upon the PIO as per the RTI Act, 2005. Cont...Pg02

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- 4. The District Development and Panchayat Officer, Patiala is also directed to ensure compliance of the order from his respective subordinates, before the next date of hearing.
- 5. The Appellant is also directed to follow up his case in the Commission, failing which decision shall be taken on merits.
- 6. The matter is adjourned. To come up for hearing on 05.04.2023 at 11:00 AM through CISCO WEBEX MEETING ID No. 158 188 4645. Both the parties are directed to present their case accordingly.

Sd/-

**Chandigarh 16.01.2023** 

(Maninder Singh Patti) State Information Commissioner, Punjab

Copy of above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary compliance:(Regd. Post):

1) The Additional Deputy Commissioner,

Urban Development, Patiala.

2) The District Development & Panchayat Officer (By Name)

cum – First Appellate Authority,
Patiala.

3) Shri Mandeep Singh,

BDPO – cum – PIO, O/o Block Development & Panchayat Officer, Block Bhunerheri, District Patiala.